

SACRAMENTS AND OTHER LITURGIES

St. John's: Exposition & Reconciliation

(Confession)

Infant Baptism
Weddings

Friday from 6.00-7.00 pm (with Benediction).
Saturday from 10.30-11.00 am.
1.00 pm on Sundays. By appointment only.
By appointment only. Six months' notice required.

St. Joseph's: Infant Baptism

Exposition
Exposition, Vespers & Benediction
Weddings

11.30 am on Sundays. By appointment only.
Wednesdays at 8.45 am.
Third Sunday of the month at 4.30 pm.
By appointment only. Six months' notice required.

St. Thomas's, Wroxton: Praying the Rosary

Fridays at 5.00 pm.



St. Chad's Sanctuary

We are currently collecting the following:

**Tinned foods & large bottles oil;
Holdalls, rucksacks, wheeled luggage;
Men's T-shirts, coats, jackets, socks.**



**Collections in the Dupuis Centre
On Sundays between 9.50-10.30am.**

**Please DO NOT bring items to the presbytery or
leave them at the back of church at other times.
Thank you for all of your ongoing support!**



ST. JOHN'S WEBCAM:

The Sunday 11.15am Mass is
streamed live every week.
The link is on the website.

Follow us on Twitter:

@StJohnBanbury

Pax Christi are very grateful for
used overseas stamps.
(There is a box at the
back of Church)

FINANCIAL MATTERS

St. John's

Non Gift Aided £ 642.55
Gift Aided £ 667.00
£ 1,309.55

St. Joseph's

Loose £ 226.46
Gift Aid £ 359.60
£ 586.06

Thank you.

The collection at all our Christmas Masses is your kind gift to the priests.

ST. JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

Winner: Pippa Charles No. 33 Amount: £16.00

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

God our Father, we praise you for the gift of the priesthood in your Church, and for the ministry of priests in service of your people. We thank you for the precious gift of your Son, received at the hands of your priests. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham under your protection. Be present in the hearts of all our priests. May their hearts burn with love for you. We pray that all priests experience the joy of the Gospel in their lives, and are constantly enriched by your Word.



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SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT ~ 23rd December 2018 ~ Psalter Week 4 ~ Year C

Sat	22	4.00 pm	Barbara Hole	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Sun	23	8.45 am	George, Kathleen & Fr John Bolland RIP	
		11.15 am	People of the Parish	

SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Mon	24	3.00 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Syro-Malabar Mass</i>
Christmas Eve		6.00 pm	Egon Winkler RIP	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
		11.30 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Vigil Carol Service</i>

Tues	25	Midnight	People of the Parish	
Christmas Day		8.45 am	Janina Galeza RIP	
		11.15 am	Edward Nosal RIP	
		3.15 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Polish Mass</i>

Wed	26	10.00 am	Lucy Mannion RIP	<i>Feast of St Stephen</i>
		3.15 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Polish Mass</i>

Thur	27	10.00 am	Sean Mangan RIP	<i>Feast of St John the Evangelist</i>
Sat	29	10.00 am	Peter & David Donnelly RIP	<i>Feast of St Thomas Becket</i>

SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT ~ 23rd December 2018 ~ Psalter Week 4 ~ Year C

Sun	23	10.00 am	Rita Pinfeld RIP	
		5.30 pm	People of the Parish	

Mon	24	9.30 am	Special Intention	
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SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Mon	24	5.00 pm	Frank & Cathie Alexander RIP	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Christmas Eve		10.30 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Vigil Carol Service</i>
		11.00 pm	People of the Parish	<i>Vigil Mass</i>

Tues	25	8.30 am	Holy Souls	<i>Wroxton, St Thomas</i>
Christmas Day		10.00 am	Marie Hughes RIP	

Fri	28	10.00 am	Special Intention	<i>Feast of the Holy Innocents</i>
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SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY ~ 30th December 2018 ~ Psalter Week 1 ~ Year C

Sat	29	4.00 pm	John Baker RIP	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Sun	30	8.45 am	Michael, Bridget & Molly Quinn RIP	
		11.15 am	People of the Parish	
		1.00 pm	Marco Parra; Alex Hernandez; Lena Ciemniowska	<i>Baptisms</i>
		3.15 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Polish Mass</i>
Tues	01	9.30 am	Suja Shaji	
Thur	03	9.30 am	Greta Lyng RIP	
Fri	04	11.00 am	Vera Cochrane	<i>Funeral Mass</i>
Sat	05	10.00 am	Akash Bernard Bangaru	

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD ~ 6th January 2019 ~ Psalter Week 2 ~ Year C

