

St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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Times of Mass & Services 21st/22nd Dec. 2019 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Saturday5.30 pmEdward De Franco RIPSunday11.00 amPeople of the ParishMonday10.00 amBridget Lennon RIPTuesday10.00 amBrian A. Jordan RIPChristmas Eve8.00 pm People of the ParishChristmas Day11.00 amLafferty Family

Thursday No Mass today Friday No Mass today

Saturday 5.30 pm People of the Parish
Sunday 11.00 am John Metcalfe RIP

Confessions: after the 5.30 pm Sat evening Mass

<u>CHRISTMAS MASSES</u> Our first Mass of Christmas will be on <u>Christmas Eve at 8.00 pm</u>, preceded by <u>Carols from 7.30pm</u>. Mass on <u>Christmas Day is at 11 am</u>. Mass on <u>New Year's Day at 11 am</u>.

CHRISTMAS OFFERING The Christmas Offering is traditionally your gift towards the support of your priest. Please take an envelope.

<u>NEXT SUNDAY</u> the Feast of The Holy Family, there is a Pastoral Letter from His Grace, the Archbishop.

THURSDAY No Holy Hour or evening Mass this week.

PREPARATION OF THE CHURCH-THANKS We are grateful to all those who prepared the church for the celebration of the Christmas Liturgy: those who helped the children to decorate the tree, those who cleaned the brasses, cloths, church, windows and woodwork, those who provided and arranged the flowers.

<u>CHRISTMAS RAFFLE WINNERS</u> Congratulations to the winners in the Raffle which was drawn last Sunday. The Luxury Hamper: **Kath Hooper**; The Family Hamper: **Simone French**; The Chocolate Indulgence: **Ann Warrington**.

<u>"100 CLUB"</u> (Have you paid your subscription for the current year? It is £24 for one number for a year) <u>Nov. Winners:</u> £50, Antony Valiaparambil John; £30 Charles Lloyd-Jones; £20 Paulette Moore. *Congrats*.

<u>CAR PARKING</u> Please keep the Lane free for access to Quinneys Court. If you regularly attend the 11am Mass and can help with a parking rota, please contact Andy: 01789 612526; for 5.30pm Mass: Phil. 01789 778989.

TWO JOHNS' CD The two John's (our musicians) have produced a CD with a selection of songs. Included are many popular sing-alongs, dance, Irish to Rock & Roll. Priced at £10 each, with all proceeds to the Church Building Fund. CD's will be available via Ruth Hargreave or Bernadette Rennie.

<u>PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK</u> Michael David Moore, Pat Hopkins, Heather Gerrard, Clive Stanbrook, Elizabeth Standring, Bridget Parkin, Tommy McAloon, Gabriel Edwardes, Ryan Clarke, Elise Palmer, George Leslie, John Meehan, Robert Lloyd-Jones.