

Masses at St George & St Teresa

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26TH DECEMBER – FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Sunday **8.45am** Helen E Johnson (MM)
10.30am People of the Parish

WEEKDAY SERVICES

27.12 Mon **9.15am** **St John, Apostle** Maureen Gallagher (Anniv) (JG)
28.12 Tue **9.15am** **Feast of the Holy Innocents** Mary Winifred Wilson RIP
29.12 Wed **10.00am** **St Thomas Becket** Tara Gallacher Int (JG)
30.12 Thu **9.15am** **6th Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord** Sick of the Parish
31.12 Fri **9.15am** **7th Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord** Webster family Int

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

Saturday **10am** People of the Parish
5.30pm Peter Taylerson RIP (ACM)

2ND JANUARY - SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE NATIVITY

Sunday **8.45am** Catherine & Denis Moroney RIP
10.30am Helen E Johnson RIP (MM)
12noon Baptism - MacKenzie

Confessions available by appointment – please phone the presbytery.

CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING

This week	D Burrell	S Chester	G Deadicoat
Next week	A Robinson	M Fitzpatrick	R Slater

READERS	5.30pm	8.45am	10.30am
This week	N/A	E Moroney Barnett	D Bixby
Next week	M O'Dwyer	V Chapman	M Heap

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS and COUNTERS

Not required

Parish Priest: Fr Robert Taylerson,

Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum
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Catholic Church
Dorrige
FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY
26th December 2021



FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY: The shepherds went in haste, and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying in a manger.

We wish you a blessed, healthy, joyful and happy Christmas
from Fr Rob, Fr Paul and Deacon Stephen.

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Christmas Eve 3pm, 5.30pm and 8pm
Christmas Day 8.45am and 10.30am
Sunday 26th Dec 8.45am and 10.30am



There is a booking system in place on the parish website.
This year, the crib offering will go to Aid to the Church in Need.

CHRISTMAS OFFERING: Envelopes for the traditional Christmas Offering to support your Priest, Fr Rob, are available in the Narthex this weekend. Fr Rob and Fr Paul are grateful for cards and gifts, but please note that neither drinks alcohol!

THE WEARING OF FACE MASKS is now a legal requirement in both in the Church and the Parish Centre (unless exempt). All Masses are open to the public. Please continue to use Track and Trace and sanitise hands on entry to the Church. We encourage you to maintain social distancing. There isn't a one-way system but please don't form a crowd on entry and exit. Please note our Bishops have not yet reinstated Sunday Mass obligation. Those whose health is vulnerable are welcome to continue with live stream. **Please join in the singing at Mass but do so whilst wearing a face mask.**

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE: The SVP would like to thank all parishioners for their great generosity in supporting this year's appeal. Over 130 Christmas gifts were delivered to the school and parishioners of St Vincent's in Nechells. From an SVP perspective, it is a great joy and privilege to be involved in such an initiative. Thank you for your continuing support and happy Christmas!

JOB VACANCY: The Governing Body of St Peter's Catholic Secondary School wish to appoint a headteacher from September 2022. For details, please see the Birmingham Diocesan Education Service Website www.bdes.org.uk

CHURCH CLEANING ROTA: Thank you to all the members of our Church Cleaning Team who keep our Church looking so clean and tidy. The rota for 2022 can be found in the Narthex.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM SYNOD 2021-2023: How is this “journeying together” happening today in your local Church? What steps does the Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our “journeying together?” Walking Together, A Handbook for the Synodal Journey is available to download on the Parish Website.

OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: School Admissions Consultation (20th Dec 2021 to 31st Jan 2022) – The Governors are consulting on admission arrangements for children joining the school from the 1st Sept 2023 onwards. There are no proposals to change the admissions policy but every seven years we are required to consult. Responses to be emailed to s79admissions@ol-wayside.solihull.sch.uk by 3.00 pm on Mon 31st Jan 2022. Please title email 'Admissions Consultation'. Alternatively, you can post to: Mrs J Duffy, Clerk to Governors c/o school address.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will take place on Wednesday morning between 9am and 10am.

READERS are asked to read at the microphone on the sanctuary steps either from your own missal or from a Parish Mass Book.

SACRED HEART MESSENGER: The January issue of the magazine is in the Narthex for those who subscribed in 2021.

SVP: If any parishioners face difficulties and need any help during the Coronavirus situation, and possible self-isolation, please contact the SVP. Please email svpstgt@btinternet.com

BAPTISMS: Parents seeking Baptism for children are welcome to collect an application form after any of the weekend Masses.

CAN YOU HELP SUPPORT REFUGEES ARRIVING IN SOLIHULL? Jasvinder Sandhu is coordinating the refugee support in Solihull and has advised that the following items/needs are a priority:

Clothing: Men's toiletries including shaving foam and razors, Men's underwear (new), Men's shoes sizes 7 – 12, Coats and jackets, Vest

Transport: Bicycles, Helmets, Locks, High vis jackets

Electrical: Mobile phones, Laptops and tablets, DVD players and DVDs, Projector and screen, Games consoles and games

If you are able to assist with the donation of any of the above items please do get in touch with Jasvinder Sandhu by email jasvinder.sandhu@solihull.gov.uk

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Fri 31 st	AA	Hall	19.30 – 22.00
<i>It is important that users of the Parish Centre arrange bookings (and payments for non-Parish Events) through Oksana Zurak 07967-846 963 or oksanazurak@gmail.com</i>			



Your Prayers are asked

For those who are Sick: Dorothy Perkins, Michael Grosvenor, Angela Robinson, Tony Burdett, Fred Slater, Jill Baynham, Ruth Thornton, Alan Couch, Rita MacDonald. *Let us also remember those who care for them.*

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years: Gwendoline Kennedy, Chris Glynn, Shirley Betty Miller, Anne Smith, Maureen Gallagher.

Recently Deceased:

OFFERTORY: 19.12.21

Envelopes £317

Plate £93

Average weekly offering via standing order and online banking - £680