

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

4th Sunday of Advent Year C

19th December 2021

Christmas Eve/ Christmas Day:

Bookings so far: 5p.m. **250**; 7p.m. **181**; 9p.m. **92**; 9.30 a.m. **71**; 11.30 a.m. **78** (672 in total by 10 a.m. Saturday)

With the current health crisis being as it is, it is our intention to offer a further Vigil Mass on **Christmas Eve at 3 p.m.** Booking will go live by 7.30 p.m. today (Sunday). This Mass is for those booked into the 5 p.m. or 7 p.m. Vigil Masses to reduce congestion and make everyone as safe as possible. If you are able to change your plans, please consider doing so. I'll give you a daily update on numbers so you can make informed choices.

Online booking available through parish website. Telephone bookings on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 11 a.m.-12 noon on 07938930521 or call the parish house Monday & Tuesday between 5-6 p.m.

We remember all those who are sick,

We remember those who have died recently:

Catherine O'Halloran; Esterlita C. Robillos; Jim Oakley; Robert Miller;

And the month's mind of:

And those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

John McEnaney; Michael Donnachie; Joseph Donnachie; Mary Donnachie; John & Helen McLaughlin; Maureen Byrne; Agnes McDonald;

If you would like to have an intimation included in this short weekly newsletter, please email the details to ollourdes@rcag.org.uk by Thursday.

Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

The week ahead:

Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass 5.30 p.m.

Sunday 9.30, 11.30 (live streamed) & 6 p.m.

Weekdays (live streaming continues this week):

Monday 7 p.m.

Tuesday-Thursday 10a.m.

Friday: 3 p.m. 5 p.m. 7 p.m. 9 p.m.

Christmas Day: 9.30 a.m. 11.30 a.m.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation remains available to you during this time. To arrange a time for this, contact Fr. David at the parish house where we can celebrate the Sacrament at the front door with suitable privacy and social distancing.

Today's readings:

Micah 5:1-4

Out of you will be the one who is to rule over Israel

Response to the psalm: God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved

Hebrews 10:5-10

Here I am! I am coming to obey your will.

Luke 1: 39-44

Why should I be honoured with a visit from the mother of my Lord?

Advent Prayer:

Our final online Advent prayer will take place on Tuesday evening at 7p.m. with the joyful mysteries of the Rosary in preparation for Christmas! Join us on our Facebook page.

There will be a further opportunity for Confession on Wednesday from 1145-1245.

Question of the week:

Adults: To whom have your past acts of kindness brought joy? What acts of kindness could you do this week?

Children: What kind thing have you done for someone lately? Whom could you make happy by your kindness this week?

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In Residence: Fr. Neil Donnachie (retired)

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