

Holy Family Newsletter

34TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B

25th November 2018 The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe,



Hymn numbers
Entry 726 • All. 17 • Off 33
Holy 705 • Comm. S17 • Recess 84

PARISH FINANCE

Last week you gave	£246.23
Standing orders	£216.00
Total	£462.23
CAFOD Connect2	£10.00

First Holy Communion 2019 – we have our first meeting for parents on Thursday 6th December 7pm to 8.30pm at St Mary's School, Broadway. It is important to attend this meeting if you wish your child to make their First Communion next year. Application forms are available at the back of Church. Contact Fran Wickes fran@brightshark.co.uk

For Baptism – Speak to one of our clergy or contact our catechetical coordinator Fran Wickes Fran@brightshark.co.uk Tel: 07951 143648

Marriage Preparation programme for couples intending to marry in 2019. Tuesdays 29th January 2019, 5th and 12th February, 7.30pm to 9pm at St Mary's Parish Centre. Plus either Saturday 2nd March or Saturday 6th April 10am to 3pm. Couples who have already booked their weddings will be automatically registered for the programme. If you are considering getting married in 2019 please contact Fr Tim or Fran Wickes.

St. Mary's Retired Group – 28th November for Lunch at The Grouse & Claret, Rowsley. Visit Masson Mills - Matlock Bath. For more information contact Ken Barnes 01332 557042. All welcome.

Bible Lights Group – next meets on Friday 14th December 9.45am to 11.15am in Room 1 at St Mary's Parish Centre. Newcomers welcome. Contact Fran Wickes Tel: 07951 143648 or email Fran@brightshark.co.uk

Jesus youth – Had a stressful week? Feeling anxious or even joyful?..Jesus Youth invites all 18-35 for a small time of prayer and fellowship after Holy Mass at 6:30pm on every 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month in the Parish hall. Please contact Vivish Varghese (07475 897765) or Joel Sabu (07495299637) for more details. www.jesusyouth.co.uk

Caring Group Christmas Raffle – The Caring Group Christmas Raffle starts on Sunday 2nd December and will continue on Sunday 9th and tickets will still be available on the 16th when the draw will take place.

Project Arusha – At the back of church is the Project Arusha Newsletter which gives you an insight into the things which have been going on with the Project over the last few months. Please feel free to take a copy home with you.

Dates for your diary – A Christmas party at Holy Family on 23rd December 5-7pm. All children are welcome. Please sign up on the sheet on the notice board.

Children's Carol Service at Holy Family – 5pm on 24th December. Anyone who would like to get involved is very welcome. Please contact Justine (07878 274717) or Colette (07990 951652) for more details.

Mass for Sick and Housebound – Mass will be celebrated for the sick and housebound on Wednesday 5th December, 2.30pm at Holy Family Church. Transport to and from HF is available if required. Please contact Pauline on 824075 or Joan on 550275. Tea and light refreshments will be served after Mass.

Derby Nightshelter will be commencing for this coming winter on Saturday December 1st at Osmaston Road Baptist Church. The following night St Mary's Parish centre will begin hosting the guests for the Sunday Nightshelter. Deacon Chris will once again be asking for donations of two puddings per Sunday evening and a few tins of custard to go with the puddings. Please let Deacon Chris know either by email at c.blunt2@ntlworld.com or through the Parish Office if you can help.

Holy Family Caring Group – now hold only two fund raising events a year these being the Christmas and Easter raffles. As well as gifts for parishioners at special times of the year we aim to support other charities. Cheques have been sent to the following good causes. £100 has been sent to Derby Child Contact Centre, Derby Soup Run, Project Arusha. £50 cheques have been sent to The Padley Group, Nagpur Link, Derby Life Group. Thank you to all who donate to the Caring Group.

Advent Retreat Day – On Sat. 8th Dec. the Derby branch of the Nottm. Diocesan Spirituality Network invite you to a Retreat Day. Take a few hours out of your busy lives just for yourself and prepare for the Christmas Season. We welcome people from all the parishes in the Derby Deanery. At St. Alban's Parish Centre, Derby DE21 6ET, 10.15am to 3pm. Please bring your lunch, tea/coffee will be provided. Contact Ann Neale 07730 956156.

During Advent – there will be an opportunity to fulfil Bishop Patrick's request to consider our discipleship, with a series of Advent Reflections. These were inspired by Bishop Robert Baron during the recent Eucharistic conference, and are based on the first verse of a well-known carol. They will take place on Tues. evenings in Rm 1, St. Mary's PC at 7.30pm, beginning on 27 November. All welcome.

St. Mary's Christmas Fayre – is next Saturday 1st December at 10am – Everyone welcome. Please come along, enjoy the festivities while raising money for good causes. Thank you.

Derbyshire Community Male Voice Choir in Support of Derby Deanery Refugee Community and The Arusha Project – The Sound of Christmas A Christmas Concert at Holy Family Church on 8th December 7.30pm. Tickets £6 including refreshments, from members of the caring group or on the door. Please support this worthwhile cause.

Holy Family Sound System – A working party is to be set up to look at upgrading the sound system in the Church. Two companies have been asked to submit initial proposals and the suggested upgrade may cost around £4,000. If you have any interest, experience or expertise in Public Address Systems and could help with this project please contact David Martin (phone 07774 903416 or email dmartin460@aol.com) or have a word with him after Sunday mass.

Derby Hospitals Choir Christmas Concert in Derby Cathedral – Accompanied by the City of Derby Senior Brass band. Compere Mr. Richard Moulder. On Friday 7th December at 7.30pm. Tickets £15. Available online only, from Priorbooking.com Raising funds for the Royal Derby Hospital.

