



**LITURGY**

**First reading:** Jeremiah 33:14-16

**Response to the Psalm:** To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul

**Second reading:** Thessalonians 3:12-4:2

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, Alleluia! Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help . Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



**Church Rotas**

Masses	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
5.00pm Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	Mary Flynn & Helen Woodhouse	Anna Charles
10.30am Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Gemma Holdsworth	Tracy Volante & Tony Pearce
5.00 pm Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>???????</b>	Kathleen Cotterell-Lamb & Pat Smith
10.30am Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Pat Mitchell	Clive Rickhards

**Coffee Rota**

2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Tracy & Neil Volante
9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Lin Rea

**Children's Liturgy Rota**

2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Gemma and Catherine
9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Gemma and Catherine

**Parish Safeguarding Representative:- Gemma Holdsworth**

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**This parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham and served by the Benedictine Monks of Douai Abbey**

Parish Priest: Fr. Benedict Thompson O.S.B



**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent Year ( C )  
Week commencing Sunday 2nd December 2018**

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### Masses

Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	5.00pm	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent Year (C)</b>	Fr. Petrock Howell RIP
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	10.30am	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent Year (C)</b>	People of the Parish
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec			
Tue 4 <sup>th</sup> Dec			
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec			
Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10.00am	<b>SCHOOL MASS IN CHURCH</b>	
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec			
Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	5.00pm	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent Year (C)</b>	Paul Bunn RIP
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10.30am	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent Year (C)</b>	Deceased Members of the EBC

**Collection weekend 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> November was £. Many Thanks**

**Those Who Have Asked for Prayers:** Doleen Evans, Faith Lyons, Steve Smith, Jane-Christina Thomson, Joan Smith, Derek Sollis, Michael Hall, Christopher Hurd, Edward O'Neill, Michael Smith, Barbara Wall, Pamela Young, Mick Sollis, Margaret Birkett, Nell Bridge, Annie McHugh, Georgette Cowell, Dolores Flynn, Carol Shuck, Tony Lyons, Jackie Ingrams, Charles Maries, Brian Arthur, Michelle Norton, Melvin Probyn

**Those who have recently died:**

Jennifer Harvey, Anne Nora Finnegan, Mary Hadley, Barbara Flowers, Gerald Clarke, Alma Clarke, Eric George Dunton, Jill Smith, Paula Brookes, Jean McCarthy, Joe Brennan, Paul Bunn, Richard Flynn, Denis Charlton.

## **PARISH EVENTS**

**TEA/COFFEE IS SERVED IN THE CONSERVATORY AFTER THE 10.30 AM MASS. *Please join us.***

### **Work to the Sacristy Roof.**

Work will soon start on the repairs needed to the sacristy roof. The scaffolding required to do this work is already in place. Please do not park your cars near the scaffolding as the church can take no responsibility for any damage caused to your vehicle. Could you also please make sure that children are supervised at all times.

Many thanks!

### **GDPR**

Please could all ministers, readers, children's liturgy volunteers, cleaners and coffee rota volunteers please complete and return their **GDPR forms** as soon as possible as we urgently need your permission before we can print rotas, display rotas or put them on the web site. If you haven't been given a form please take one from the back of the church and complete it as soon as possible. Many thanks.

### **Missio**

Thank you to all Missio Red Box holders for your generous donations this year. We raised £649.85. There are Missio Calendars at the back of church for anybody who would like one.

### **Servers at Mass**

We are looking for some new volunteers to our server's rota. If any of our young people, who have made their First Holy Communion, would like to train to be a server at Mass please could you ask your parents to speak to Fr. Benedict. Everything you need and your training is provided by us, including your servers alb. We look forward to hearing from you.

### **Volunteers**

We are looking for a couple of people to volunteer as readers at Mass on Saturday and Sunday also for a couple of people to volunteer for church cleaning and to help with children's liturgy on Sundays. Please speak to Fr. Benedict if you feel you can spare the time. Many thanks.