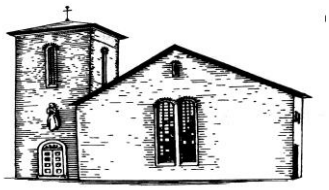
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Sunday 21st December 2025
Fourth Sunday of Advent

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 21st December
Brendan Courtney RIP **9 am**
Andre Foster-Jack RIP **11 am**

Monday 22nd December **10 am**
Breda King RIP
Confessions from 10.30 – 11 am

Tuesday 23rd December **No Mass**

Christmas Eve
Wednesday 24th December
Doff Landi INTS **10 am**
Confessions from 10.30 – 11 am

Eileen Storan RIP **5 pm**
Carols **8 pm**
People of the Parish **8.30 pm**

Christmas Day
Thursday 25th December
Rena Ryan INTS **9 am**
People of the Parish **11 am**

Friday 26th December **No Mass**

Saturday 27th December **6 pm**
Mick Gallagher RIP
Sunday 28th December
Daniel O'Brien RIP **9 am**
Ena Cummins RIP **11 am**
Donor's Intention

Monday 29th – Friday 3rd January
No Masses

Saturday 4th January **6 pm**
Brendan Keyes RIP
Sunday 5th January
Laurie Symonds RIP **9 am**
John Lawrence RIP **11 am**

Confessions
Saturday 4th January **10.30- 11 am**

OUR NEW ARCHBISHOP
Bishop Richard Moth, of the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton has been appointed by Pope Leo as the new Archbishop of Westminster. We warmly congratulate him and welcome him to his new home. We pray that the Lord will continue to bless and guide him in his new role. He will be installed on Saturday, 14th February at the Cathedral.

We also pray for Cardinal Vincent – we thank him for his dedicated service and wish him well for the future.

PARISH OFFICE OVER CHRISTMAS
The Office will be closed on Tuesday 30th – Wednesday 31st December, and Friday, 2nd January as well as for the Bank Holidays.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN SOCIETY
The collection at the Crib this year will be for the CCS. www.cathchild.org.uk for more information about the charity.

NEWSLETTER
There will be no newsletter next Sunday, 27th December, or the following, 4th January.

THE FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY
Tuesday, 6th January is a Holy Day of Obligation, and Mass will be at 10 am and 7 pm.

FIRST COMMUNION COURSE
The next session is Sunday, 11th January at 9.30 am in the Parish Hall. Please be on time!

PRAYER FOR THE FOURTH WEEK OF ADVENT

Heavenly Father,
Look upon us with love,
and fill us with the Spirit of Jesus.
Help us to love you, and protect us
during this week as we await
the coming of Our Lord.
We ask this grace in the name of
Jesus our Lord. AMEN

FR MATTHEW SAYS THANK YOU….

To all our lovely volunteers who work very hard keeping the parish going! Those who help in the Sacristy, the flower team, readers and eucharistic ministers, collectors and counters. The choir and musicians, catechists, cleaners, the Knights, the SVP and the Justice and Peace groups.

He also thanks the Parish Council and the Finance Team, and anyone else who helps the parish in any way!

JUSTICE AND PEACE NEWS
A big thank you from all at the Justice and Peace team. This month we have made two trips to the food bank. You have donated over 300 hats. The adult hats will go to The Passage, the baby and children's hats will go to the Salvation Army. We hope to display some of the hats in church. Thank you again for your support this year.
Happy Christmas from The Justice and Peace Team

Fr Matthew and the Parish Team wish you all a very Happy and Holy Christmas, and a Prosperous New Year!

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