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Second Sunday of Advent

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This Week in the Parish

Vigil Mass of Sunday
6.00pm (Saturday)

Sunday

11.00am Mass
5.00pm Mass
6.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction
7.30pm Festival of Light at Kildrum Church of Scotland

Feast of St. Juan Diego, the first indigenous American to be declared a saint. Our Blessed Lady of Guadalupe appeared to him and imprinted her miraculous image on his tilma.

Monday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
10.00am-3pm Retreat with pupils of P5 to Schoenstatt
7.15pm Pro Life Rosary Group

Tuesday

Memorial of St Damasus
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.00am Clergy Fraternal in Cumbernauld College

Wednesday

Memorial of Our Lady of Guadalupe
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
Fr. Joe's Day Off

Thursday

Feast Day of St. Lucy
9.00am Holy Hour
9.10am Morning Prayer
7.00pm Mass and procession followed by '

Friday

Memorial of St John of the Cross
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
11.00am Service in St. Lucy's School
6.00pm Holy Hour

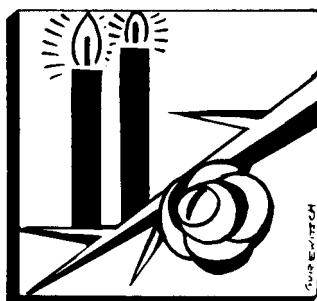
Saturday

Mass in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary
9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays
10.30-11.00am: 5.15 - 5.45pm
Sunday
10.30-10.45am: 4.30-4.45pm

Advent Ecumenical Service with Abronhill Church of Scotland A sincere vote of thanks is very much owed by us to all those who 'chipped-in' and supported this wonderful evening. The music ministry was provided by our parish guitar group and by their Praise Band. If our little parish group was somewhat overshadowed by the large array of equipment and dress by the 'praise group' from Abronhill Parish Church, both groups were equally matched in helping us all to raise our minds and hearts to God in prayer. After the herculean efforts last week for Confirmations it was, I know, asking a lot for us to 'raise our game' once again, but our wonderful parish certainly rose to the occasion by turning out in numbers and ensuring that our guests went home well fed. Thank you to everyone who helped for giving your time and talents so generously in the service of Christ and his Church. God bless you all.



Cumbernauld Churches Together - Ecumenical Advent Reflections at Holy Name Episcopal Church, Seafar on Mon. 10th Dec. from 7.30-8.30pm. Tea and coffee from 7pm.

Lectio Divina for Advent You are welcome to join the small groups which meet each Wed. at 7.30pm and each Thurs. after 9.30am Mass to prayerfully reflect on the scriptures for the coming Sunday.

Parish Christmas Card It has been suggested that, this year, we have a 'joint card'. This jumbo sized card will be available at the back for everyone to sign and will then be placed at the crib. It is hoped make it easier for those who

want to give a card and prevent the 'jumble' of cards at the back of the Church, many uncollected.

St. Lucy's Feast Day Dance on Sat. 15th Dec. A 'Fundraiser' to help Elizabeth and Jennifer go to World Youth Day in Rio next year. Any donations of raffle prizes would be appreciated. Contact Anne or Karen Gallagher or Debbie Mc Mahon. Tickets £5 available from the holy stall and the Sunday café.

Please Pray For RIP

Karl Stuart, Kenneth Waddell and James Crampshee
Anniversaries
Bernard Mc Conville, Valentine & Rose Boland, and John & Kitty Johnstone
Sick
Robert Crokken, Clare Adams, Ellen Mc Ara, Henry McDonald,

Parish Messengers: HELP! This little act of love can make a difference! We need more help in this most important act of outreach to our brothers and sisters who are unable for one reason or another to actively participate in the life of the parish. In this Year of Faith we are being called to the New Evangelisation of our culture and our country. Our mission is first and foremost to those who have fallen away from the Faith. God is asking us to fan into a flame the light of faith in the hearts of our brothers and sisters in Christ. Are you willing to spend 30 minutes once a month in the important work of evangelisation? There is clear evidence that this humble gesture is appreciated and valued by some people.

St Vincent de Paul Our conference is appealing for footwear (shoes or boots especially sizes 8-9) and denims especially waist sizes 30-34in clean, good-condition for the homeless and needy at the Ozanam Centre in Glasgow. If you can help, please hand in to any member of our conference or we pick them up.

MANY THANKS

First Collection
Non-GAD £208.82
GAD £272.00

Second Collection
Non-GAD £159.52
GAD £164.50

St. Nicholas Care Fund

Next Sunday we will devote our 2nd collection to this diocesan fund which helps good and worthy causes in and around the Archdioceses. Please put your spare coins into the box during Advent and bring them to Mass on the Feast of the Epiphany as our offering to the Infant King.

New Life for the parish and the Church This Sunday at 11am Mass, we will celebrate the baptism of Declan Joseph Johnson, Cadan Ross Anthony Lindsay and Harrison David Smith. We welcome these children with great joy and ask God's blessing upon them and their families.

Adult Faith Development Advent 2012 - Wednesday 28th Nov and 5th, 12th, and 19th of Dec. Reflecting on the Second Vatican Council 50 years on.

The Covenant of God with his People on Saturday 15th December 2012 at 3pm in St Joseph's, Robroyston, 14 Cumnock Road, Robroyston, Glasgow G33 1QT. ALL WELCOME. Admission free

St. Mungo's FP's Carol Service with Readings at St Simon's Church on December 20 at 7.30pm

Carmelite Spirituality and Prayer Mon. 10th December from 7.30-9.00pm. For young woman, 30 to 45, who would like to deepen their prayer life and learn more about Carmelite Spirituality at the Carmelite Monastery, Waterside Road, Kirkintilloch, G66 3PE.

Thanks Theresa Mc Laughlin espressos her thanks for the prayers and kind wishes during her recent illness. her recovery is slow but progressing. the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all their intentions.