

St Joseph's and St Patrick's

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THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

30th December 2018

Saturday	29 th	5.30 p.m.	Vigil	Heather Demaine (LD)
Sunday	30 th	9.00 a.m.	(St Patrick's)	People of the Parish
		10.30 a.m.	(St Joseph's)	John McEvaddy (LD)
Monday	31 st	9.00 a.m.	Weekday	Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Tuesday	1 st	7.30 p.m.	Solemnity of the Mother of God	Janet Nixon (10 th An) (St Joseph's)
Wednesday	2 nd	10.00 a.m.	Ss. Basil & Gregory Nazianzen	Sick & Housebound of the Parish
Thursday	3 rd	9.30 a.m.	Weekday (St Patrick's)	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Friday	4 th	9.00 a.m.	Weekday	" " " " "
Saturday	5 th	10.00 a.m.	Weekday	" " " " "
		5.30 p.m.	Vigil	Jim Mara (LD)
Sunday	6 th	9.00 a.m.	(St Patrick's)	People of the Parish
EPIPHANY		10.30 a.m.	(St Joseph's)	Canon John Murphy

**WISHING ALL OUR READERS AND WORSHIPPERS A VERY HAPPY,
HOLY AND HEALTHY NEW YEAR!**

Exposition: Thirty minutes before all weekday services and before Confessions.
Confessions: Saturday 4.45 – 5.15 p.m. with Fr Sharp.
Baptism: On Sunday at 12.00 noon we are baptising **Nora Marsden** and **Lucy Robinson**. We congratulate their parents
Evening Prayer: Tuesday 7.15 p.m. at St Joseph's

Prayer Trees – at both churches. Their purpose is for people to hang prayers/intentions on the branches and, at the end of each month, they will be included in the weekly intentions at the weekend Masses.

Catholic Papers: 'The Universe' for sale, price £1.30 – a reduction of 20p.

Leeds Diocesan Directories on sale £4.00. All you ever wanted to know and more!

Leeds Diocesan Review an interesting read and full of pictures!

Parish Diaries – available free of charge at the back of church. We have been given 60.

Living Faith Booklets: January to March (£1.50) with reflections for each day based on the Mass readings – available at the back of the church.

Next Luncheon Club will be on Thursday 10th January.

Income: You parted with £590. (Envelopes £447.87; Loose £142.13) Many thanks.

Annual Parish Statistics 2018: (Numbers in brackets are for 2017)

Baptisms: 11 (16); First Confessions/Holy Communions: 1 (20) – because the age has been increased from 8 to 9 years old. Confirmations: 17 (11) Funerals 12 (13) – average age of death was 85!! Marriages: 2 (2). AVERAGE MASS ATTENDANCE SEPT/OCT 234 (243)

The Food Bank: Going in to the New Year, the Food Bank is short of breakfast cereals, biscuits and tinned meat (e.g. Meatballs, chilli con carne, Irish stew). If you can help in any way, please put the donations in the boxes at the back of both churches.

SVP Meeting: The next meeting will be on Wednesday 9th January at 7.00 p.m. in the Centre. All welcome.

Reconciliation Year 3 Programme: (Please save these dates)

Session 1	Saturday	2 nd March)	
Session 2	“	9 th March)	These all take place at 4.00 p.m
Session 3	“	16 th March)	in the Community Centre
Session 4	“	23 rd March)	
Session 5	“	30 th March)	

200 Club : Christmas Draw

1st £100 – 121 2nd £50 – 14 3rd £40 – 163 4th £30 – 147 5th £20 – 38 6th £20 – 170
7th £20 – 91 8th £10 – 130 9th £10 - 11

Special Prayers

Lillian Price – Jennie Hendley – Jim Kelly – Bob Fletcher – Agnes Power – Stella & Stanley Bajkowski – Maggi (Peggy) Tullett – Mary Posiko – Margaret DeVito – Phyllis Kirrage – Brian Flaherty – Val Kaynell – Mark Hoare – Dale McLaughlin – Marie Keating – Eddie Murgatroyd – Max Hudson – Peter Catley – Stan Nelson – Paul Wood – Barbara Morrison – Brenda Thornley.

Please pray for these and for the comfort of anyone suffering in any way. Please also remember the recently deceased and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers for Next weekend 5th / 6th January

Readers:		Eucharistic Ministers	
5.30 p.m.	Judith Southern	5.30 p.m.	Kath Altham/Lisa Harrison
10.30 a.m.	Leanne Stewart Paul Gauntlett	10.30 a.m.	Martha Greenwood Paul Gauntlett

For Information:

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