THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY & ST JOSEPH
SHERINGHAM & CROMER

2nd Sunday of Advent
4TH OF DECEMBER 2022
Weekday Readings: Advent 2, Yr I, Psalter Week 2



"A shoot springs from the stock of Jesse"
Isaiah 11:1

PARISH INFORMATION
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ADORATION & BENEDICTION
SJ: **Tues 6-7pm**
OLR: **Mon & Wed after Mass till 10am**

CONFESSIONS
SJ: **Tues 6:30-7pm & by appointment**

ROSARY
SJ: **Sat 10am**

MASS TIMES

2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sun 4th of December
6pm OLR VIGIL MASS
The People of the Parish
9am OLR
John MacKenzie RIP
11am SJ
Bill and Heather Horner

Mon 5th **9am** OLR
George McNamara RIP

Tue 6th **NO MASS THIS WEEK**

Wed 7th **NO MASS THIS WEEK**

Thurs 8th SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
9.30am *St Andrew's, Holt*
Eileen Short RIP

3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sat 10th **6pm** OLR Vigil Mass
The People of the Parish
Sun 11th **9am** OLR
Fr Cyriac RIP
11am SJ
George Koch RIP

See parish website for directions to live streaming of Sunday Masses
PLEASE NOTE A NEW CHANNEL IS NOW IN USE

Mass is additionally celebrated according to the '62 Roman Missal at 3pm at St Joseph's on the last Sunday of the month.

**OLR: Our Lady of Refuge, Cromer*
***SJ: Saint Joseph's, Sheringham*

From Fr Peter

Unfortunately, I cannot avoid being away from the parish in the coming weeks which will affect weekday Masses. This week, there will regrettably be no Mass on Tuesday (6th) evening and Wednesday (7th) morning, and the following week, there will be no mass on Monday (12th). There will also be no Mass on the 14th due to Bishop-Elect Peter's Ordination. Whilst I will also be away next weekend to assist at a Diocesan Youth Retreat, Fr Denys will be covering the Sunday Masses so please do make him welcome. Business as normal will return in good time for Christmas.

Parish Magazine

We are to begin publishing a quarterly magazine which will help communicate what is happening in and around the parish. If you are interested in joining the team, please let Fr Peter know.

Formation Talks for Readers at Mass

Fr Peter will be giving a first talk to readers this Sunday (4th), followed by part II on the 18th, about the theology & spirituality of proclaiming the Word of God. Anyone interested, especially those who might like to read at Mass, are welcome to join. (3pm at St Joseph's).

SICK & HOUSEBOUND

If you presently visit or take communion to someone who is housebound or know somebody who would benefit from such visits, could you please let him know, *even if you have done so in the past.* This will help ensure everyone is being reached.

Parish Festive Lunch

This is to be at the Links Hotel, West Runton, on Wednesday 4 January, 12.30 for 1pm. The cost will be £21.95 (2 courses) or £24.95 (3 courses). Menus are available in church. Tickets will be on sale after Mass.

Donations for Christmas Raffles

The Social Committee continues to welcome donations of non-perishable like chocolates, biscuits, Christmas puddings and cakes, wine etc as donations towards Christmas Hamper raffle prizes. Just leave your contribution as soon as possible in the hall at Our Lady's or St Joseph's.

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Christmas Eve Sat. 24th

4pm OLR First Mass of Christmas
9pm SJ Solemn "Midnight" Mass (Sung with choir)

Christmas Day Sun 25th

9am OLR – Mass of the Dawn
11am SJ– Mass of the Day

ANNIVERSARIES

Robert Kneller 2002, Robert O'Keefe 1979, Leslie Mayes 1997, Catherine Delaney 2005, Anthony Perry 2013, Peter Dixon-Hall 1984, Ernest Silburn 1988, Joan Walmsley 1991, Leslie Goreham 2007 Betty Clarke 2000 Patrick O'Regan 1981 Beverley Cosse 2013, Michael Connolly 1985

If you would like anything included in the parish newsletter, please send Fr Peter an email by Wednesday evening.

Last week's offertory collection: £573.42

THANK YOU.

New parishioners & visitors who would like to donate to the offertory by **Gift Aid (if you pay tax)** are very welcome to use the special envelopes which should be available in the pews. If you cannot see one - ask one of the welcomers. We also have **Gift Aid** forms for parishioners who want to donate regularly by Standing Order.