

Intimations

Banns of Marriage are called for the third time between *William Mitchell & Michelle Tervit* and between *Ryan Kelly & Siobhan Smyth*. If any one knows of any reason why these should not be joined in *Holy Matrimony*, please let Fr Sullivan know *asap*.

Sick: a new list has begun. If YOU would like someone prayed for, please ask the person and hand the name in to the Chapel House. Fr Joe & various *Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion* visit the *Sick & Housebound* of the parish who cannot get to Holy Mass (please let Fr Joe know if someone cannot manage). Tommy Carr, Mary Starkey

And for the happy repose of the souls of:

Recently Dead: Ann Starrs (formerly *Greenfaulds*) [Receive: Thursday at 9.55am; Funeral at 10am], May Gordon, Mary Coyle, Mary Power, Bridie (*née* Doyle) Thomson

3 Months' Mind Francis Caffrey

6 Months' Mind Craig McAtee

Anniversaries: Mrs Isabella Pisula, Mary (Weldon) Brady, Danny Rooney, James Taggart, Martin Leary Snr, Martin Leary Jnr, Isobel Boyle, Johnnie & Annie McCann, John & Helen (Nellie McCann) Gilchrist, Arthur McKell, Ian MacDonough, Hugh Gray, William Gray, Emily Gray, Hannah McTiernan, Catherine Reynolds, Jessie Robertson, James Cshombo, Fr Colman McGrath (formerly *Sacred Heart* Parish), Mary Griffin, John Fitzimmons, Mrs Annie Blair, John Gribbin, Edward Philips, Joyce Tweedie, Mary McLaren, Margaret Johnstone, Bernard Cairns, Joe & Lynne Weldon, Grace Lafferty

In Good Company

Feast days Tuesday: *St Francis de Sales*; Wednesday: *Conversion of St Paul*; Thursday: *Sts Timothy & Titus*; Friday: *St Angela Merici*; Saturday: *St Thomas Aquinas*



Holy Cross

21st / 22nd January 2017

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time [A]


Is 8: 23- 9:3; Ps 26; 1Cor 1: 10-13,17; Mtt 4: 12-23



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Holy Mass

Saturday Vigil: 6pm; Sunday: 9.30am & 11.40am

Monday to Saturday: 10am

Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confession Saturday after 10am Mass & 6pm Mass

Holy Rosary Monday to Saturday at 9.30am

Novena in honour of *Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal* at Mass on Tuesdays

Divine Mercy Devotion after Mass on Wednesdays

Day Visits the Church building is open during the day.

Additional Support Transport to 11.40am Mass please 'phone: 07946 610381

Wheelchair- access ramp begins halfway down *Our Lady's Shrine* side of Building

Wheelchair- accessible Toilet: ask a *Pass-keeper* for a key to the *Parish Hall*

Large print Bulletins available on request from a *Pass-keeper*

Low Gluten Hosts certified by *USCCB* (or *Chalice* reception) available: see Fr Sullivan

Hearing: Loop System is present

Hall Bookings See *Website* for details, then email: hall@holycrosscroy.com or *Booking Secretary*, Tel 07833 544250, Monday- Thursday between 8-9pm

Visiting Priest Fr Billy Harrison (*Salvatorian*) will be here for 10am Mass on Monday. He will also proffer the *Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confession*.

Crib has been taken down (due to fire risk with this parish being open for day visits). The "*Nativity Scene Banner*" will remain until 2nd February. *St Margaret Boxes*= £400.

Finance No *Second Collection* this weekend or next.

