

ST VINCENT'S PARISH SHEFFIELD
18th December 2022

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Week 4 of the Psalter

Catholic Chaplain urgent call: NGH: [2434343](tel:2434343). Hallamshire Hosp: [2711900](tel:2711900). Ask for the Catholic Priest Chaplain on duty (day or night)

Anniversaries: Ella Yusif (18/12/), Mary Lynch (19/12/20), Imelda Feely (19/12/98), James Joseph Reilly (20/12/48), George Trevor Adams (21/12/90), Alex Hodgkinson (21/12/93), Alex Havenhand (21/12/93), Christina Baker (22/12/20), Canon David Ryan (22/12/02), Tricia Crehan (23/12/19), Lily Saccomando (23/12/07), Alice Hobson (23/12/89), Joe O'Sullivan (23/12/19), Edward Gaughan (23/12/97), Edward Finnigan (24/12/48), Robert Burns (24/12/80), John Vincent Messenger (24/12/86), (Adolf) Josef Mattli (24/12/81), Winifred Hobson (24/12/96), Charlotte Parkin (24/12/97). **R.I.P.**

Lately Dead: Susan Paterson, Fr Michael Dunne - Parish Priest of St Vincent's (1986-1989) **R.I.P.**

St Vincent De Paul Society: If anyone in the parish would like assistance with anything, please ring the Presbytery on 0114 2680716.

Offertory Collection baskets. As you enter or leave the church please don't forget to drop into the basket your Offertory envelope or loose cash. There will be two baskets at the back with '**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**' written on them. Alternatively, you can set up a Standing Order. Thanks.

Presentation of gifts: The two people bringing up the Bread and Wine need to be ready immediately after the Bidding Prayers and they will lead the procession up the church with the children following. Thank you.

St. Wilfrid's Centre for the homeless and vulnerable: St Vincent's parish always used to donate tins of peas, sweetcorn and carrots to St Wilfrid's Centre on a weekly basis. Please can you restart donating as we are giving out so many more emergency food parcels since the summer? Tins of potatoes and tins of casseroles also needed. No pasta or baked beans please. Please leave in yellow box in the narthex. See also website: www.stwilfridscentre.org

Live Simply Tip of the Week: Try to avoid glitter – always popular in the Christmas season. Most glitter products are made from plastic, which contributes to the growing problem of microplastics in the environment. Microplastics are consumed by plankton, fish, and birds, and have a detrimental impact. Animals often die because of the build-up in their system.

The collection at the Christmas masses is for the priest. So on this one occasion we will pass round the baskets after the Bidding Prayers because standing Orders at Christmas are paid into the Parish Account like any other Sunday.

Notre Dame Advent Service: This Service will take place here At St Vincent's this Tuesday evening at 7pm in Church followed by drinks and mince pies in the hall.

Practice with children for the 5pm Mass on Christmas Eve is at 10am Christmas Eve morning.

Please pray for the sick: Fr Bill Bergin, Andrew Livingston, Alison, Veronica Sowerby, Debbie, Felix, Liz Moran, Mary Doherty, Lee Reilly, David Baker, Maura O'Hara, Terry Finn, Johnathan Elbel, Valerie Ashforth, Pat Lintott (O'Connor), Hugh Lafferty, Anne Bright, Goretti Bradshaw, Marie Vintin, Elizabeth O'Rourke, Alexander Yarmolouich, Fr Jim Shryane, Fr Michael O'Connor, Minnie Sandiford, Anna Lanera, Paddy and Tom McGrath, Andrew Booth, Rebecca Smith. **Grant them, O Lord, your healing and peace.**

SUN 9.30am 6.00pm	Fourth Sunday of Advent (Year A) <i>Nasra Yusif (anniversary)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>
Mon 9.30am	Advent Weekday <i>November Dead List</i>
TUE 9.30am	Advent Weekday <i>Mia (intention)</i>
WED 7.00pm	Advent Weekday / St Peter Canisius, priest <i>The Perera family</i> Confessions 7.30pm - 8.30pm
Thurs 9.30am	Advent Weekday <i>Christina Baker (anniversary)</i>
FRI 9.30am	Advent Weekday / St John of Kenty, priest <i>Lily Saccomando (anniversary)</i>
SAT 10.00am 5.00pm 7.00pm	Christmas Eve - Solemnity Confessions 10am-11am or longer if needed <i>The children of the Parish</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>
SUN 9.30am	Christmas Day - Solemnity <i>Pat McNally (recently deceased)</i>

Collection for the 11th of December was £179.08.

This collection is low due to the Bad Weather (Snow).

Sunday Offerings: This may be a good time to make your offering by STANDING ORDER. The form you need is on our website. You can print it off. Our bank details are:
HSBC UK, 49-63 Fargate, Sheffield. South Yorkshire. S1 2HD
Name of Account: DIOCESE OF HALLAM ST VINCENT OF PAUL.
Sort Code: 40-41-07
Account No: 81095099

St. Vincent's warm space: It is proposed to open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, 12-2pm, during January and February '23, offering hot drinks and snacks. Starting Wednesday, January 4th. Queries and offers of help to Nicole Jones [07946712776](tel:07946712776)

There will be an Advent Taizé service from 7:30pm to 8:30pm on Wednesday 21st December at St Francis of Assisi, Crosspool. All are welcome to this mixture of music, prayer, readings and reflection, which is an opportunity to find some sacred space to remember and re-focus upon the object of our advent preparations: the Incarnation.

Mass on Wednesday: Please take note that the Mass on Wednesday this week is at 7pm followed by confessions for an hour.