

I AM THE TRUE VINE AND YOU ARE THE BRANCHES.

ST. BRIDE'S

PARISH BULLETIN



Feast of Corpus Christi

14th June 2009

After the strong season of the liturgical year which, focusing on Easter spreads over three months - first the 40 days of Lent, then the 50 days of Eastertide -, the liturgy has us celebrate three Feasts which instead have a "synthetic" character: the Most Holy Trinity, then *Corpus Christi*, and lastly, the Sacred Heart of Jesus. What is the precise significance of today's Solemnity, of the Body and Blood of Christ? The answer is given to us in the fundamental actions of this celebration we are carrying out: first of all we *gather* around the altar of the Lord, to *be together in his presence*; secondly, there will be the *procession*, that is *walking with the Lord*; and lastly, *kneeling before the Lord*, adoration, which already begins in the Mass and accompanies the entire procession but culminates in the final moment of the Eucharistic Blessing when we all prostrate ourselves before the One who stooped down to us and gave his life for us.

Pope Benedict XVI – Corpus Christi 2008



Days of Prayer

As part of the feast of Corpus Christi this year there will be days of prayer offered by Fr Docherty (Carmyle). On the 15th & 16th June he will come and offer morning Mass at 10 am and return at 7pm for a Holy Hour of Prayer.

Wedding

One of our parishioners, Kieran Dinwoodie, will be getting married next Saturday to his fiancée, Sarah Capewell. Kieran will also soon be leaving St Bride's to move into Glasgow. Any interested parishioners are welcome to attend the ceremony which begins at 2pm on Saturday 20th June.

Glasgow Run

A number of our parishioners are taking part in the **Glasgow Run** which takes place in September this year. Anyone who is running might like to do it for our ACN project. Please contact 641 9677

Quiz Night

We are going to have a parish Quiz Night on 19th June 7.30 pm. Donations for the prizes would be welcome. Please purchase a ticket after or contact Joan 641 9677

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers rota will be available at the back of the Church. These will cover the Sundays until September.

Come Fly With Me!

We are organising a formal style dance for September of this year. The dance will take place in the Institute.

Curry Day

Fr Sebastian and the Indian community are organising a **carry out curry** (you can come and take it away) for Sunday 21st June after 10 am Mass. *Proceeds to charity.*

Gift Aid

Please support the Gift Aid scheme in the parish. Anyone who is a tax payer can belong to the initiative.

Cubs

We are planning to set up a Cub group in the parish. Please check the bulletin for info.

Saturday Youth Club

On Saturday mornings in the autumn we plan to have a small film club for young people. More news to follow.

Legion of Mary

Thanksgiving day will take place at Carfin grotto for the Legion on 21st June. A bus will leave the parish at 1.50pm and return at 5.30pm. There will be Mass and Rosary on the day. .

SIR

Scottish International Relief will be here on the weekend of 20th-21st June. Please look out clothes and other items to bring to the hall on that weekend. This organisation works in Liberia, Peru, Haiti, Ukraine and Malawi. The collection raised £112,000 last year.

Support Group

Support group for parents attempting to get children placing at St. Bride's will meet in the parish house on Tuesday at 7pm.

Died: Ellen McHugh Anniversaries

Eddie McAuley

Silver Circle

14th June - £20 (73) Michael Cameron

St Bride's Youth Drama Group

A new group has opened in the hall on Tuesday nights (6.30-8.30 pm) for youngsters aged 8-14 interested in drama. The evening will include dancing, singing and acting. It will help the youngsters have fun, build confidence and make new friends. Please telephone 641 2288. **The group continues to do well. The organisers are delighted by the response and invite anyone in this age group to join them on Tuesdays.**

Monsignor Devanney

Mass will be offered on 30th June at 7 pm in St Bride's for Monsignor Devanney, former Vicar General of the diocese. This year he would have celebrated 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

7 to 7

The Christian churches in the area are going to have a vigil of prayer to pray for the needs of the world, it will take place on 27th-28th June in St Bride's Church house (7 pm on Saturday evening until 7 am the following morning). You are asked to put your name down on the list at the back of the Church for an hour of prayer through the night.

Sacred Heart

There will be a Mass in honour of the Sacred Heart for the Pioneer's Association at Carfin Grotto on 19th June at 7.30 pm.

Corpus Christi

On 14th June (today) the feast of Corpus Christi will be celebrated at Carfin grotto at 3pm. The previous night there will be a vigil of prayer from 6.30pm until 7 am.

Carfin Day

The Parish day at Carfin will be 6th July.

Cambuslang Summerfest

Summerfest will be next Saturday. The Legion of Mary is looking for religious books to be donated for their stall, especially children's. - contact 641 5761

11th Week in Ordinary Time

Monday	Toddlers 9.30 am Mass: 10 am (Fr Docherty) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass Holy Hour of prayer at 7pm (Fr Docherty) SVDP 7.30 pm
Tuesday	Mass: 10 am (Fr Docherty) Senior Citizens: 12 noon Holy Hour of Prayer 7pm (Fr Docherty) Support group 7 pm
Wednesday	Morning Prayer 9.45am Mass: 10 am Toddlers: 9.30 am Legion 7.30 pm
Thursday	Mass: 10am Golden Group 1.30 pm Benediction and Confession 7-8pm AA 8 pm
Friday	Mass: 10 am Novena after Mass Toddlers: 9.30 am Quiz Night
Saturday	Mass: 10 am Confessions after 10 am Mass
Sunday	Masses: 5.30 pm (Vigil) 10 am & 12 noon & 6pm 3.30 pm (Indian)