

Masses at St George & St Teresa

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8th JANUARY – FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Saturday	5.30pm	Roland & Margaret Taylor RIP (T&J T)
Sunday	8.45am	Margaret Griffiths (VC)
	10.30am	People of the Parish

WEEKDAY SERVICES

9.1 Mon	10am	Feria Anessa Kadow Int (LG)
10.1 Tue	10am	Feria Rena Murray RIP (JM)
11.1 Wed	10am	Feria Private Int (MP)
12.1 Thu	11am	Funeral Kathleen Bourke
13.1 Fri	10am	Feria Jo Facchino (HB)
14.1 Sat	10am	Feria Joan Facchino (HB)

15th JANUARY – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	5.30pm	Betty Bailey RIP (A&C K)
Sunday	8.45am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Anise O'Donovan RIP (SF)

Confession – Saturday 9.15am – 9.45am
Rosary – Monday- Saturday 9.35am
Divine Mercy Chaplet – Friday after Mass

CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING

This week	M Wilkes	P Wilkes	
Next week	D Morgan	P Hogan	D Hawker

READERS

	5.30pm	8.45am	10.30am
This week	J Musgrave	G Seymour	M Heap
Next week	N Damms	G O'Gara	C Loughran

TEA & COFFEE

	5.30pm	8.45am	10.30am
This week	T & J Taylor	M & S Worrell	D Morgan M Harris

Parish Priest: Fr John Cross

Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum
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Catholic Church
Dorridge
**FEAST OF THE BAPTISM
OF THE LORD**
8th January 2023



Dear Parishioners

I never feel I quite know where I am when we have a Bank Holiday or a Holy Day of Obligation in the same week. Last week we had both so I am looking forward to a “clear” week and a clear head!

The liturgy of the Mass reverts to the weekdays and Sundays in Ordinary Time after this weekend of the Baptism of the Lord. Weekdays are now the first week in Ordinary Time with readings from Year 1. Sundays in Ordinary Time begin next weekend with the readings from Year A. I note that this parish has all the Sunday Missals available for the readings. If you have a few moments after Mass during your Thanksgiving it would be good to look at the readings for the following weekend.

I would like to have a meeting of Eucharistic Ministers to assist on Sundays and to visit the sick. Saturday 28th at 2pm at the Church if you are free. There was a list of about 15 signatories in the sacristy when I first arrived.

Our new acting Headteacher is Mrs Krystyna Bickley. She has asked to bring one class to Mass on a Tuesday morning when we are free. The parents will also be invited to attend. This Tuesday Year 6 are coming to church (weather permitting).

Ever blessing
Fr John

THE CHOSEN: We are showing “The Chosen” at St Augustine’s Church every Thursday at 7-30 pm all are welcome.

COFFEE AND TEA AFTER MASS: Coffee and Tea will be served after all Masses this weekend. Do come and join us in the Parish Centre.

CATHOLIC HERALD: There are a few copies of the latest issue of the Catholic Herald available in the Narthex.

SELF-EMPLOYED CLEANER: Columban Missionaries Britain are seeking a self-employed cleaner for Saint Columban's office in Solihull. You will be expected to do a weekly clean on Saturday mornings. Detailed tasks and responsibilities will be discussed in due time. This is a long-term arrangement, and you will report to the Mission Office Administrator, and you will meet with them when needed to plan the work required and to monitor progress. For more details about this arrangement, please contact or email the HR Advisor at 07562657382 or hr@columbans.co.uk

THE CHRISTMAS CRIB STOCKING COLLECTION this year will be supporting the needs of the Ukrainian refugees.

CHURCH CLEANERS are needed to help to keep our church tidy and presentable, it takes about an hour perhaps a family might consider joining the volunteers. We also need someone to take on the task of organising the rota.

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Mon 9 th	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 20.00
Tue 10 th	Rock Choir	Hall	9.30 – 12.30
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.30 – 15.00
	HeadStart Tuition	Conf Room	15.30 – 18.30
Wed 11 th	Rhythm Time	Hall	9.00 – 12.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 – 16.00
	SVP	Hall	14.00 – 15.00
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 19.00
Thurs 12 th	Language Classes	Conf Room	13.30 – 15.00
	Scanlan Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00
Fri 13 th	Amy Price Step Class	Hall	10.00 – 11.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 – 17.00
	Kickboxing	Hall	16.15 – 17.45
	AA	Conf Room	18.30 – 20.30
Sun 15 th	Foodbank & Children's Liturgy	Hall	9.30 – 12.30
<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, Tony Burdett, Jill Baynham, Des Bentley, Rita Salloway, Leo Hughes, Bob Service and Jaxon Rochford, Tessa Waters.
Let us also remember those who care for them.

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years. Dennis O'Keeffe, Margaret Igoe, Pauline Murphy, Rita McDonnell.

Recently Deceased:

Pope Benedict

Fr Anthony de Vere

Kathleen Burke - her funeral will take place on 12th January at 11am.

Anise O'Donovan - her funeral will take place on 17th January at 11am.

OFFERTORY: 1.1.23

Envelopes £384

Plate £293

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