New Rotas for *Readers*, for *Animators of the Children's Liturgy* and for *Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion* are available. We take this opportunity to Congratulate their fine work, and that of those who organize the rotas. *Well done!*

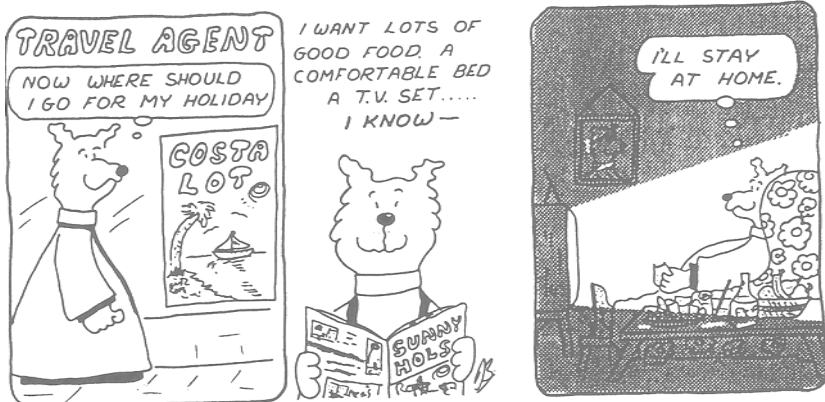
Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat for spiritual and emotional healing after abortion will be held north of Glasgow on Friday 10th– Sunday 12th February.

This confidential, supportive retreat is powerful for anyone who has been affected by their own or someone else's abortion experience. For more information, please call *Sr Andrea* on 07816 942824 or email *Marene* via the enquiry form on the website www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk

Acoustic Nights in 2016 raised a total of £5,761 for various charities: *Kenya Healthcare Outreach Project* £300; *Lourdes HCPT* £366; *Jericho House* £800; *Cliona Ferguson for Nepal* £450; *Saint Vincent De Paul* £550; *Schiehallion Unit Yorkhill* £725; *Strathcarron Hospice* £500; *Beatson Unit Gartnavel* £400; *Holy Cross Primary & Nursery* £500; *Stroke Association* £570; *Holy Cross Church Christmas Donation* £600. 2015 Total= £3,946; 2014= Total £3,700. Running Total= £13,407. *Well done* to the Supporters, to the Musicians & to the organisers!

Local Mosque Open Day Saturday 5th February, 12noon- 5pm

Dogcollar



P3 Parents/ Guardians (wishing their child to receive the Sacraments of *First Confession/ Reconciliation*) should attend P3 Enrolment Mass any of the three Masses 28th/ 29th January.

Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity has begun. The Theme this year is "*Crossing Barriers*". Please visit www.ctbi.org.uk or www.weekofprayer.org

"Triune God, We thank you for this week of Prayer that has brought us together as Christians and that has enabled us to experience your presence in different ways. Grant us ways to praise your holy name together so that we continue to seek reconciliation & grow towards unity."

Cumbernauld Action of Churches Together Service: Tuesday 24th January 7.30pm, at the *Church of the Holy Name*, Seafar & followed by Tea/Coffee

Justice & Peace meets on Wednesday 1st February at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall.

Call to Artists To celebrate 10 Years of *Lentfest*, the Archdiocese of Glasgow Arts Project is about to hold an exciting new exhibition on *Patron Saints of the Arts*. We would like to hear from artists who wish to take part in this exhibition, which will run from 1st March 2017 throughout Lent. Artists must be over 18 years and either hold a qualification in the arts or be able to demonstrate relevant experience. Please contact: lentfest@agap.org.uk or 0141 52 5527.

Comboni 150th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Verona, Lake Garda, Padua & Venice; 6th–13th September 2017 led by the *Comboni Fathers*, Carmyle. Further Information & Booking Form: 01698 262941.

Vacancy for the post of *Resident Warden* (?RC Couple?) at the *Catholic House of Prayer* on Iona. See poster or Tel 01681 700369. Closing Date: 11th February 2017.

Barbega Play Development Group Public Consultation to be held in the Parish Hall on Sunday 29th January from 4- 6pm. Come and view the proposed design of the new play park and the proposed plans for the surrounding area, give your feedback and find out what impact the works will have. Please bring your children/grandchildren to play our giant board games and have fun on our bouncy castle!

Families for Unaccompanied Young people Most of the unaccompanied young people coming to Glasgow are aged 18-20 & will speak little or no English. They will require a stable home with support & care. Support & Training will be provided. If you can help visit *Information Events* at the *City Chambers*, Glasgow: 26th Jan @ 6.30-8pm; 30th Jan @ 12- 2pm; 30th Jan @ 6.30-8pm; 31st Jan @ 6.30-8pm. See poster.

