

## MASS, CONFESSION & DEVOTIONS

**CONFESSIONS** **Monday:** 7.30pm, St Joseph. **Wednesday:** 7.00-7.20pm, St Teresa.  
**Saturday:** 10.30-11.15am & 7.00pm, St Philip Neri. 7.00pm, St Bernadette.

### SUNDAY: SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

6.00pm (Sat)	St Bernadette	Mass	Rose Cross RIP
6.00pm (Sat)	St Philip Neri	Mass	Kathleen Murphy RIP
8.45am	St Joseph	Mass	Carton Family RIP
9.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass	Michael Burgess Int's
10.45am	St Teresa	Mass	Mary Dunn 90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Int's
11.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass	Eugene Lee RIP

### MONDAY: THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR LADY (PATRON OF OUR DIOCESE)

12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Mass	Frank Leadbeater RIP
7.00pm	St Joseph	Mass	Richard Whiteley RIP

### TUESDAY: ADVENT FERIA

9.00am (Year 4)	St Joseph	Mass	School Community
6.00pm	St Philip Neri	Rosary	
6.30pm	St Philip Neri	Mass	Kathleen McHugh Int's

### WEDNESDAY: ADVENT FERIA

10.30am	St Teresa	Prayer Group	
12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Mass	Mary Cribbin RIP
6.30-7.30pm	St Teresa	Eucharistic Adoration	
7.30pm	St Teresa	Mass	Holy Souls

### THURSDAY: ADVENT FERIA

9.30am ( <i>In School</i> )	St Philip Neri	Mass	School Community
2.30pm	St Joseph	Eucharistic Adoration	
5.00pm	St Bernadette	Rosary	

### FRIDAY: SAINT LUCY

9.30am	St Bernadette	Mass	Holy Souls
12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Mass	Matt & Maura Grady RIP & Conor O'Hara RIP

### SATURDAY: SAINT JOHN OF THE CROSS

10.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass	Sean Andrews RIP & Paul Tomlinson RIP
10.30-11.30am	St Philip Neri	Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction	
12.00pm	St Joseph	Baptism	Amelia Laura Tydola

### SUNDAY: THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

6.00pm (Sat)	St Bernadette	Mass	Fr Peter Stevens RIP
6.00pm (Sat)	St Philip Neri	Mass	People of the Parish
8.45am	St Joseph	Mass	In Thanksgiving (BG)
9.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass	Annie & Philip Kelly RIP
10.45am	St Teresa	Mass	Holy Souls
11.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass	Mary Kyne RIP

### Read the New Testament in a year, this week's reading:

Sun: 2 Thessalonians 3, Mon: James 1, Tues: Jas 2, Wed: Jas 3, Thurs: Jas 4,  
Fri: Jas 5, Sat: Matthew 1, Next Sun: Mt 2

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT (Year A) Sunday 8 December 2019

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Kathleen Campbell & Sybil Hedley

### Safeguarding other churches

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Churches: **Saint Bernadette** 61 High St, Bolsover, S44 6HF  
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**Saint Philip Neri** 3 Chesterfield Rd South, Mansfield, NG19 7AB  
**Saint Teresa** High St, Market Warsop, NG20 0AG

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#### St Philip Neri with St Bede Voluntary Academy (Primary)

Head Teacher: Mr W. Lewis t. 01623 489010

Churches	Amounts	Totals	Weekly Draw Winner
St Bernadette	£79.70	£79.70 + S/O	
St Joseph	£106.28	£106.28 + S/O	No. 31 – H. Simpson
St Philip Neri	PG £795.56 + Loose £607.57	£1,403.13 + S/O	
St Teresa	£169.82	£169.82 + S/O	

### SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER FOR POOR AND NEEDY PARISHES

## PRAYER INTENTIONS

**Those who have died recently**, especially, Jim Page and Phil Mercer. Please remember Jim and Phil and their families in your prayers.

**Holy Father's Prayer Intentions 2019:** May every country take the necessary measures to make the future of the very young, especially those who suffer, a priority.

## GENERAL NOTICES

### THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: YEAR OF THE WORD 2019-2020

**Weekly Scripture Reflection:** Every Tuesday 7.00-8.00pm at St Joseph's Convent. An opportunity to meet and reflect on next Sunday's readings with Sr Susan and Sr Mary.

**A quick journey through the Bible:** 7.00pm Thursdays 23 Jan, 20 Feb, 12 March, 23 April, 14 May, 18 June, 9 July & 10 Sept. St Philip Neri Parish Hall. A series of eight, half-hour talks that are complemented by group discussion questions, useful maps and charts, and brief assignments for home study. Discover the major people, places, events, & themes of the Bible. Study the six covenants God made with humanity, leading to the establishment of the Catholic Church. Our grateful thanks to Ann Neale for offering this course to our parishes.

