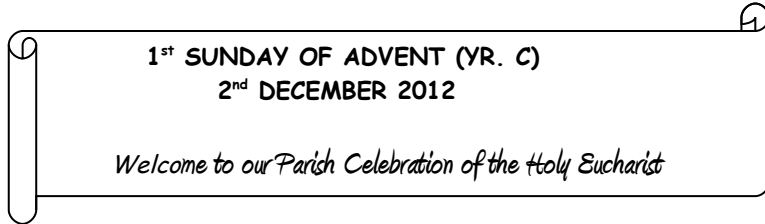


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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday St. Nicholas 6.00pm John Scullin & Michael Deacy
Sunday St. Nicholas 9.30am Peter Sheridan
Our Lady's 11.00am The People of the Parish

DURING THE WEEK

Monday St. Nicholas 9.00am Agnes Cunningham
Tuesday Our Lady's 9.00am Mary Hennigan
Wednesday St. Nicholas 9.00am Donor's Intention
Thursday **St. Nicholas 9.30am** Olivia Arnold - School Mass
Feast of St. Nicholas
Friday St. Nicholas 8.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.00am Jerry McGillicuddy
St. Ambrose - Bishop
Saturday No morning Mass
Confessions 5.00 to 5.45pm and at other times by request
Vigil St. Nicholas 6.00pm Kathleen & Michael Mullen

OFFERTORY COLLECTION LAST WEEK

St. Nicholas & Our Lady's £1057.82
Collection for Youth Service £122.98
Thank you for your generosity,



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEXT WEEK

6.00pm W. Whitelow, J. Scanlon
9.30am S. Fitzsimmons, R. Mungur, J. Heal
11.00am M. Robson, L. Roche, S. Hyland

READERS

6.00pm H. Scullen
9.30am S. Perkins
11.00am A. Henry, J. O'Toole

LITURGY MEETING - Tuesday 7.00pm in St. Nicholas parish room.

1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT - Today is the 1st Sunday of Advent the beginning of the Church's Liturgical Year. It is a time when we start our preparation for the coming of Christ on Christmas day. It is also a time for a renewal of our commitment. There are some small prayer books at the back of church to help us during Advent - please take one.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS 2013 - Enrolment for both schools for First Holy Communion and First Confession will take place next Sunday the 2nd Sunday of Advent. Children and parents must be at Mass every Sunday. There will be preparation meetings for parents - the dates will be announced later.

ST. NICHOLAS CHRISTMAS FAYRE - The final total is £2384.04. Lists of winning numbers for the main Raffle are in the porch and the numbers for the Small Raffle are: Slow Cooker 453: Whisky 535: Red Wine 486: White Wine 458: Tea Bags 393. Thank you again for your support.

OUR LADY'S CHRISTMAS FAYRE - Thank you to all - the organisers, the helpers and of course to all of you who brought gifts and bottles etc. Without your support it wouldn't happen.

ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION led by the Briery Team. Wednesday 12th December 10.00am to 4.00pm. Includes a soup and roll lunch and refreshments. £15 for the day. The Briery Retreat Centre, 38, Victoria Avenue, Ilkley. Please contact the Administrator on 01943 607287 or email briery@btconnect.com to book a place.

CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC COLLEGE - Special edition of the magazine C-Mail to mark the official opening is in the porch. There is also a special video produced for the Opening which can be seen or downloaded from the website: www.corpuschristiccollege.leeds.sch.uk

ST. GEMMA'S FAIR - Friday 7th December.

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK - **Lately Dead:** Mary Hennigan (6): Maggie Scullion, Anne O'Hearne.
Anniveraries: John Rogers, Ellen O'Reilly, Agnes Cunningham, Thomas & Mary Anne Buckley & Bridget Devine.
Also for: Donor's Intention (3)

300 CLUB - Will be published next week.

Thought for the week
There is no way to peace
Peace is the way.

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