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NOVENA TO IMMACULATION CONCEPTION OF MARY

Daily after the morning Mass from Monday 1st December till 8th December.

BIBLE SUNDAY

Next Sunday we celebrate Bible Sunday. The theme for this year's celebration is: *Hear, Reflect, Proclaim*. free Bible Sunday downloads produced by the National Scripture Working Group - an instrument of the Bishops' Conference Department for Evangelisation and Catechesis can be found at:

www.thewordofthelord.co.uk

PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER

On Thursday 4th December, at the Stamford Gate Hotel; 7 for 7.30pm. For more details, speak to Mrs Pam Hunt or Mr Steve Tuszynski.

FAIRTRADE

There will be a Fairtrade Stall at the back of church on next weekend (December 6th and 7th). We also

30th November, 2014

Psalter: Week I Cycle: B, Year I
1st Sunday Advent

welcome Mrs Ann Gannon, Fairtrade speaker who will speak to us about Fairtrade.

CAFOD

Not sure what to buy friends for Christmas this year? Pick up a World Gifts catalogue from the back of church and support CAFOD by choosing a gift from it.

St Teresa Speaks

Advent - New Beginnings

"There is no other remedy for the evil of giving up prayer than to begin again."

Looking Ahead

Nov 30: Advent begins

Dec 4: Parish Christmas Dinner

Dec 6/7: Fair Trade Talk & Stall

Dec 23: Church Cleaning

Parish Priest: Fr Anil Akkara SDV

Assistant Priests: Fr Roy Kottakupuram SDV & Fr Luigi Morrone SDV

Permanent Deacon: Rev Peter Hunt

Brothers: Nelson, Ritche, Fretch, Crisanto

Attendance: 208
Saturday: 58
Sunday: 104
Latin Mass 21
Well: 25

Collection: The Offertory Collection on last Sunday (23rd November) was: £519.56 (cash: £195.96 + Gift-Aid Envelopes: £323.60). Latin Mass Collection: £68.25.

There will be a Second Collection today (29/30 November) and next weekend (6/7 December) for flowers for Christmas. Please use the gift-aid envelopes, if you are a taxpayer. Thank you very much for your generosity. The value of your contribution is increased when it is gift-aided.

URGENT REPAIRS: some urgent repairs have been started on the church roof, bell tower and the presbytery roof. The total estimated amount for the repairs is: £4,200.00, which also includes the scaffolding.

CONGRATULATIONS to Rev Deacon Benedetto who has just been ordained a Deacon at Oscott College, Birmingham.

ITALIAN MASS will be celebrated at Bridgettine's Convent on Thursdays at 7:30am.

VISIT TO THE SICK AND (OR) HOUSEBOUND: during Advent priests would like to visit those who are sick / housebound. Please contact any member of the clergy or SVP, if you / someone you know would like a visit from the priest.

MANY THANKS to everyone for your kind support that you extended in the social/fundraising events of our parish, Charity Shop and Christmas Coffee Morning, in particular. The amount raised will be announced as soon as we get them.

YEAR FOR CONSECRATED LIFE: today we begin the year for consecrated life. In announcing the year, Pope Francis said, "Religious should be men and women able to wake up the world." Bishop Peter of our diocese inaugurated the year in our diocese with Morning Prayer and Mass at Poor Clare's Monastery in Hawarden on November 14, 2014. a number of resources have been made available: The National Office for Vocation (NOV) has produced a new film entitled 'Consecrated Life: Men and Women Religious Tell Their Stories' which is available via Vimeo (<http://vimeo.com/channels/consecratedlife>) and YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IDtDpQaPhZo&list=UUIk7fLMoA6QmNqPR6p4FMcw>). Two booklets from Vatican: *Keep Watch!* and *Rejoice!*



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Divine Jesus, Son of the eternal Father and Mary Immaculate, grant many of the faithful true generosity in following your call, and bestow on them the grace of your Holy Spirit to persevere in overcoming all obstacles to their vocations. Give the church in this Diocese and throughout the world many holy priests and fervent religious. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, St. Winefride and all Saints, we humbly ask you to hear our prayers and multiply the ministries by which we may serve one another in faith and love.

