

St Francis of Assisi, Baddesley Clinton

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Third Sunday of Advent [Gaudete Sunday] (B) [*O Sapientia*]

17th December 2017

PARISH LITURGY – MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS

Saturday	6.00 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.30 am	Deceased of the Kettle Family

Monday [Advent Feria *O Adonai*]

9.00 am Intentions of Ursula and Mike Page

Tuesday [Advent Feria *O Radix Jesse*]

9.00 am Private Intention

Wednesday [Advent Feria *O Clavis David*]

9.00 am Vitek Aukstolis

Thursday [Advent Feria *O Oriens*]

9.00 am Denis McCarthy

Friday [Advent Feria *O Rex Gentium*]

9.00 am Private Intention

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the end of Mass until 10.00 am

Saturday [Advent Feria *O Emmanuel*]

9.00 am Private Intention

Confessions: Saturday, 4.30-5.00 pm

Please pray for the sick in our parish and for those who have died: **Mary Chinn; Joseph Priest; William Walker; Vitek Aukstolis; Olive Lee; Denis McCarthy**

Last Week's Collection: £207.50. Second Collection: £71.20. Thank you.

If you would like to help decorate the church for Christmas, please put your donation on the plate at the back of church.

Please note the Mass schedule for Christmas:-

Sunday, 24th December Mass of Advent 4 at 9.30 am

First Mass of Christmas at 8.00 pm

Monday, 25th December Mass of Christmas Day at 9.30 am

Tuesday, 26th December Mass of the Feast of St Stephen at 10.00 am

Please Note that attendance at the First Mass of Christmas on the Sunday evening does **not** fulfil the Sunday Obligation. As Catholics, we must fulfil our Sunday Obligation (either at the Mass on Saturday evening or on Sunday morning) as well as our Obligation on the holyday.

St Peter's Church, Leamington Spa, is organising a Prayer Vigil, followed by Mass and a party on New Year's Eve, beginning at 10.30 pm. See the poster in the church porch.

THE ANGELUS

V/. The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary.

R/. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary...

V/. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

R/. Be it done to me according to Thy word.

Hail Mary...

V/. The Word was made flesh.

R/. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary...

V/. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R/. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray.

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the incarnation of Christ Thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His resurrection, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.
