

## ST. LAWRENCE OF CANTERBURY R C CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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### THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR C - 19TH DECEMBER 2021

(Psalter Week 4)

Entrance Antiphon: ***Drop down dew from above, you heavens, and let the clouds rain down the Just One; let the earth be opened and bring forth a Saviour.***

Communion Antiphon: ***Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son; and his name will be called Emmanuel.***

All Masses are live streamed through our parish webcam.

The Sacrament of Penance is available on Saturday mornings from 11am - 11:30am in the Church including Christmas Eve.

Envelopes for Christmas Offerings for your priest are available at the back of the Church.

Remembering the birth of Jesus at this time of year enables us to enter into a time of renewal in our faith and to look forward to having our Lord walk alongside us in all aspects of our lives. In these days things can appear dark due to the ongoing pandemic, however we know that the light of Christ shines continually in the hearts of all his faithful bringing peace and joy.

I will be praying for you all this Christmas and thank you for the support you have given me since I commenced at St Lawrence's earlier this year.

May you have a happy, holy and peaceful Christmas.

God Bless you all.

**Fr. Paul**

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT WEEK

<b>Saturday 18th December (Vigil Mass)</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent Year C</b>
6.30pm	John Joe Corbett RIP
<b>Sunday 19th December</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent Year C</b>
8.30am	John Joe Corbett RIP
10.00am	Deceased Members of the McKinley Family
11.30am	Ernesto Gumpal RIP
<b>Monday 20th December</b>	<b>Feria</b>
9.30am	Carlota D'Cruz RIP
<b>Tuesday 21st December</b>	<b>Feria</b>
9.45am	Janet D'Cruz RIP
<b>Wednesday 22nd December</b>	<b>Feria</b>
9.30am	Janet D'Cruz RIP
<b>Thursday 23rd December</b>	<b>Feria</b>
9.30am	Ann Marie Pinto RIP

## THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD - 25TH DECEMBER 2021 (Psalter Week 4)

### Vigil Mass

Entrance Antiphon: ***Today you will know that the Lord will come, and he will save us, and in the morning you will see his glory.***

Communion Antiphon: ***The glory of the Lord will be revealed, and all flesh will see the salvation of our God.***

### Midnight Mass

Entrance Antiphon: ***Let us all rejoice in the Lord, for our Saviour has been born in the world. Today true peace has come down to us from heaven.***

Communion Antiphon: ***The Word became flesh, and we have seen his glory.***

### Morning Mass

Entrance Antiphon: ***Today a light will shine upon us, for the Lord is born for us; and he will be called Wondrous God, Prince of peace, Father of future ages: and his reign will be without end.***

Communion Antiphon: ***Rejoice, O Daughter Sion; lift up praise, Daughter Jerusalem: Behold, your King will come, the Holy One and Saviour of the world.***

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS

### Friday 24th December

6.00pm

11:15pm

Midnight

### Christmas Eve

Mary Kelly RIP

Carols followed by Midnight Mass

Intention of Anne and John Smyth

### Saturday 25th December

8.30am

10.00am

### Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

Menino Pinto RIP

Geraldine Maher RIP

### Sunday 26th December

8.30am

10:00am

11:30am

### The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Alice, Bernard and Peter McCarthy RIP

Peter, Kathleen and Edith Bygrave RIP

Parishioners

### Monday 27th December

9.30am

### Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist

Intentions and Welfare of Bridget Edwards

### Tuesday 28th December

9.45am

### The Holy Innocents, Martyrs

Paul Pinto RIP

### Wednesday 29th December

9.30am

### Saint Thomas of Canterbury, Bishop and Martyr

Maeve Mullaney RIP

### Thursday 30th December

9:30am

### 6th day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord

John Daniel Aseervatham RIP

### Friday 31st December

9:30am

### 7th day within the octave of the Nativity of the Lord

Peter, Kathleen and Edith Bygrave RIP

## THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH - 26TH DECEMBER 2021 (Psalter week 1)

Entrance Antiphon: *The shepherds went in haste, and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying in a manger.*

Communion Antiphon: *Our God has appeared on the earth, and lived among us.*

*And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth; we have beheld his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father. John 1:14*

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR NEW YEAR WEEK

### Saturday 1st January

9:30am

6:30pm (Vigil Mass)

### Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

In Thanksgiving to all the Parishioners

Fausta D'Costa

### Sunday 2nd January

8:30am

10:00am

11:30am

### Second Sunday after the Nativity

Fr. Fabian O-Carm RIP

Parishioners

Luc Brou RIP

### Monday 3rd January

9:30am

### The Most Holy Name of Jesus

Fr. Laurence Patten RIP

### Tuesday 4th January

9:45am

### Feria of Christmas Time

Fr. James Norton RIP

### Wednesday 5th January

1:00pm

7:30pm (Vigil Mass)

### Feria of Christmas Time

Funeral Mass of Gwendolen Iris Lane

Intention of the Kadi Family

### Thursday 6th January

9:30am

### Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

Tim Hawes RIP

### Friday 7th January

9:30am

### Feria of Christmas Time

Memorial Mass of Peter Seery RIP

### Saturday 8th January

9:30am

### Feria of Christmas Time

William Aseervatham RIP

## SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD - 1ST JANUARY 2022

(Psalter Week 2)

Entrance Antiphon: *Hail, Holy Mother, who gave birth to the King who rules heaven and earth for ever.*

Communion Antiphon: *Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and for ever.*

## SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE NATIVITY - 2ND JANUARY 2022

(Psalter Week 2)

Entrance Antiphon: *When a profound silence covered all things and night was in the middle of its course, your all-powerful Word, O Lord, bounded from heaven's royal throne.*

Communion Antiphon: *To all who would accept him, he gave the power to become children of God.*