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Fifth Sunday of Easter - Year B - 10 May 2009

Please remember in your prayers all those in our parish community who are sick especially: Jean McLaughlin, Charles McLaughlin, Donna Small, Joe Kingdom, Norman Fyffe, Fr. David Ward, Margaret Reid, Sunil Joseph (Fr. John's nephew), Cathie Cochrane, Gertrude Dignan, Ina Carlin, Aileen Low, Moira Cord, Helen Donachie, Terry Reynolds, Elizabeth Gibson, Betty Inglis, Michael Bruce, Billy Fyffe, George Ferguson. *Our Lady of Lourdes pray for them.*

Please remember names on the sick list are kept on for two weeks. Please re-enter them in the book if necessary!

Please pray for the peaceful repose of the souls of those who recently entered eternal life: . *May they be raised to new and everlasting life in Christ.*

Please remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Catherine Valentine, Mary Swayne, Margaret McLaren, Margaret Ferrie, Nan Fyffe. *May they rest in peace*

From the Catechism...

51. What is the importance of affirming "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth" (Genesis 1:1)?

The significance is that creation is the foundation of all God's saving plans. It shows forth the almighty and wise love of God, and it is the first step toward the covenant of the one God with his people. It is the beginning of the history of salvation which culminates in Christ; and it is the first answer to our fundamental questions regarding our very origin and destiny.

THINK VOCATIONS: "Let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action." Are you being called to love the Lord and His people as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? Love demands truth and action. Call our diocesan vocations director, Father Jim Walls on 534557 or contact www.priestsforScotland.org.uk

COFFEE MORNING: Lochee Churches Together are holding a Coffee Morning on Saturday 16 May, from 10 a.m. - 12 noon in St. Mary's Lochee hall. All funds raised will go to Christian Aid/SCIAF.

CECILIAN CHOIR: Annual Concert will take place in the Marryat Hall on Wednesday 20 May at 7.30 p.m. Tickets available at the door. Will feature songs from the musicals as well as a more classical repertoire.

D-DAY PARTY: To mark the 65th anniversary of D-Day there will be a party in the hall on Friday 5 June. Tickets will be available from next Sunday: Adults £2; Children £1. Nibbles will be available, bring your own drink!

PHOENIX CATALOGUES: A couple of weeks ago we publicised the Phoenix cards and stationary. If anyone still has a catalogue could they please return it with or without an order ASAP!

"PREPARING TO CELEBRATE PENTECOST": An event for youth (S3-S6), to prepare to celebrate Pentecost. Takes place on Saturday 23 May in St. Columba's Church, Cupar. For more details contact the Youth Office on 225453.

FEAST OF ST. MATTHIAS: Thursday of this week is the feast of St. Matthias, Apostle. According to the Acts of the Apostles, he was the Apostle chosen by the remaining eleven apostles to replace Judas Iscariot following Judas's betrayal of Jesus and his suicide (Acts 1:18-26).

Sunday Mass at 11 a.m.
With Children's Liturgy of the Word

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday to Friday at 9 a.m.
Saturday at 10 a.m.

MORNING PRAYER
Monday to Friday at 8.45 a.m.
Saturday at 9.45 a.m.

CONFESSIONS
Sundays before Mass; on request

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Tuesday after Mass until 10.30 a.m.

YOUR OFFERINGS
Offertory: £341.64
Many thanks for your generosity!

Response to the Psalm: You, Lord, are my praise in the great assembly!

WELLBURN APPEAL: The good sisters at Wellburn are currently raising funds for a new minibus. This will allow them to take the residents on day trips among other things. The cost of the new minibus is £40,000, and the sisters have raised a fair amount so far. At the recent Parish Council meeting it was agreed that there would be a retiring collection **TODAY** to help the sisters in their fundraising.

OBAN THANKS: A big thank-you to Bernadette for the wonderful time we all had. The arrangements - transport, hotel etc., were all up to her usual high standard. We'll never forget the "trolley-dollies" on the bus dispensing refreshments. When is the next trip??

FATIMA HOLY FOR PEACE: In St. Leonard and St. Fergus Church, St. Leonard's Place on Wednesday 13 May. Holy Mass at 6.30 p.m., followed by the Rosary.

KEY AMNESTY: So we can get an accurate picture of who has keys and what keys they have, their is to be a key amnesty. If you are in possession of a key for either the church or hall, please fill in the sheet in the sacristy. Thank-you