St Joseph's Catholic Church

Doncaster Road, Wath upon Dearne, Rotherham, S63 7AA

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St Joseph's Catholic Church

Green Lane, Rawmarsh, Rotherham, S62 6JY

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26th December 2021

Psalter Week 1

SUN 26th – The Holy Family (Feast) (Year C)

9.15am Mass at Rawmarsh – People of the Parish 11.15am Mass at Wath – Fr. Martin Trask (INT)

MON 27th - St. John (Feast)

No Mass

TUES 28th - The Holy Innocents (Feast)

No Mass

WED 29th – St. Thomas of Canterbury (Feast)

No Mass

THURS 30th – 6th Day of the Octave Of Christmas No Mass

FRI 31st – 7th Day of the Octave Of Christmas

No Mass <u>SAT 1st – Mary, Holy Mother of God (Solemnity)</u> No morning Mass

Psalter Week 2

SUN 2nd – 2nd Sunday after Christmas (Year C)

6.30pm Sat. Mass at Wath – People of the Parishes

9.15am Mass at Rawmarsh – No intention

11.15am Mass at Wath – No intention

Response to the Psalm: They are happy who dwell in your house, O Lord.

Gospel acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son. Alleluia!

Celebration of Mass during COVID:

- -Use the hand sanitiser on entering and leaving the church.
- -The wearing of face coverings is mandatory.
- -Communion, still continuing under the form of bread alone, will be distributed from the front of church. When queuing, continue to be mindful of the space between yourself and other individuals/households.

Please remember our sick and housebound in your prayers: Wath: Terry Cook, Bob Kearney, Vivien Margrave, Marie Haugue, James Smith, Maria Mallon, Ian Atkinson, Alan Barbury, Christine Pindar, Bradley Carr, Ann Lawrence, Hollie Atkin Daly, Donal Gill, John Moore, Terence Maher, Helena Ward, Lucy Travis, Eric Croft, Anne Cook, Anna Bates, John Joe O'Shea, Ness Brown, Patricia Chumbler, Brenda Burnett, Keith Brown, Jack & Marlene Bailey, Darren Hurst, Barry Lowe, Mary Jenkinson, Dolly Wade, Rosemary Guerrant, Andreas Moore, Maria Margrave, Keith McArthur, David Edward Taylor, Darren Gunn, Trish Taylor, Winifred Isherwood.

Rawmarsh: Anne Hudspeth, Irene Fiutes, Kath Evans, Dorothy Bradley, Domink Towey, Bob Ivey, Kath Bourke, Mary Brazier, Kath Staves, Agnes Corcoran Rebecca Taylor, Dave Abrahams, Francis Atkin, Margaret Stringer, Glenys Sullivan.

Wath Anniversaries: 26th Joseph Carberry, Bradley Lee, John Gilmartin, Kenneth Harby, Sarah O, Donnell, 27th Fr. Harry Townsend, John Booth, 28th Alice Mardell, Edward Roche, Agnes Winder, 29th Bernard Carlin, 30th Lilly Jackson, 31st Albert Robinson, 1st Betty Austwick, 2nd Brian Harby.

Parish Safeguarding representatives are needed for both St. Joseph's, Rawmarsh and St. Joseph's, Wath. After reading the advert which will be given out at Masses this weekend, if you are interested please contact the diocesan safeguarding office and inform Fr. Patrick.

Red Mission Boxes can be handed into the sacristy for emptying.

Cleaning in both churches after Mass this Sunday. Any help would be appreciated.

Wath Bingo every Wednesday at 7.30pm in the parish hall.

Home from Home Hallam – supporting a refugee family Our project has made good progress and we are hoping to submit our application for the Community Sponsorship programme to the Home Office in the next few weeks, when the Council have approved it. An updated newsletter is available on our new webpage on the Diocesan website (https://hallam-diocese.com/caritas/home-from-home/). Thank you for your continued prayers.

Please note that there will be no Mass on Thursday 6th January.