



St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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Times of Mass & Services 11th/12th Dec. 2021 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT (C)

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| Saturday | 5.30 pm | People of the Parish |
| Sunday | 11.00 am | Eileen Lynch RIP |
| Tuesday | 10.00 am | Denis Boland RIP |
| Friday | 10.00 am | Frances Reilly Cooper RIP |
| Saturday | 5.30 pm | People of the Parish |
| Sunday | 11.00 am | Heather Gerrard RIP |
| Confessions: after the 5.30 pm Sat evening Mass | | |

WEEKDAY MASSES There is Mass this Tuesday and Friday at 10.00 am.

ANGEL TREE THANKS *Message from Eileen:*
"Please could you thank everyone who helped with Angel Tree. The present wrapping day was very successful. 74 presents were sent to prisoner's children. There were many donated presents from our parishioners as well as several donations amounting to £110. We had a wonderful team of 18 people this year, shopping, wrapping and donating."

CHRISTMAS CHURCH CLEAN This coming Saturday, 18th December, you are invited to help clean the church for Christmas, 9.30 am start. There will be mince pies and tea/coffee for the workers!

TIMES OF CHRISTMAS MASSES

Christmas Eve 8.00 pm. *There will not be the usual Carol Service before Mass, but some Carols during Mass.*

Christmas Day 11.00 am

Sunday Boxing Day 11.00 am

CHRISTMAS MARKET FOR NEW CHURCH

Thank you to everyone who made or donated items for our Christmas Market, and all those who worked so hard to prepare and serve in different ways. As well as the support for the

new church building fund, the coming together as a parish and community is a great blessing. There was a lovely picture and article in the Stratford Herald last week. The Market raised £1,587.40. ***Congratulations and Thank You.***

LUXURY CHRISTMAS HAMPER Thank you for providing luxury items for the Hamper. The Draw will be after the 11am Mass next Sunday 19th December. Please sell the remaining tickets for such a fantastic prize. Also 'Can you guess the weight of the Christmas Cake?'

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL AT ST LAURENCE'S this weekend. Phil Hodgetts has entered a tree called 'Don't get hung up on the material side of Christmas'. Refreshments will be served at the back of church. There will be a raffle, Children's Choir & on Sunday the Community Choir. You will be invited to vote for your favourite tree!