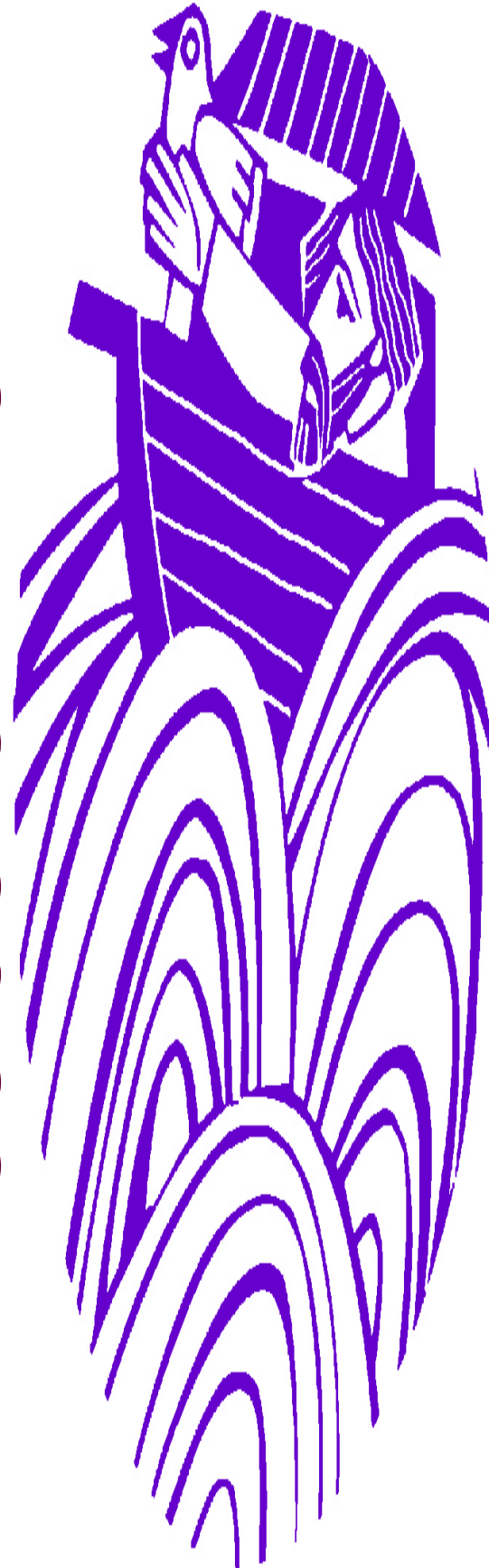


ST. BRIDE'S

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Monday	<p><i>Mass: 10am</i></p> <p><i>Toddlers 9.30 am</i></p> <p><i>Exposition 10.30 am -7 pm.</i></p> <p><i>Stations of the Cross at 7 pm</i></p> <p><i>SVDP 7.30pm</i></p> <p><i>Children's Liturgy 7 .30 pm</i></p>
Tuesday	<p><i>Mass: 10am</i></p> <p><i>Senior Citizens 12-3 pm</i></p> <p><i>Dementia Carers 7.30 pm</i></p>
Wednes- day	<p><i>Mass 10 am</i></p> <p><i>Morning Prayer 9.45 am</i></p> <p><i>Toddlers 9.30 am</i></p> <p><i>Stations of the Cross 7pm</i></p> <p><i>Legion 7.30 pm</i></p>
Thursday	<p><i>Mass 10am & 7 pm</i></p> <p><i>Golden Group 1.15 pm</i></p> <p><i>Exposition and Confession 7 pm</i></p> <p><i>ACN 8 pm</i></p> <p><i>AA 8 pm</i></p>
Friday	<p><i>Mass: 10 am</i></p> <p><i>Toddlers 9.30 am</i></p> <p><i>Stations after Mass</i></p> <p><i>Novena: 10.40am</i></p>
Saturday	<p><i>Mass: 10 am</i></p> <p><i>Confessions after Mass</i></p>
Sunday	<p><i>Mass: 5.30pm (vigil)</i></p> <p><i>10 am 12 noon</i></p> <p><i>3.30pm (Indian) 6pm</i></p>

Peace on Earth





LENT



Lent

During the season of Lent we are encouraged to pray - please use the opportunities given for more prayer in the parish. We are encouraged also to fast - why not fast each Friday (take only one simple small meal)? Be charitable - set aside money for the poor.

St Cadoc's

St Cadoc's is hosting the World Day of Prayer on 6th March at 7 pm. All welcome.

Our Lady's FP Light Opera

*The Society is putting on a revue called **Westend2Broadway**- featuring classic songs from musicals. The show will be on 9th May (Motherwell) Eastwood Park Theatre (18th May) and East Kilbride Arts Centre (27th/28th May). The cost of the tickets will be £10 and can be obtained by telephoning **Tom Maley 644 1715** or **Barbara Morris 583 2250***

Big Breakfast

*The children will do a **Big Breakfast** after 10 am Mass on 4th Sunday of Lent (22nd March).*

Sciaf

Please take the Sciaf boxes this year and return them at the end of Lent or throughout the year. Please help in the campaign.



