

Newsletter for the Parishes of **St John Vianney & St Thomas Becket**

Third Sunday Of Advent Yr. A 11th December 2022

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PLEASE PRAY FOR ~ Marie Halpin, Paul O'Connor, Peter McDonald, Anneke Leeuw & Mary Jane Heron who have died recently.

ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICES ~ In preparation for the great feast of Christmas will take place at St Bede's this coming Thursday & at St Wilfrid's on Thursday 22nd Dec. St. Thomas' will also have a Reconciliation Service this Tuesday. All the above services will begin at 7.00pm. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also available each Saturday at St Wilfrid's 11.00 – 11.50am., and on request.

A CHRISTMAS TABLE ~ With lots of goodies, will be held today (Sunday) after the 11.15am Mass at St Bede's. A similar 'Table' will be held at St Wilfrid's next Sunday after the 9.15am Mass during which, the Parish Raffle will be drawn. Thanks for your support.

THE BOSTOCK SINGERS ~ Will be performing at St. Wilfrid's Church this Tuesday 7.30pm. £8 on the door. Proceeds to Christie Hospital. All Welcome.

MIDCHESHIRE FOODBANK ~ Are in the process of making up Christmas food parcels for the needy this Christmas. Thank you for your on-going support. Food can be left at the back of church.

ST. THOMAS BECKET PARISH ~ "Would you be willing to reach out to call or visit people who are isolated in our parish? Do you know someone who is isolated for one reason or another? Social connections are the fabric of our communities. They enable all those day-to-day interactions that provide us with a sense of belonging. If you would like to be involved either in reaching out to visit, call or organise activities, or, if you or someone you know is experiencing social isolation please get in touch. We hope to get things up and running early in the new year. If you would like to be involved, or would like to find out more, please drop Katherine or Frances a line, either using the emails below or alternatively do talk to us after mass." katherine@spurstow.com / frances.mcauley@icloud.com

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES 11th-18th December

5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Doreen Gilbert
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Parishioners
9.15am	<i>St. Wilfrid's</i>	Danny Brady / Albert Rowbottom/ Bridget & Dermot O'Brien
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Holy Souls
4.00pm – 5.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Hour
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Paul O'Connor

MONDAY

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Nancy Dickson
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	SVP Intention

TUESDAY

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	St. Lucy Margaret & Herbert Berry
11.00 – 11.55am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Advent Holy Hour
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Seema McDonald

WEDNESDAY

11.00 – 11.55am	<i>Our Lady's</i>	St John Of The Cross Advent Holy Hour
12.00pm	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Edith Maddock

THURSDAY

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Mary Burke / Juliana & Jacob Maia
12.00pm	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Mary Clarke
7.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Reconciliation Service</i>

FRIDAY

6.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Priest's Int.
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Chris Burke
1.15pm*	<i>St Bede's</i>	Simonne & Josef Segers-De Graef

SATURDAY

11.00am – 11.55am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Hour with the Sacrament of Reconciliation
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	David, Sarah & John Boylan
5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Marie Halpin
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Peter McDonald

SUNDAY

	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
9.15am	<i>St. Wilfrid's</i>	Kathleen Clarke
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Tymon & McHugh Families
4.00pm – 5.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Hour
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners

OUR PARISH SCHOOLS ~ Will be closing the Term this week with various Celebrations. St Bede's will be coming to church on Monday at 2.00pm for an Advent/Christmas Service and again on Friday for Mass (1.15pm). St Nicholas' have two School Masses on Wednesday morning and St Wilfrid's will be coming to church on Friday at 11.30am for an Advent/Christmas Service.

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

St Bede's ~ 5.00pm & 7.00pm *Christmas Eve* / 11.00am *Christmas Day*
 St Wilfrid's ~ 5.30pm & 11.30pm *Christmas Eve* / 9.15am & 11.15am *Christmas Day*
 Our Lady's ~ 8.00pm *Christmas Eve*
 St Thomas Becket ~ 5.30pm *Christmas Eve* / 11.00am *Christmas Day*

CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH

This year we plan to open up St Wilfrid's Hall if anyone would like to come together for Christmas Day Lunch. All are welcome. The menu depends on the numbers that sign up. Please contact us this weekend, if you would like to join us, so we can begin peeling the spuds!

DECEMBER 200 CLUB WINNERS ~ 1st Rosalind Allison-Calvert, 2nd Ray Connolly

CHRISTMAS CARDS ~ Are still available at St Bede's or by calling Terry: 854454.

FINANCE ~ Thank you for last Sunday's Collection: £1160.67