

St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 9 December 2018 – 2nd Week of Advent
Weekdays – Advent Week 2



Date	Service Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 8 Dec	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 9 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St M	People of the Parish
Monday 10 Dec	10.00am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St B	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> Fr Aelred Cunningham & McLaughlin Family Olive & Jack Richardson In Thanksgiving to Our Lady & St Martin Carrie Diamond </div>
Tuesday 11 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Wednesday 12 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Thursday 13 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Friday 14 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Saturday 15 Dec	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 16 Dec	10.00am – Mass – St M	People of the Parish

This Week's Rotas

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am – Vic Raby/Liz Goulding/Carol Pierce

Reader:

Sunday 10am – Catherine Mallard



Little Lambs:

Sunday 10am – Susan O'Neill/Lia Henry

Church Cleaners:

Peggy McClurry/Josephine Burns



Altar Supervisors:

Sunday 10am – Kay Savage

Please let a member of the Parish Council know if you would like to help in any way with our church community.



Fr Ed will hear Confessions as and when requested

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO'S ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Billy Atkinson, Jeffrey O'Fee, John Torrance, Vincent Scott, Margaret & Helen McClurry, Annie Pearson, Dora Blaney, Agnes Martin, Daniel Dickinson, Jonathan Campbell, Mary Shewall, Olive Richardson, Raymond Boyd, Moira Rudd

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE, AMEN



Rest In Peace

Your prayers please for the following who are sick:

Tracey McLaughlin, Margaret Atkinson, Sharon Burns, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Betty Burns, Tony Messenger, Father Aelred, Teresa Bone

Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need, Amen.





Sacred Heart Lamp

Will be lit week beginning 9th December for
Father Aelred
Spence & Tear Family
In Thanksgiving



Our Lady's Lamp

Will be lit week beginning 9th December for
Father Aelred
Doran & McKenzie Families
Ken & Jude Morgan

Father Aelred

We have been informed by Fr Aelred's family that he is in hospital seriously ill. Please pray for him and his family at this difficult time. At the family's request, no cards are to be sent at the moment.



Christmas Posters & Stickers

The Knights of St Columba have, once again, provided us with posters for our windows and stickers for your Christmas cards. They are on the table in the porch, please help yourself.

Christmas Flowers

Next week there will be a retiring collection for flowers for the Altar, if you would like to donate. Thank You.



Carol Service

St Peter's are holding their annual Carol Service next Sunday at 6pm. Please go along and join in as we journey through Advent.

Christmas Masses

Mass on Christmas Eve will be celebrated at St Benedict's at 5.30pm and on Christmas Day here at 10.00am. There will be no other Masses that week. Any Mass intentions for the week beginning 23 December will be brought forward to week beginning 16 December.



Parcels to Children in Syria

See Sheila Richardson TODAY if you would like to donate. Thank You.



Foodbank

This week's special needs are 1 litre UHT fruit juice, tinned sponge pudding, tinned tomatoes & coffee. Also, heading towards Christmas, selection boxes, Christmas puddings, mince pies, etc would be very welcome.

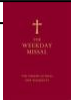


By donating to Foodbank this Christmas you would be fulfilling Bishop Paul's second request: to "alleviate suffering and hardship in any form."



Mass Book Dedications

Just a reminder about the Mass Books, if you would like to have a book dedicated to someone special just give me the name/s and £2 per book and we will have labels printed. Thank You.



Raffle Tickets

Please return your raffle tickets before next weekend so that we can get them all folded in time for the draw on Sunday 16 December after Mass. Post them through the Presbytery letterbox if you wish. Thank You.



Copies of the Catholic Voice are available in the porch, please take one home with you.



St Mary's CMS Club

Monday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
Tuesday 7.30 – Old Thyme Dancing
Wednesday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
Thursday 6.30 – Line Dancing
Friday 7.30-9.15 – Bingo

To hire the hall contact Billy Starkey on 61448

A man goes into a pub and does a triple hand-flip that turns into a double somersault and ends with a handstand on a bar stool. The barman is impressed. "I work for the circus", says the man, "we're setting up a show in the local park." Just then, another man enters the pub; he leaps forward and does a triple roll into the side of the bar, then does a reverse somersault. "Do you work for the circus as well?" asks the barman. "No," says the man, gasping for breath, "you're doormat's loose".



Thank you for your offerings last weekend that were as follows: Offertory: £330.20

Second collection last week for Diocesan Poor Missions Fund raised £47.40

No collection this week

Second collection next week for Christmas Flowers

Number attending last week: 78



PS I rang Gamblers Anonymous at 12pm yesterday, they told me to phone back at 20/1!!