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Times of Mass & Services

6th/7th January 2018

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Saturday	5.30 pm	Julia Bennett RIP
Sunday	11.00 am	People of the Parish
Monday	10.00 am	Patricia O'Neill RIP
Tuesday	10.00 am	Dec'd of the Toole, Taylor and Bennett Families.
Wednesday	10.00 am	Private Intention
Thursday	6.15 pm	Private Intention
Friday	9.00 am	Jackie Buckley Int
Saturday	5.30 pm	Lena Cahill RIP
Sunday	11.00 am	People of the Parish

MONDAY 8th Jan. FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Mass here at 10.00 am. After this Feast the Liturgy of the Church enters Ordinary Time. In 2018 the Sunday readings are taken from Year B. The Weekday readings are taken from Year 2.

MY THANKS Thank you for your generous Christmas Offerings, Greetings and Gifts, which I greatly appreciate.

NEXT SUNDAY 14th January – CHRISTIAN UNITY SERVICE

I have been invited to take part in the Service of Christian Unity at St James' Church, Church St., Harvington, Evesham, WR11 8PB, one of the villages in our parish. The Service is at 6.30 pm and everyone is invited. The Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity begins on 18th January.

HOLY HOUR THURSDAY 5.15 – 6.15 pm There will be Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament on Thurs. evening from 5.15 – 6.15 pm. This is an opportunity to ask God's blessing in the new year, and especially for vocations to the priesthood and the religious life.

NEW CHURCH This time last year we were celebrating an Awards for All Grant for a Feasibility Study for a New Church and Community Facility. Later this month the Architect conducting the study will discuss with the Parish Building Committee the various options to achieve the results of the consultation.

CHRISTMAS EDITION OF CATHOLIC TODAY

Please take a copy of Catholic Today, our diocesan newspaper. There is a message from His Grace, the Archbishop, a summary of the financial returns of the diocese and various helpful statistics, and news from the parishes.

PARISH RECORDS UPDATE Please enable us to update the parish records by filling in an information sheet and handing them to Fr Garry. This has not been done for a long time and will really help.

Please pray for the sick, housebound and those who care for them:

Niamh Coyne, Pat Hopkins, Betty Gowers, Clive Stanbrook, David Ryan, Michael Moore, Archie Parsons, Heather Gerrard, Chris Browne, Mary get Parkin, Julie Kelly, Tommy McAloon, Gabrielle Edwards, Derek Riley, Greg Steele, Ronnie Walker, Nicholas Summerfield, Margaret McAleer, Mike Newman, Mel Roberts.