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FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – YEAR A

This Week in the Parish

Sunday Masses

11.00am Mass
3.45pm Holy Hour
5.00pm Mass
6.00pm Meeting – Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Monday

Memorial of St. John Bosco

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.30am Funeral – Houston for Moira McCauley RIP
2.00pm Music Practice
7.15pm Pro-life Rosary Group

Tuesday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
10.30am Baptismal Prep.
3.15pm Altar Servers Practice

Wednesday

FEAST: PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.00am Largs

Thursday

Memorial of St. Blaise & St. Ansgar

9.00am Benedictine Convent, Largs
11.00am Dunreath
6.30pm Mass
7.00pm Readers' Meeting
7.30pm Passkeepers Meeting

Friday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Holy Hour
7.30pm Sacred Heart

Saturday

Memorial of St. Agatha

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.30am Baptism Preparation

Confessions (Saturday)

10.30 - 11.00am
5.15 - 5.45pm

Please Pray For RIP

Teresa Walker, Betty Robertson,
Margaret Whitten, Moira McCauley &
Mrs McCart

Sick

Canon Nicholas Rowan, Fr. Peter Clinton, Jacqueline McClelland, Ewan Cordiner, Margaret Fillmore (Toronto), Clare Adams, Charles Friel, Carol Sutherland, Joan Gallagher, Elise Kauffman, Mark Stuart, Annie Porter, George Armstrong, Flora Scouler & James Imrie

Parish Finance

MANY THANKS Sunday 23rd January 2011

First Collection

Non-GAD £240.33
GAD £315.68

Approved Fundraising

Non-GAD £173.38
GAD £190.83

*This week's second collection for
Approved Fundraising*

40 Hours Adoration – Changes St. Brigid's – Today, Sun 30th Jan and St. Aloysius' – Sun 20th Feb

Vocations Mass at the Little Sisters of the Poor, Mon 31st Jan in St. Joseph's, 14 Cumnock Road, Glasgow G33 1QT at 7.45pm

Aquinas Lecture *The Real Joshua: Jesus our Forerunner in the Letter to the Hebrews*, Uni. of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Mon 31st Jan at 7.30pm. See notice board

Abrohill Regeneration Forum Next meeting Tues 1st Feb @ 7.00pm – see notice board

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life – Wed 2nd Feb

Special Needs Club resumes Wed 2nd Feb @ 7.30pm

Readers' Ministry Next meeting this Thu, 3rd Feb 7pm – 8pm.

Passkeepers Next meeting on Thu 3rd Feb at 7.30pm

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Meeting this Sunday 30 January at 6pm. If you are unable to attend can you please advise of your availability for February and March

World Day of Prayer for the Sick and Mass on Anointing of the Sick on 11th February, the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes If you would like to receive the sacrament or know of someone who would like to do so, please 'sign up' at the back. The Sacrament may lawfully be received

by any Catholic whose health is seriously impaired due to illness. It is most fitting to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in preparation since it is also a sacrament of healing. We will try to arrange transport. The Mass will be followed by a 'Lourdes torchlight procession, tea in the hall and then there will be an "All Night Vigil of Prayer for Life"

Church on Facebook & Twitter

Pope Benedict has recently spoken about the need for the Church to make use of the new opportunities offered by social networking sites to get its message across. In response, the Archdiocese has created its own Facebook and Twitter accounts. They will be used to bring short snippets of news and information to users throughout the year. There is no cost involved and signing up is simple.

For Facebook users: Open your homepage. Search for "Archdiocese of Glasgow". Open the page. Click "like"

For Twitter users: Open your homepage. Search for "ArchdiocGlasgow". Open the page. Click "follow"

Please take a note of these details and sign up when you get home so as to be kept fully informed of all that's happening for Catholics in and around Glasgow

Catholic Education Week: 20th-26th Feb "Grow in Holiness: Become Saints of the 21st Century Second collection 20th Feb will be for Scottish Catholic Education Service. Please pick up a prayer card from back of Church. See poster

St. Lucy's Justice & Peace Group The next meeting of this group is at 7.30pm in the Chapel House on Wed 26th Feb. New members welcome

Parish Pastoral Council As I hope to be away, I would like to reschedule this meeting for Thursday, 3 March at 7.30pm.

The Beginning Experience A weekend for those alone again through divorce, separation or bereavement - 18th-20th Mar 2011 at St. Mary's, Kinnoull, Perth. See notice board

Catholic Companion A monthly publication – a familiar and informal look at Catholic Life in general. Please let me know if you wish to order a copy (£1)

Mary's Meals – Rags to Riches Clothing Collection Letter of thanks

received for the successful contribution of 167 bags

Procedure for receiving Holy Communion:

• **Before receiving the host.** Everyone should make a sign of reverence either by a single genuflection of the right knee, by a profound bow, or by the sign of the cross. If a person chooses to receive kneeling, then no other sign of reverence is required

• **On The tongue.** Communion may be received on the tongue which is the universally permitted manner of reception in the Catholic Church. Where the Bishop permits, as in Scotland, the host may, alternatively be received on the hand

• **The hand.** The host is placed on the left hand and consumed by lifting the host with the fingers of the right hand and placing the host reverently in one's mouth

• **To be consumed.** In whatever manner the host is received, it must be consumed before leaving the presence of the priest or extraordinary minister. Try to avoid chewing as this detracts from the dignity of the sacrament

• **The Blood of Christ.** When communicating the Precious Blood, we should only take a small sip. It should not be drunk as if it were a common drink. "Taste and see that the Lord is good"

• **Kneelers.** To enable those who might wish to kneel, there will be two kneelers at the front. They are of a small size and should not obstruct those who choose to receive in the hand. Be careful at the beginning and we will soon get used to things.

• If you observe anyone treating the sacrament with disrespect, please speak to one of the pass-keepers and to myself

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