

MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle B :: Weekday Cycle 2
Divine Office: Vol. 3 Week 2

CALL TO SILENCE:

Praise we now the Lord our God,
in silence we adore you.

FIRST READING:

Daniel 7:13-14

PSALM 92:

The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed.

SECOND READING:

Apocalypse 1:5-8

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Blessings in him
who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessings on the coming kingdom
of our father David!
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 18:33-37

**PREFACE OF CHRIST,
KING OF THE UNIVERSE
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER II**

SUNDAY 2nd DECEMBER First Sunday of Advent (C)

1st Reading: Jeremiah 33:14-16

Psalms: Ps. 24

2nd Reading: I Thessalonians
3:12-4:2

Gospel: Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



CHRISTMAS MARKET at ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

This now established and popular annual event will take place in the newly renovated College buildings on Thursday 29th November between 6.30 and 9.30pm. Full of Christmas spirit, bargains and Santa everyone is welcome! For more information please check Facebook or the school website or call the school office on 252893.

CHRISTMAS CARDS AND GIFTS.

Have a wee look in the church piety stall at the back of church as they now display their range of Christian Christmas Cards and gifts - all at great prices.

The Parish Community of St Teresa of Lisieux Solemnity of Christ the King (B) 25th November 2018

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A parish of the RC Diocese of Galloway. Charity Number: SC 010576.
The sick and housebound would appreciate a copy of the bulletin - if you can please pop one through their door. Thank you.



SUNDAY MASSES:

11.30am here at St Teresa's

Sunday Mass also takes place as follows:

Vigil: 5pm in St Luke's, Moffat (DG10 9DS) also 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries (DG1 2JL);
Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie (DG11 2DA); 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;
12 noon St Columba's, Annan (DG12 6JG)

SERVICES THIS WEEK

*Mon, Tues, Thurs plus 1st & 3rd Sat-10am.
Wed & Frid, 2nd & 4th Sat-10am in St Andrew's*

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

1st & 3rd Saturdays after 10am Mass till 11am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

1st & 3rd Saturdays after 10am Mass till 11am.

The Rosary:

Recited on Tuesdays at 9.45am

The Ladies Guild: Meetings take place on Tuesdays in the Hall at 7.30pm.

The Parish Hall: To book the hall please contact Mrs Peggy Marshall on 261373

WEEKLY COLLECTION: £722.52 Thank you for your weekly assistance.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

Weddings normally require six months notice - please contact Fr Jim.

INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday: : Mgr Francis Duffy, 1st parish priest 1958-1972 (Ann- d.2000);
Monday: Special Intention;
Tuesday: Special Intention;
Thurs: Special Intention; Saturday: Special Intention.

We pray too for all those undergoing any kind of treatment or medical care.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Mrs Jacky Munro

who has sadly passed away.

We send our sincere condolences and prayers to her family and many friends at this sad time for them all.

Jackie will be received here at St Teresa's at 6pm on Monday 3rd December.

Her Requiem Mass will take place on

Tuesday 4th December at 10am thereafter to St Andrew's Cemetery for burial.

May she rest in peace.

CONGRATULATIONS. On Saturday (24th) we celebrated the Baptism of Peyton Jade Hughes and today (25th) at 11.30am Mass we celebrate the Baptism of Bidy Bee Henry. We send our very best wishes to the girls' parents and family members who join them for these happy events.

SHOE BOX APPEAL. The Ladies Guild will donate their Shoe Box appeal to the local Womens Welfare Charity. They would welcome donations of toothpaste, Soap, sponges, toiletries etc as well as sweets. Donations can be left in the box in the porch. Thank you.

INTER-PARISH PRO-LIFE GROUP. This group next meets in the Baptistery here at St Teresa's at 7pm on Wednesday 28th November. Please go along to support this great cause. For more info contact John on: jpfagan@hotmail.co.uk. All welcome.

RETIRED PRIESTS FUND. The annual special collection for our Retired Priests will take place on Sunday 16th December. Gift Aid envelopes are available from today.

THANK YOU. As Prisoners Week comes to an end already your generosity in supporting "A gift for Christmas" is evident. This year we are looking for gifts for girls aged 6-12 and boys of all ages that their Dad's in prison can choose from to gift to their children. Please do not donate anything that looks like a weapon or telephone. From your generosity last year we still have a good stock of toiletries. Please do not wrap the gifts. Thank you in advance for your support of this activity. Gifts can be handed into the Sacristy.

CATHOLIC AND IN HOSPITAL? A dedicated mobile number to text or message Deacon Willie is now available on 07 591 230 828 as is a new email address: rcchaplain.hospital@yahoo.com.

SENIORS CHRISTMAS MEAL. On Friday 14th December we will hold our free seniors Christmas meal in the Parish Hall. Senior parishioners are cordially invited to attend. To help with catering (as it will be an actual meal) please sign-up on the guest list at the back of church. The invitation is to join us in the hall at 6pm for 6.30pm start and a 9pm finish. Please note if you signed up at the Wednesday Club there is no need to sign the sheet again.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN (RCIC). The preparation for Confirmation and First Communion for children in pr.4 upwards continues with their next meeting of the Saturday Club for this new session. It takes place in the Church on Saturday 8th December beginning at 10am and finishing at 12 noon. The children will celebrate their Rite of Presentation at 11.30am Mass on Sunday 9th December.

THE HOLY SOULS. The month of November is the traditional month when we remember all our dearly departed loved one's at all our Masses. Lists and envelopes are available in the church porch for those who would like to include their family and friends on the Altar List of the Dead during this time of special remembrance of the Holy Souls.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY MEETING. Our catechists with the CL will meet in the Baptistry following 11.30am Mass today (25th) for half an hour.

MINIBUS TRIP. The next trip on Tuesday 11th December is planning to visit the Metro Centre. Sign-up at the back of church for this free outing!

POLISH COMMUNITY MASS. The local community next celebrate Mass in the polish language here at St Teresa's on Sunday 9th December at 2.15pm.

APPEAL FOR TIGHTS. Thank you for the wonderful response to our tights appeal for the Hospital in Ethiopia. They are always needed so please keep handing them in when you can. Thank you!

200 CLUB. Congratulations to our winners: Joan Smith (011) and Madeleine Callander (035). It's only £1 per month or £12 annually. Proceeds support the parish.

AA SUPPORT GROUP. A welcome awaits you on Friday evenings from 7.30pm in the Baptistry Room in the Church. Just pop-in.