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3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

This Week in the Parish

Sunday:

11.00am Mass
3.00pm Eastfield Cemetery Memorial Service
5.00pm Mass
6.00pm Vespers and Benediction

Monday

Optional Memorials of St George and of St Adalbert

8.10am Morning Prayer
8.30am Mass
7.00pm Meeting of parents and children for First Holy Communion
7.15pm Pro-Life Rosary Group

Tuesday

Optional Memorial of St Fidelis of Sigismaringen

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Holy Hour
7.00pm Protection of Vulnerable Groups Training Evening

Wednesday

Feast of St Mark

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
Fr Joe's Day off

Thursday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
7.30pm Vespers and Ecumenical Service St Andrew's Bearsden

Friday

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass
6.00pm Holy Hour

Saturday

Optional Memorial of St Louis Grignon de Montfort

9.10am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays

10.30-11.00am: 5.15 – 5.45pm

Sunday

10.30-10.45am: 4.30-4.45pm

support us spiritually. Whilst not all can physically take part, all of us can be united "heart and soul".

Cemetery Sunday Eastfield Cemetery 22nd April at 3pm

Memorial Service and blessing of the graves of all those who have died and whose ashes or remains are interred there. The cemetery staff will be on hand from 2-4pm to deal with any enquiries. Toilets open.

Please Pray For RIP

Mother Paschal, Mary Heeps and Elizabeth Jones

Anniversaries

Angela Gillies and Michael Kiernan

Sick

Fr Noel Barrie,
Fr. James Andrew Berry OP
Fr. Joseph Mc Shane and Clare Adams

Parish First Communions 6th and 20th May

Jesus said, "Let the little children come unto me for theirs is the kingdom of the heaven." Please pray for the children and their families that they will be enabled to come to him not only in body but in spirit.

Parish Finance MANY THANKS

First Collection

Non-GAD £ 284.39
GAD £ 306.50

Second Collection

Non-GAD £ 189.72
GAD £ 173.50

**Second Collection this week -
Approved Fundraising
Next week for training students
for the priesthood**

Family Fun Day If you have any unwanted, unopened gifts that you no longer require, would you be willing to donate them to the Pro-

Life Rosary Group Fun Day tombola? If so, please leave them at the back of the church, marked for the ProLife Group.

Vocations Sunday 29th April 2012

A Day of Prayer

Programme:

1pm – 2pm Holy Hour
2pm – 3.45pm Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
3.45pm Eucharistic Rosary
4.15pm Evening Prayer and Benediction

Please sign up at the back of the church for times of adoration

Please plan in advance to make this a true. We need to pray hard that the Holy Father will soon appoint a new bishop for our diocese. We have only 6 students in formation and no prospect of ordinations to the Priesthood in the next few years and there will be more than a few vacancies due to age and health. "The harvest is rich but the labourers are few" and Jesus himself has urged us to "ask the Lord of the harvest". Pray in the family. Encourage your sons and daughters to think of a vocation to the priesthood or the religious life. Set your sights on the things of heaven and we will realise the sacrifices required of young people and of families are eminently worthwhile.

Abortion on Demand The stakes are remarkably high. Some at the UN, not all but many, want to make abortion on demand the law of the world. They include the most powerful countries in the world; the U.S., France, Germany, the United Kingdom. They include powerful UN agencies like the UN Population Fund, UNICEF, the World Health Organization and the World Bank. They include

powerful advocacy groups like Planned Parenthood and the Centre for Reproductive Rights. They include incredibly rich foundations like Gates and Soros, Ford, and Rockefeller.

Ecumenical Vespers at St Andrew's Church in Bearsden on Thursday next April 26th at 7pm. The preacher will be Revd Colin Caskie (former Minister at Penilee), Clerk to the Presbytery of Dumbarton and this year he is the Presbytery Moderator.

Thank You Everyone Card of Thanks from Maureen and Kevin Avis, who were received into Full Communion with the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. At the back.

Mass for Vocations on Monday 27th April at 7.15 pm at The Little Sisters of the Poor, St Joseph's, 14 Cumnock Road, Robroyston, Glasgow.

World Youth Day in Rio De Janeiro: Ages 18 to 35

We have been invited to join the group from Glasgow University Chaplaincy the cost will be in the region of £700/800. If you are interested please let me know ASAP.

Protection of vulnerable groups Training & Information meeting

for all parish volunteers this Tues. 24th April at 7pm in the hall. Anyone working with vulnerable groups St. Vincent d Paul, Adult Special Needs, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Children etc, are asked to attend this meeting. It is essential for all parish volunteers attend this meeting as it is a directive from the Archdiocese. If you are unable to attend there may be an opportunity to attend another meeting in the Cumbernauld area at a later date.

Eucharistic Congress 13-18th June 2012 Please pick up a Prayer Card at the back and