**Read the New Testament in a year:** With just 3-4 minutes reading a day it's quite possible to read through the whole of the New Testament in a year. A reading plan running from Advent 2019 to Advent 2020 has been prepared and is available on our website and at the back of the churches. We'll also publish the readings week by week on the back of the newsletter. *Missed the first week? Not a problem, better to start from today than not at all!*

**The Bible App:** Bishop Patrick said in his pastoral letter how wonderful it would be if we all carried a Bible in our pocket. Well there's an app for that! Go to [www.youversion.com/the-bible-app/](http://www.youversion.com/the-bible-app/) and it'll give you a link to download the app onto your phone. A good translation to pick once you've downloaded the app would be the English Standard Version (ESV).

**Mr Bill Lewis:** Headteacher at St Philip Neri with St Bede Voluntary Academy for the past decade has announced his retirement which will take place at the end of this academic year, July 2020. Mr Lewis has been a great headteacher at our primary school, following in the footsteps of his distinguished predecessors. We are grateful for all he has done for our students and our parish, and we wish Mr Lewis a long, happy and well-deserved retirement.

**Christmas Cards and Gifts, Advent Calendars and 2020 Art Calendars:** Are now on sale from the repositories in our churches.

**Becoming a Catholic:** Registration for the course closes Sunday 22 December. Please contact the parish office to fill out a registration form.

**Service of Nine Lessons and Carols:** 6.00pm Wednesday 18 December at St Philip Neri. All Saints School Advent Service of Nine Lessons and Carols will take place this year at St Philip Neri church, led by the school chaplaincy team with music from All Saints School Choir. The service is open to pupils, parents and parishioners from across the deanery.

**Outside the City:** Mount St Bernard Abbey (Leicestershire) Documentary. If you're interested in deeper questions about the human experience, if you want to know what it means to give up everything in search of something, then you'll love "Outside the city". [www.outsidethecityfilm.com](http://www.outsidethecityfilm.com). Nottingham Broadway Cinema, 16 December at 6.15pm.

## SAINT BERNADETTE

**Operation Christmas Child:** Fifty-eight shoeboxes are now on their way to deprived children! Thank you so much for your overwhelming generosity for this appeal. I will let you know their destination as soon as possible. May God bless you all.

**Craft Club:** On Friday 10 January 2020. All Welcome.

## SAINT JOSEPH

**The Phoenix Singers Christmas Concert:** On Friday 13 December at 7.00pm. Tickets now on sale or pay on the door, £5 entry including refreshments (children free). Donations of cake and raffle prizes would be much appreciated. Please see Sheila or Margaret.

**CAFOD 'Christmas Card' collection:** This year instead of handing Christmas cards to people we see every week, if anyone would like to contribute to this collection from any of the churches, I will be happy to accept it. Thanks Ann Neale.

## SAINT PHILIP NERI

**Catholic Newspapers: (The Catholic Times and The Catholic Universe):** We are no longer able to order newspapers on a sale or return basis, if you wish to receive your newspapers through the parish in the future, please contact the parish office to place your order as soon as possible. Thank you.

**St Vincent De Paul Society:** If anyone would like a visit or phone call from a member of the SVP, please contact the church office or 01623 632910 to arrange.

**Whist Drive:** On Saturday 14 December at 7.00pm.

**It's Christmas with Bellissima and Harmony:** On Sunday 15 December at 3.00pm at St Philip Neri Parish Church. Tickets are £5 each from Suzy Fell on 07921 813458.

**Ladies Recollection:** On Thursday 19 December at 6.30pm. All welcome.

## SAINT TERESA

**Jumble Sale:** A sum of £283.00 raised. Thank you to everyone who helped and supported.

**Christmas Cake Sale and cookie decorating:** On Sunday 15 December after 10.45am Mass, in the hall. Cookie decorators bring an apron and a grown up.

**Nativity by Candlelight:** On Sunday 22 December at 5.00pm. All are welcome. Children, please come dressed as an angel, a shepherd, or a wise man. Coffee & mince-pies afterward.

**Decorating the church for Christmas:** will be after the morning Mass on Sunday 22 December.

## CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

### 24 DECEMBER: CHRISTMAS EVE

5.00pm St Joseph  
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7.30pm St Bernadette  
11.00pm St Philip Neri

### 25 DECEMBER: CHRISTMAS DAY

9.00am St Joseph  
10.00am St Philip Neri  
10.45am St Teresa