PPC Meeting 8th Nov. – The Minutes of the November PPC meeting are on the Notice Board

This week
Tea & Coffee
Ann Roberts & Cecilia Dodgson
Welcoming
Ann Roberts & Eileen Smith
Children's Liturgy
Pam
Gifts
Reilly Family
Eucharistic Ministry
Mary, Robert & Suzanne
Readers
1st P. Roberts
2nd A. Bloor
Bidding Prayers: K. Cheek
Counters
Joan & Derek

Next week
Tea & Coffee
Carole & Paul Houghton
Welcoming
Lis & David Martin
Children's Liturgy
Justine & Claire
Gifts
I Sobek
Eucharistic Ministry
Pauline, Kevin & Carole
Readers
1st M. O'Shaughnessy
2nd G. Martin
Bidding Prayers: C. Booth
Counters
Lis & David

St Mary's, Derby & Holy Family, Allestree

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe- Psalter Week II Saturday 24th November 2018 to Saturday 1st December 2018

Saturday 24th November Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs (Memorial)	Holy Family	Exposition & Comm.	9.00am	--
	St Mary's	Exposition	11.00am-11.55am	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	11.00am-11.55am	--
	St Mary's	Mass	12noon	Bernadette & Mick Hill RIP
	St Mary's	Wedding	1.30pm	Joanna Mahenthirlingham & George Dickin
	Christ the King	Mass	5.30pm	Teresa Brailsford & Family
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	St Mary's	No Confessions	5.45pm-6.15pm	--
	St Mary's	Mass	6.30pm	K.A. Joseph RIP
Sunday 25th November Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	St Mary's	Mass	9.00am	Peter Mason RIP
	Holy Family	Mass	9.30am	Bert Marks RIP
	St Mary's	Mass	11.00am	People of the Parish
	St Mary's	Mass	6.30pm	Billy Gleason RIP
Monday 26th November Feria	Holy Family	Rosary	8.40am	--
	Holy Family	No Mass	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	St Mary's	Exposition	12noon-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	12.15pm-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Mass	1.00pm	Carmen Andrew (Thanksgiving)
Tuesday 27th November Feria	Holy Family	Rosary	8.40am	--
	Holy Family	Mass	9.00am	Peter Fearon RIP
	St Mary's	Exposition	12noon-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	No Confessions	12.15pm-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	No Mass	1.00pm	Service of Word & Communion
Wednesday 28th November Feria	Holy Family	Rosary	8.40am	--
	Holy Family	No Mass	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	St Mary's	Exposition	12noon-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	12.15pm-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Mass	1.00pm	Baby Leo (Thanksgiving)
Thursday 29th November Feria	Convent	No Mass	8.00am	--
	Holy Family	Rosary	8.40am	--
	Holy Family	No Mass	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	St Mary's	Exposition	12noon-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	12.15pm-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Mass	1.00pm	Intention of Phil Mason
Friday 30th November Saint Andrew, Apostle, Patron of Scotland (Feast)	Convent	Mass	8.00am	Holy Souls
	Holy Family	Rosary	8.40am	--
	Holy Family	No Mass	9.00am	Service of Word & Communion
	St Mary's	Exposition	12noon-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	12.15pm-12.55pm	--
	St Mary's	Mass	1.00pm	Fr Michael Lynch RIP
Saturday 1st December Feria	Holy Family	Exposition & Comm.	9.00am	--
	St Mary's	Exposition	11.00am-11.55am	--
	St Mary's	Confessions	11.00am-11.55am	--
	St Mary's	Mass	12noon	Intentions of Mary & Harry Little
1st Sunday of Advent (C)	Christ the King	Mass	5.30pm	Nicola & Jessica Murphy RIP

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Messages from Right Reverend Patrick Joseph McKinney – Bishop of Nottingham

Diocese of Nottingham: Clare Dixon, the Head of CAFOD's Central American Programmes, and someone who is very knowledgeable about the legacy of Archbishop Oscar Romero in El Salvador, has kindly agreed to speak and to answer questions on this topic on **Monday 26th November at 7.30 p.m. – 9 p.m.** in the Becket Catholic Academy, The Becket Way, West Bridgford, Nottingham. NG2 7QY.

I warmly commend this initiative from Aid to the Church in Need, which has been a great success nationally these last two years. It is a campaign to stand up for faith and freedom. The date this year is **Wednesday, 28th November**. It is an important opportunity for Christians to stand together and shine a light on the challenging message of the right to religious freedom and the injustice of Christian persecution today. You can find some guidance on how to celebrate the day at the ACN UK website: <https://acnuk.org>

A Lay-Led national initiative has suggested that all priests offer a Mass on Sunday 2nd December for this intention, and that on **Friday 30th November** there be a Day of Prayer or some public devotions, in all parishes and religious houses for this same intention. I commend this initiative to you.

God, Love & Sex: Saturday 1st December, 10.30-4pm at the University of Nottingham. A one-day conference to explore how Pope St. John Paul II's landmark Theology of the Body can transform our lives. Organised by the Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Commission in association with the University of Nottingham Catholic Chaplaincy. Keynote speaker: Edmund Adamus + workshops on marriage, the Gospel of Life and same sex attraction. Cost is £10 (£5 unwaged/students). For more details and to book visit: <http://www.totbday.org.uk/>

The Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for December- Evangelization

In the Service of the Transmission of Faith- That people, who are involved in the service and transmission of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language suited to the conditions of the present time.

Today, Sunday 25th November is National Youth Day

Every blessing for the coming week to you, your families, and all visitors to either of our Churches, Canon Geoffrey, Fr Tim and Deacons Chris & Martin