



St. Anne's Parish

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15th December 2019 Gaudete Sunday Third Sunday of Advent

Sunday Eucharist - 5pm Vigil & 11am

Masses this week: Tue & Thurs 10am

Adoration: Wed & Thurs 10.30am – 9pm

Morning Prayer: Mon & Thurs 10am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 4.30pm



Gathering Hymn

O come, O come, Emmanuel
And ransom captive Israel
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appear

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny
From depths of hell Thy people save
And give them victory o'er the grave

O come, Thou Dayspring,
come and cheer
Our spirits by Thine advent here
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night
And death's dark shadows put to flight

Maranatha! – Come Lord

Recessional Hymn

Like a sea without a shore
love divine is boundless.
Time is now and evermore
and His love surrounds us.

Maranatha! Maranatha!
Maranatha Come, Lord Jesus, come!

So that we could all be free
He appeared among us,
blest are those who have not seen,
yet believe His promise.

All our visions, all our dreams,
are but ghostly shadows
of the radiant clarity
waiting at life's close..



Month's Mind: Anita McKenna.

Anniversaries: Maureen McDonagh, Noel Marshall, Simon & Kathleen Clarke,

Your Giving: Weekly Collection: £2034.31

Thank You.

Our Parish Advent Family Jesse Tree: Place your family name on our tree and when Christmas arrives we will then know where to find the Word made Flesh!

Advent Penitential Services:

Sun. 15th Dec 3.30pm St. Colman's Derriaghy

Mon. 16th Dec 7pm St. Luke's

Tues 17th Dec 7pm Our Lady Queen of peace

Wed. 18th Dec 7.30pm St. Anne's

Thurs 19th Dec 7pm Nativity

Fri 20th Dec 7pm Christ the Redeemer

Christmas Masses: Vigil Mass 7pm & 9pm and 11am

Towards Bethlehem: An Advent Journey with Mary and Joseph (3)

Join us for the third of our parish Advent liturgies this Monday 16th December at 7.30pm. Take time out and be still for the journey to Bethlehem.

Bambinelli Sunday: Today we have the figurines of Baby Jesus blessed, to remind us of the wonderful gift that God our Father gives us in Christ Jesus. We encourage each family to bring the blessed figurine home and to wrap it in Christmas paper and place it under the tree, to be opened as the first gift on Christmas Day to remind us of the reason for the season. When the Baby Jesus is placed in the crib pray as a family. A suitable prayer is available in the porch.

Can't decide what to buy this Christmas? - When you buy a **Trócaire Gift of Love**, you're not just giving, you're joining the fight for justice. Buy a Trócaire Gift of Love and send some love around the world this Christmas. It's so easy just visit www.trocaire.org and you can make a huge difference this Christmas!

One World Group: Christmas Ballot raised £385.31, winners: 1st Prize Frank Garvin, 2nd Prize Una Bowden, 3rd Prize Joel Trimby – Traidcraft Sales £380.30, Donations £73.67, S/h books 70 and Trocaire Gifts £1966 – Sincere thanks to all.

Donation for Flowers at Christmas: Parishioners are invited to make a donation towards the purchase of flowers for the decoration of our church.

Bereavement Support Group, have you suffered the pain of Bereavement? If you wish to talk in confidence – please ring the parish office 90610112 and a member of the Group will contact you.

Memorial Cards: If you have left a card on display in the church for November you can now pick them up after mass today. Thank you for sharing them.

St. Anne's PS and Nursery Unit – Enrolment for September 2020.

Nursery Open Days - Tues 14th Jan 2.30 – 3.30pm. Primary 1 Open Days - Wed 15th Jan 1 – 2pm. Please proceed to the Main School Office, Block D.