

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

The Thirty Second Sunday Year A **12th November 2023**

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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY



O God of truth and justice, we hold before you those whose memory we cherish, and those whose names we will never know. Help us to lift our eyes above the torment of this broken world, and grant us the grace to pray for those who wish us harm. As we honour the past, may we put our faith in your future; for you are the source of life and hope, now and for ever.

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FIRST COMMUNION ~ If your child attends a non Catholic school and is due to celebrate their First Holy Communion, please email the Parish Office, or speak to a member of the clergy.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES ~ A fantastic 191 boxes have been collected!
Thank you for your great generosity.

ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CRISIS ~ Cafod, who have worked for many years in both Israel and the occupied Palestinian territory with partners who are Christian, Jewish, Muslim and secular, have set up an Emergency Appeal to help the suffering. Donations can be handed into church or go to: www.cafod.org.uk

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES 12th - 19th November 2023

5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Agnes & Eric Gordon
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Michael Walker
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	David Harrison Snr
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Kathleen Rimmer
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners
<u>MONDAY</u>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Joseph Loulie
<u>TUESDAY</u>		
12.00pm	<i>Our Lady's</i>	<i>Service of Word & Communion</i>
6.00 – 6.55pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
7.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Margaret White
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Souls
<u>THURSDAY</u>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Pauline & George Wilcox
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Shaun McAteer
<u>FRIDAY</u>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Saro, Nella, Emanuele & Lucia Goodcore
11.00am	<i>Our Lady's</i>	<i>Requiem</i> ~ Collette Thorp
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Dot Jones
<u>SATURDAY</u>		
11.00 – 11.50am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Patricia Carney
5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Parishioners / Theresa Merrin
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Brown Family
<u>SUNDAY</u>		
	<i>33rd SUNDAY YEAR A</i>	
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Rita Williams
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Lynne & Jim Rafferty Int.
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Souls

PLEASE PRAY FOR ~ John Doyle, Charles Nugent, Theresa Merrin, Terry Swales, Collette Thorp, Dorothy Barnett, Joseph Wilcox and all who have died recently. *Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord.*

CHRISTMAS CARDS ~ In aid of *Aid to the Church In Need*. Terry will be at St Bede's this weekend. Cards are also available at Our Lady's after Masses.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2024 ~ Coach departing on Thurs 25th July and returning on Friday 2nd August. No overnight travel. For further details please contact Ray Harrison 07484157355.

A YOUTH GATHERING ~ (7 – 13 yrs) will take place at St Wilfrid's Hall on the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday 26th November. 6.30pm. Come and join us for pizza and prayer. RSVP to Parish Office. £3 recommended donation to cover costs.

A NIGHT FOR YOUTH ~ Is also taking place at St Wilfrid's Hall on Wednesday 6th December. This event, which is being run by the Diocesan Youth Team, is a Celebration of Advent, a preparation for Christmas. All Young People are warmly invited. Contact the Parish Office for further details.

A MUSICAL NIGHT ~ In aid of the SVP will be held at St Bede's on Tuesday 28th Nov. 6.00pm. Would you like to participate? Contact Jess Marshall 07463749760. Raffle and refreshments. Come and join us, for what will be a great evening!

THE 'LADIES FELLOWSHIP' ~ Will be gathering on Saturday 18th Nov. 9:30am – 11:00am in St Wilfrid's Hall. All welcome.

KNEELERS ~ Thanks to all who have expressed an interest in helping to re-upholster St Wilfrid's tattered kneelers. There will be a meeting next Saturday, after the Middy Mass, to discuss tactics!

PARISH SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

RACE NIGHT ~ This coming Friday in St Wilfrid's Hall. Doors open at 6pm & the first race is at 6.30pm. £1 entry. Come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TRIP TO LIVERPOOL ~ Thursday 7th December. £13

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE ~ No Christmas fayre this year, so we will have to make an extra effort with our raffle. Tickets will be on sale in the coming days. Any donations of prizes would be greatly received.

For details of the above activities contact Anne 07484879693.

CARITAS BOXES ~ Are now due to be emptied. Please bring the contents to church. Thanks.

200 CLUB NOVEMBER WINNERS ~ Congratulations to: John Kerrigan & Patrick Canniffe.

PARISH FINANCE ~ Sunday Collection £ 979.39. Thank you for your generosity.