

ST GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WARMINSTER



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Mass times for the week of 8th December 2019

7th	Saturday	Eve of Sunday	6.00pm	Peter Pickford RIP
8th	Sunday	Second Sunday of Advent	8.00am 10.00am	People of the Parish For Catherine Boyle
9th	Monday	Immaculate Conception of the BVM	9.30am	Peter & Beth Foley RIP
10th	Tuesday	Weekday of Advent	9.30am	For Anna & Paula
11th	Wednesday	Weekday of Advent	9.30am	For Franc & Yvonne Juan
12th	Thursday	Weekday of Advent Polling in Parish Hall	10.00am	Charles Cox, Kathleen & Pauline Cox RIP
13th	Friday	St Lucy	12.00pm	Anna Rozario RIP
14th	Saturday	St John of the Cross Eve of Sunday	9.30am 6.00pm	Francis D'Costa RIP

Confessions: Saturday 10.05-10.30am & 5.15 - 5.45pm

Offertory 1st December £ 404.28 **Weekly Standing Order:** £296.62

Second Collection: This weekend Poor Missions of the Diocese

Sick and Housebound: Please pray for: Lyndall Barbour, Lizzie Dickinson,, Pat Wilson, Gladys Coleman, Charles & Dorothea Sultana de Maria, Joy Trant-McCarthy, James Orde, Jim & Gloria O'Hanlon, Francoise Moody, Graham & Christine Zebedee, Cuqui Chambers, Lorna Platt, Mac Ballard, Edna Bodman, Sylvester Rozario , Mary Lawson, Martin Abbott & Deacon David Wakefield.

Shekinah: meets on Mondays at 8.00pm in the church. All are welcome.

Parish Prayer Group: Meets every Tuesday after 9.30 am Mass in the Hall.

Lectio Divina Prayer Group: Tuesday at 6.00pm (throughout the Winter months)

CHRISTMAS RICE CHALLENGE: Next Sunday, Gaudete Sunday, we will rejoice in our bounty by helping those seeking safety and refuge at St Nicholas' in Bristol.

Missio Red Boxes: Our parish rep, Susan Pearson would be grateful if the Red Missio boxes could be brought to the Sacristy for counting.

First Holy Communion 2020: The ceremony will take place on the weekend of 13/14 June. Registration Forms available from Father Martin.

200 Club Draw—Monthly Winners: Congratulations to the winners of the six monthly draws—each of £25: Tom Byrne, Tom O'Brien, Mark Smith, Philip Clark, Lizzie Dickinson & Father Malcolm.

Parish Christmas Dinner: will take place on Wednesday 18th December at 12.30 for 1.00pm in the Parish Hall with catering by Mrs Bs Caring Catering. Main course has four choices. Tickets £22.50. Payment by Sunday 8th December.

Christmas Eve 6pm Mass: This year the children's liturgy group will be organising the Christmas Eve Mass at 6pm. We would like as many children and young people (even those older than the children's liturgy group!) to be involved in some way, whether it is to bring up something in a procession, read, play an instrument with the music group, serve or simply be there as a character from the nativity! If you think your family would like to be involved and you are around for this Mass, please could you let Liz or Sarah know **as soon as possible** so that we can organise what the children can do and provide the readings/music/preparation that are needed in good time. If there is anyone who is able to help either before Christmas Eve, or during the Mass i.e. to organise the offertory procession, that would also be really helpful. Many thanks. Liz 07852879799 eamhartley@gmail.com

Rome Pilgrimage: Sunday 8th—Friday 13th March. Flights from Bristol. Details from Father Martin.

Diocesan Directory & Liturgical Diary 2020: Now available from the Narthex. Clifton Directory £5, Liturgical Diary £6.

Messages to the Brave Some people around the world risk everything to defend our sisters and brothers and our common home. Don't forget them this Christmas – send a message of solidarity to the brave. Cards with Teresa & Michael in the Narthex.

Christmas Masses: Christmas Eve: Children's Mass 6.00pm . Midnight at 12.00am. Carols at 11.30pm. Christmas Day 8.00am and 10.00am.