Sat	05	4.00 pm	Holy Souls	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Sun	06	8.45 am	People of the Parish	
		11.15 am	Sean Healy	
		2.15 pm	~ ~ ~	<i>Syro-Malabar Mass</i>

SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY ~ 30th December 2018 ~ Psalter Week 1 ~ Year C

Sun	30	10.00 am	People of the Parish
		5.30 pm	Kieron William Jordan RIP
Mon	31	9.30 am	Sean Garvey
Wed	02	9.30 am	Tito & Desy

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD ~ 6th January 2019 ~ Psalter Week 2 ~ Year C

Sun	06	8.30 am	People of the Parish	<i>Wroxton, St Thomas</i>
		10.00 am	Sr Eileen Casey RIP	
		5.30 pm	Guy Higgs & Bernadette North	

Please pray for the sick of our Parishes ...

Gilbert Allen, Audrey Anthistle, Bill & Cora Barnard, Douglas Bond, Oliver Boyles, Eileen Bristoll, Maxine Brookes, Carole Cooper, Ken Cullimore, Anne Dagger, Mary Dant, Oliver Davies, Joyce Goode, Betty Higgs, Catherine Ley, Tom Mannion, Bridget Mason, Susan Merridew, Christine Napier, Monica O'Brien, May Partyka, Trish & Derek Rossenrode, Eileen Shea, Peter Woodman.

FEAST OF ST STEPHEN: Change of venue - Please note that Mass on Wed 26 Dec will be held at St John's Church.



Oh Holy Night

Please pray for the dead ...

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently, particularly Vera Cochrane. Pray also for those whose anniversaries occur during this coming week:

- 23 Marie Woollam 2007; Patricia Alsworth 2003; Patrick Marron 1996; Terrence Byrne 1985
- 24 Arthur Wagstaff 2014; Ellen Steele 2004; Primrose Giles 1997; Annie Catton 1994; Margaret English 1987.
- 25 Brian Moore 2008; Miles Nolan 2006; Thomas Ahern 2000; George Hill 1995; Bernard Hutchings 1992; Dominic Tancred 1985
- 26 Rob Hoyle 2016; Robert & Lesley Forester 2015; John Carey 2004; Agnes Cox 1992; May Webb 1986
- 27 Kay Mawle 2011; Thomas O'Shaughnessy 2009
- 28 John Brennan 2003; Shirley Greasby 1998; John Pratley 1990
- 29 Mags Wise 2017; Annie Kearns 2005; Phyllis Brock 2004; James O'Carrol 2003; Mary Webb 2001; Robert McParlin 1998; Cedric Currion 1998; Amando Grossi 1998; Kathleen Bagwell 1990
- 30 Crescenzo Iannotta 2011; Stefania Sycz 2007; John Hayes 1996; Ellen Taylor 1984
- 31 Steve Boyd 2017; Emma Ewart 2012; Kathleen Lewis 2004; John Neville 2001
- 01 Maurice Walsh 2015; Billy Walsh 2015; Joseph Murphy 2002; Betty Bowden 2002; James Queen 2001; Stanislaw Napierkowski 1996
- 02 Ann Scott 2015; Michael Bergin 2008; Wlodzimierz Burak 2000; John O'Driscoll 1997; Kathleen Veriato 1991; Timothy Lehane 1989; Edith Price 1986; James Lyng 1986
- 03 Charles Schoales 2018; Vince Grossi 2015; Douglas Preece 2011; George Taylor 2000; Paul Brocklesby 1987
- 04 Greta Lyng 2018; Geoffrey Andrews 2009; Joseph Mangan 2008; Kevin Kiernan 2000; Josephine Rentema 1988
- 05 Terence O'Connor 2015; Henry Tustian 2005; Kate Heath 1996; Alice Egan 1994; Patrick McElhinney 1984

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

MERRY CHRISTMAS - Fr Richard and Fr Chris would like to wish all parishioners and their families a blessed and holy Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Fr Richard & Fr Chris

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION - The collection at all our Christmas Masses is your kind gift to the priests.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES will resume on Thurs 3 Jan at 4.15pm.

RCIA - The course for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults will resume on Thurs 3 Jan at 7.00pm.

ROSARY AT WROXTON will continue as normal during the Christmas season.

ST CHAD'S SANCTUARY - Sr Margaret would like to thank everyone for all the donations received during the year. Please don't bring new donations until after Christmas, as the Sanctuary is closed until after the New Year.

LUNCH CLUB - The next lunch club will be held on Mon 14 Jan. This date is now FULL. Please check that you are booked to attend particularly if you did not attend the December lunch club. We look forward to seeing you at 12.30pm.

EXPOSITION, VESPERS & BENEDICTION will now be held on the Third Sunday of the month at St Joseph's Church, with effect from January 2019.