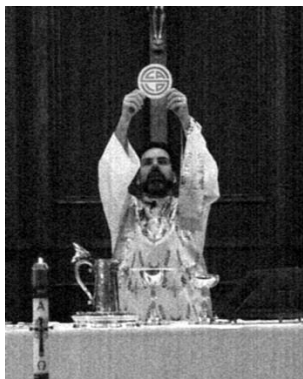




# SCALD

<b>Release Date</b>	31.12.07
<b>Artist</b>	SCALD
<b>Title</b>	Fluke
<b>Format</b>	CD
<b>Catalog Number</b>	FIL1004
<b>File Under</b>	Metal/Punk/Ambient/Industrial
<b>Label</b>	Midhir Records
<b>Barcode</b>	5060092 480529



Since forming almost 15 years ago from the remains of Irish crust bands TVP and later, Bleeding Rectum, Belfast's SCALD have garnered a reputation for shunning all the usual conventions to create original music that's as enigmatic as it is visceral.

One year after the release of their critically acclaimed *Vermiculatus* album (8.5/10 - Terrorizer Mag) on Italian label Code666, Scald revisit their crust/grind roots with their new mini-album *Fluke*.

*Fluke* is a vicious indictment of the global Catholic Church and its secretive history of greed and manipulation. Five tracks of blackened, grinding metal performed at breakneck pace provide a platform for a scathing attack, spat and screamed forth in Scald's inimitable and immediately identifiable style. The EP finishes with a 25 minute, sprawling ambient noise composition that uses captured and processed audio from the fluke sessions and an Italian spoken-word monologue.

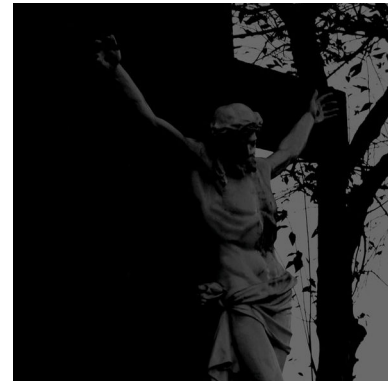
The mini-album has a running time in the region of 40 minutes and is issued in a specially designed 6-panel digifolder with extensive artwork by Unhinged Art. A Eucharist Edition version containing unique Scald communion wafers is available and limited to 500 copies. The release has its own micro-site at [www.fluke.me.uk](http://www.fluke.me.uk), which has already launched along with a promotional video for the opening track, Larva. The promotional video will also feature on YouTube and the Midhir website.

Full promotional materials will be available from the press section of the Midhir site. Availability of these materials will transfer to our brand new B2B site when it is launched in 2008.

*"...if man exists in a godless universe he is but a cosmic fluke..."*



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## Track Listing:

### ACT I

1. Larva
2. Cocoon
3. Lumbricoid
4. Trematoid
5. Helminth

### ACT II

6. Passera

Running time: ~40mins

## Key Features:

- 1 Hundreds of promos sent out to metal, punk, alternative and mainstream media
- 2 Cds packed in specially designed card digifolders with artwork by Unhinged Art
- 3 Limited 'Eucharist Edition' comes with unique Scald communion wafers
- 4 Previous release on respectable label Code666
- 5 Promotional video for Larva widely available
- 6 Supporting micro-site at [www.fluke.me.uk](http://www.fluke.me.uk)

## Previous Review Quotes:

"This unique band's cold, spacey and decidedly extraterrestrial take on post-grind is truly singular, with each release managing to communicate a darker and more cerebral concept than the one before it."

Terrorizer Magazine (UK)

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