

St. Patrick's Church

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24 th December 2023				4 th SUNDAY OF ADVENT (Year B)	
Sun	24 th	10:30 am	Mary Maughan 'I'	8:00 pm CHRISTMAS EVE MASS	Teddy Morton 'A'
Mon	25 th	10:30 am	ONE MORNING MASS	Pat Stokes, Gerard McDonagh 'A'. John, Kate, Edward, Bridie, Will, & Pat McDonagh.	Tommy Donovan 'A'.
Tue	26 th	9:30 am	No Service		
Wed	27 th	9:30 am	No Service		
Thur	28 th	9:30 am	No Service		
Fri	29 th	9:30 am	No Service		
Sat	30 th	6:30 pm	NO SERVICE		
Sun	31 st	10:30 am	ONE MORNING MASS		
Mon.	1 st	10:30 am	ONE MORNING MASS		

Quite a number of our parishioners, relatives and friends, are ill at home or in hospital; Margaret English, Paul Mc Donagh, Hilda Antelo, Regina Makho, Oscar Pineda, Ricardo Andre Leite Marquez, Alex Fernandes, Maura Fitzpatrick, Maria, Francis Mc Ginley, Ronan Mc Donagh, Kimberly Barrett. Let us keep them in our thoughts and prayers.

Last Sundays Collection: £450 many thanks.

Date	Time	Reader
Saturday	30 th 6:30 pm	NO MASS
Sunday	31 st 10:30 am	John Roche
Monday	1 st 10:30 am	Kennedy Assoumou

CHRISTMAS COLLECTIONS: There will be two Collections at all the Masses.

The normal offertory collection. And Second Collection: Christmas collection for priest of parish

Next Monday the first of January is the feast of Mary Mother of God: On this day we celebrate her 'Yes' to God. A yes that brought God made flesh as one of us in the person of Jesus of Nazareth. **And so we feel God's Pleasure. God delights in the human race – yes us; weak, faltering, faulty, disobedient - as we often are.** Throughout the coming New Year, let our New Year resolution be 'Yes' to life and love. And we pray that it may be deepen and strengthen by Mary's yes, and let us delight in God's delight in us! **Over the past year I have been blessed with your kindness, generosity of time and talents, your good wishes and not least your good humour. Thank you for those gifts and let us look forward to 2024 with Faith, Hope and Love. To each and all a Peaceful and Happy New Year. Fr. Patrick.**

January Edition of Day by Day Booklets is available from the table in the church lobby. Also available in the church porch are the **Westminster Diocesan Year Books**. A snip at £5



Please note Times of Services over the Christmas period.

Christmas Eve: First Mass of Christmas 8.00pm.

(Glass of mulled wine and warm Mince pies afterwards!)

Monday 25th Christmas Day: Mass at 10:30 am.

(no weekday masses 26th – 30th December Tuesday - Saturday)

Saturday 30th No Evening Mass.

Sunday 31st New Year's Eve: Mass at 10:30am ONLY.

Monday 1st January: New Year's Day.

(Mary Mother of God): Mass at 10:30am.

(no weekday masses 2nd – 5th January that's Tuesday - Friday)

MERRY
Christmas