Hail Mary...

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, unite us perfectly to your adoration, thanksgiving, reparation and intercession; make of us with you, a host of sacrifice to the Divinity and sacrament to the souls. O my God and my all, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, may your will be done, your love reign, your glory shine always more in me and in everyone as in yourself, O my God and my all.

(Blessed Justin)

ADVENT FAMILY DAY: Come and celebrate family and begin Advent today, November 30th at Pantasaph Friary. A day of fun and faith for ALL the family. Make an Advent Wreath, Christmas crib, quiz, and many other crafts and activities. Day begins at 11.45am and Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Peter at 3pm (with sign). This will be followed by hot dogs and mince pies before departing for home. There is **NO CHARGE** for the day. For more information please contact Margaret Hinton on margaretmfl@hotmail.co.uk or 078425968.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR NEXT YEAR: we have started registering Masses for next year (2015). If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for your intentions on a special day in the next year, it is not too early to arrange it now. Please speak to any of the clergy or take a brown envelope from the back of the church, fill in the details and put it in the collection box.

WALK WITH ME BOOKLETS FOR ADVENT: please take your copy. Suggested donation: £1.00.

ANNIVERSARIES

Florance Wright, Sr Gemma Cahalan, Beryl Cummins, Fr. J.B. O'Connell, Anne Davies, Violet hall, Wilfred Morris, Norman Douglas, John Dyson, Alan Bradshaw, Hugh Hughes, Evelyn Byrom
John Hughes

May they rest in Peace!

Pray for those who are SICK

Fr Tony Jones, Pauline Campbell, Anna Asbury, Maeve O'Malley, Imelda Davies, Val Davies, Rev Peter Hunt, Rex Brain, Olive Yates, Tom Tattum

May you receive God's Blessing



Nov- Dec 2014	Time	Place	Mass Intention
Saturday 29th <i>Vigil Mass</i>	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Lawrence Gallagher (Anniversary)</i>
Sunday 30th FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	09:30am 05:00pm	Mass Well	<i>Nick Abakhan (RIP)</i> <i>Parishioners and Pilgrims</i>
Monday 1st	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass, Novena Day 1	<i>Tom Tattum (Return to Health)</i>
Tuesday 2nd	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass, Novena Day 2	<i>Brian Cummins (RIP)</i>
Wednesday 3rd St. Francis Xavier	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass, Novena Day 3	<i>Sister Aidan (RIP)</i>
Thursday 4th	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon	Bridgettine's Convent - <i>Italian</i> Rosary Mass, Novena Day 4	<i>Mass</i> <i>Mary Patricia Place (RIP)</i>
Friday 5th	07:30am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Mass, Novena Day 5, Adoration till 10:30am	<i>Maneesha Kerala (RIP)</i>
Saturday 6th <i>Vigil Mass</i>	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Annie & Harry Davies (RIP)</i>
Sunday 7th 2nd SUNDAY OF ADVENT	09:30am 05:00pm	Mass Well	<i>Philip Roberts (RIP)</i> <i>Parishioners and Pilgrims</i>

MINISTRY	THIS WEEK (NOVEMBER 29-30)	NEXT WEEK (DECEMBER 6-7)
READERS	SAT: Kevin McIntyre & Mike Parry SUN: Mike O'Boyle & Greg Lunt	SAT: Philip Ainslie & Maria Evans SUN: <i>Folk Mass</i>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SAT: Pat Yale & Pam Hunt SUN: Sr. Jancy & Thelma Kavanagh	SAT: Lynn Phillips & Lynn Parry SUN: Ann O'Boyle & Mother Aurora
WELCOMERS	SAT: Alun Williams & Brendan Cummins Linda Dykins & Margaret Gallagher SUN: Greg Lunt & Kevin Carney Rita Curtis & Margaret Curtis	SAT: Brendan Cummins & Alun Williams Christine Gallagher & Maureen Condon SUN: Kevin Carney & Tom Kavanagh Tony Incarico & Tina Incarico
CLEANERS	Val Feliciello & Louise Hall	Rhona Charlton, Rhian & Mike Dowling
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	<i>Lena Keogh & Laura Borrow</i>	<i>Folk Mass</i>