# PARISH OF OUR LADY OF THE ANNUNCIATION KING'S LYNN

# Newsletter for Week Commencing Sunday, 15 December 2024 Third Week of Advent Psalter Week 3

Lectionary: Sundays = Year C; Weekdays = Year I

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### **CLERGY**

#### **Parish Priest**

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#### **Deacons**

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### **Safeguarding Representative**

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### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturdays 10.30am

at Holy Family Church and

5.00pm

at Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

### **NEWSLETTER**

Email: ronaldglazebrook@btinternet.com

By Wednesday 11.00am please In plain "Word" format only

## THIRD WEEK OF ADVENT

**Psalter Week 3** 

## **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

St Anthony of Padua, Fakenham St Felix. Felixstowe

### Saturday, December 14

Holy Qurbana at 4.30pm Holy Family Church

Vigil Mass at 6.00pm (Gaudete Sunday)

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: Holy Souls

# Sunday, December 15 - Gaudete Sunday

#### Mass at 9.30am

Holy Family Church Intentions : Mark Fincham RIP

#### Mass at 11.30am

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: People of the Parish

Holy Qurbana at 11.30am Holy Family Church

**Vespers and Benediction at 4.00pm**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

## Monday, December 16 - Advent Feria

Mass at 12.00 noon

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: Maureen O'Connor RIP

## Tuesday, December 17 - O Sapientia

Mass at 4.00pm

Queen Elizabeth II Hospital Intentions: Stan Gent RIP

# Wednesday, December 18 - O Adonai

9.30am HF School Mass at 9.30am

Holy Family Church Intentions : Ann Hemming RIP

# Thursday, December 19 - O Radix lesse

Mass at 9.30am

Holy Family Church Intentions : Marie Anne's mother RIP

# Friday, December 20 - O Clavis David

Mass at 12.00 noon

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: Elsa Anderson RIP

# Saturday, December 21 - 0 Oriens

Mass at 10.00am

Holy Family Church Intentions : Mary Hardiman RIP

# **FOURTH WEEK OF ADVENT**

**Psalter Week 4** 

## Saturday, December 21 - O Rex Gentium

Vigil Mass at 6.00pm (Gaudete Sunday)

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: Stuart McPherson RIP

### Sunday, December 22 - O Rex Gentium

Mass at 9.30am

Holy Family Church Intentions : Eamon Payne RIP

### Mass and Baptism at 11.30am

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation Intentions: People of the Parish

Holy Qurbana at 11.30am Holy Family Church

**Vespers and Benediction at 4.00pm**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

### THE O ANTIPHONS

The second part of Advent begins on Tuesday when the focus is on preparing for the birth of the Saviour. Each day the Church calls out to her Lord to come using one of his titles in the Old Testament. (These antiphons form the basis of the verses of O come, O come Emmanuel.)

### **WEDNESDAY MASS**

Please note that the Mass on Wednesday is in Holy Family Church and is the school end of term Mass.

### **CHRISTMAS MASSES**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> December
Mass During the Night at 9.00pm
Holy Family Church

#### Wednesday 25th December

Mass of the Dawn at 9.30am

Holy Family Church

Mass of the Day at 11.30am Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

Lithuanian Mass at 1.00pm

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

### SECOND COLLECTION

THIS week for the East Anglia Diocese Dependant Priests Fund which supports the sick and retired priests of our diocese.

### THE POSADA

During Advent a statue of the Holy Family on their way to Bethlehem makes its way round the parish. If you would like to host the Holy Family for a night please sign the list in church.

### KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA

### **PARISH SICK LIST**

Antonas Pat Athey Betty Dockney Tony Burton James Donaldson Caroline Glazebrook Mark Griffith Mike Griffiths Beryl Green Sadie Harris Bob Hodkinson Ann Lindley Owen McDonagh Cathy McNeil Maria De Rosa Pauline McSherry Debbie Roper Helen Seaman Renee Thomas Sylvia Waddilove

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Len Taylor Maria McConnell
Peggy Finn Christopher Wiglusz
Stan Gent Pina Filowiat
John McConnell Madeleine Meynaerts
Christopher Large Ann Watts
Pamela Ponts James Harrington

## **East Anglia's Children's Hospices**

We will once again, be collecting donations for this very worthwhile charity, helping sick children and their families, instead of sending local (or distant) Christmas cards. If anyone would like to join us in this easy way of giving, please let me have your donation by 16th December, in an envelope with you name – and address if you wish to Gift Aid. Thank you.

Pat Carney: Tel KL 774560

Susan Young

All Hospices are in need of help with many having to restrict some of the work they do because of the lack of funding. The Quality of End-of-Life Care is very much in discussion at the moment and giving a small donation, instead of sending cards, to EACH or to our local Tapping House, will be of great benefit to them.

# **Jubilee Year of 2025 Opening Mass**

Pope Francis has asked that all Bishops celebrate the Opening of the Jubilee Year at their Cathedrals on the 29th of December.

Bishop Peter therefore warmly invites you to join him at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist for our Diocesan Opening Rites and Mass at 11am, in solidarity with celebrations around the world.

# **Swags HFC**

Please Help to make the **Christmas** swags after Saturday 21st 10am Mass

### THANK YOU

Many thanks to all who contributed to the **Advent Carol** service.

We all enjoyed hearing groups of singers from 3 continents making it a genuine catholic (with a small 'c') service. Also thanks to all the helpers:- The people who provided the nibbles, Who helped behind the bar including the washing up and those who helped set it up and cleaning up the crumbs at the end. All together an enjoyable evening.

Again Many - Many thanks.

David Athey'