Family Mass

There will be a Family Mass for children receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation on 10th March at 7 pm. The Sacrament will be conferred on 16th March at 7 pm.

Evening Mass

There will be an evening Mass at 7pm on Thursday evening followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession for 30 minutes.

Stations of the Cross

There will be Stations of the Cross on Monday and Wednesday at 7 pm and on Friday's after 10 am Mass.

Pamper Afternoon

Thank you for the great response to the Pamper afternoon last week which made £850. This will go to our support of the training of a religious sister as a doctor in Congo and youth work in Vietnam.

Silver Circle

Winner: £50 No 59 Mary Cameron Cairns Rd

Dementia Carers

If you know of any carers who wish to belong to a support group here in the parish, please get in contact with *Bernadette 641 8796. Meeting at 7.30 pm this week*

New Books

There are new books from CTS on the book stall for anyone to purchase. Please leave money with the stall. Books include: *Lent, Stations of the Cross, Lourdes; St Paul, Newman, Belloc, Galileo, Sacramentals etc*

Windows

£71500 has been donated over the last three months for the windows - thanks to everyone for their support.

Fasting during Lent

Fasting is encouraged this year as part of the Lenten season. Through fasting we deny ourselves and live by a spirit of self sacrifice. Fasting also helps us to use our resources for others more needy than ourselves in the spirit of the Gospel.

Fatima 14th-18th October 2009

Those planning to go are asked to make a payment - *Joan 641 9677*

Gonzaga Lectures

During Lent St Aloysius' College in Glasgow run the Gonzaga Lenten reflections on the Christian life. The theme this year: *Challenge and Consolation: Faith in 21st Century*. The lectures take place on 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th March at 7.30pm

Catholic Books

Catholic books will be distributed by the **LEGION OF MARY** to children preparing for the sacraments.

Pope Benedict XVI

The Pope will go to Africa in March. One of the countries that he is visiting is Angola, the home country of Fr Andre. The Pope will also visit the Holy Land in May 2009. Pope's Lenten address on the parish website

Recently Died Tommy McGuire; Mary Beaton; Alisdair McCormick Anniversaries: Robert Kyle (Sen & Jun); John & Elizabeth Gibbons; Gibbons family; Hugh Murray; Beth Collins; Betty Kyle; Ellen Fergus; Barbara Grant; Grace O'Brien

Donations from St Bride's 2008

31st January 2008	<i>Justice and Peace Commission £300</i>
31st January 2008	<i>St Margaret's Adoption £635</i>
13th March 2008	<i>Housing Justice £200</i>
26th April 2008	<i>Holy Places £850</i>
26th April 2008	<i>Sciaf £5355.64</i>
12th May 2008	<i>Ciaran Pryce (Charity) £2400</i>
22nd May 2008	<i>Sciaf Burma Appeal £3200</i>
23rd June 2008	<i>China appeal (Red Cross) £1500</i>
7th July 2008	<i>Housing Justice £150</i>
7th July 2008	<i>Peter's Pence £2200</i>
7th July 2008	<i>Let the Children Live (Street Children/ Colombia) £200</i>
7th July 2008	<i>Columban Fathers £1021</i>
20th August 2008	<i>SPUC £500</i>
29th September 2008	<i>Icon for new Trinity school £1000</i>
29th September 2008	<i>Royal Blind Society £100</i>
29th September 2008	<i>Cancer research £50</i>
27th October 2008	<i>Shelter £400</i>
27th October 2008	<i>Housing Justice £100</i>
30th October 2008	<i>ACN Boxes £843.26</i>
17th November 2008	<i>ACN Project for Pakistan £9000</i>
17th November 2008	<i>De Paul Trust £150</i>
2nd December 2008	<i>Royal Blind Society £50</i>
8th December 2008	<i>Sciaf Congo appeal £2144</i>
December 2008	<i>Missio £3200</i>
December 2008	<i>LEPRA £100</i>
December 2008	<i>SVDP £6500</i>
December 2008	<i>Jericho Benedictines £1000</i>
December 2008	<i>Indian Orphans £775</i>

India

The group that went to India in 2008 is organising two more pilgrimages in 2009 and 2010. If interested contact Hugh Burns 562 4534

Collections

Opposite is a note of the collections for different charities that we have helped over 2008.

Pastoral Centre, Newmains

Fr W McFadden will give a talk on Pope Benedict's encyclical, *Hope that saves* - 14th March at 7.30 pm. Contact 01698 385397

Alcoholics

A new group is starting in the hall on Thursday evenings, it is a group to help alcoholics called, Alcoholics Anonymous. It is particularly good time for this to start because during this month we are asked to make the parish community aware of the problem and of support groups. *If you have a problem in the family please contact 0141 339 8884*

St Patrick's Dance

The St Patrick's dance will be on 20th March and tickets will go on sale this weekend.

Fairtrade

In Stonelaw Church there is a Fairtrade exhibition of art work from schools from 3rd -7th March at 10.30 am - 12.30 pm. A special event for Fairtrade will take place in the Royal Concert Hall this weekend. All welcome.

Children's Liturgy

Meeting of Children's Liturgy group in the house at 7.30 pm on Monday.

ACN

Meeting on Thursday at 8pm.