

St Theresa's, St Thomas Aquinas, St Mary, Holy Family, St Anne



St Augustine, SS William & Francis De Sales, St Osmund



### ST TERESA'S CHURCH

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### January 2022 Week 2 Ordinary Time Year C

If you would like a Mass intention for someone, intention envelopes are on the stand where the cards are. Or see Father Greg or Brother Robert.

Saturday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	5.00	Deceased Members Holmes-Watson @ Hamilton & Cauana Families [St A]
Sunday	16 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	9.00	Arthur JohnBlakeborough [St W]
		Mass	10.30	Maureen Graham [St T]
Monday	17 <sup>th</sup>	Mass		Joseph & Florence Chapman
Tuesday	18 <sup>th</sup>	Mass		Fr Michael
Wednesday	19 <sup>th</sup>	Mass		Ann Lynch & Family
Thursday	20 <sup>th</sup>	Mass		Kilkenny Lynch Family
Friday	21 <sup>st</sup>	Mass		Neylon Family
Saturday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Mass	5.00	Fox family & New Baby
Sunday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Mass	9.00	Alan Chisman
		Mass	10.30	Philip Graham

**Feast & Memorial Days.** Monday St Anthony. Wednesday St Wulstan. Thursday St Fabian & St Sebastian. Friday St Agnes. Saturday St Vincent.

**Anniversaries: January 18<sup>th</sup>- 24<sup>th</sup>** Maureen Harper, Lillian Hush, Albert Kipling, Margaret Kirtley, Ada Knight, Franciszek Kravick, Marie Large, Tom Lambert, Doreen Laybourne, Stuart McCann, George McCarthy, Margaret McCarthy, John McCullagh, Edward McElhatton Stephen Hammond. **May they Rest in Peace.**

### Remembered in our Prayers

Priests and religious of the diocese, all the sick in our Partnership, and those who lovingly care for them. Also all the people who are sick with Covid 19, those who have died, their families and friends, those experiencing symptoms of long Covid, and those with financial hardship.

**CAFOD Afghanistan Appeal.** CAFOD has worked with local partners in Afghanistan for many years. They and our and sister agencies are assessing need and responding. We know the Catholic community will want to express their compassion for our brothers and sisters in Afghanistan who have suffered so much. We open our hearts to welcome Jesus at this time. Let us hold the people of Afghanistan in prayer before God. **To donate [cafod.org.uk](http://cafod.org.uk)**

### Cycle of prayer Ordinary Time Winter

Peace on Earth. Openness to the world of God. Christian Unity. The sick and those who care for them. Victims of Trafficking and those who work to combat it. The unemployed.

### For people unable to attend Mass

My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**Offertory:** 9.2.22. £156.50.

Mission Crib Collection includes Christmas Candles donations £563.

### The Northern Catholic Calendar 2022

Is now on sale in the porch at £3 each. It contains useful information from around the diocese.

**Church Cleaning** The next day for cleaning the church is on **Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January.** Please go along to help if you are able to, there are only three people cleaning at the moment, and it is a big church. More help would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.



### God Is Not A Man In The Sky:

**A book for children to explain the big questions they may have.**

'Our universe has not always existed. It had a beginning; it was created by God.' This book will tell you who God is, why he created the universe, and what the meaning and purpose of our lives is. Copies are for sale at St Anne's Church or can be ordered online at [www.franciscanpublishing.com](http://www.franciscanpublishing.com).

'And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day.'

~ Genesis 1:8

**Hand sanitiser** - use of hand sanitiser on entering and leaving church and before liturgies should continue.

**Face coverings** - **all those attending church have to wear a face covering unless they are exempt from doing so.**

**Social Distancing and Capacity of Churches** - reduced church capacities based on a minimum of 1M spacing between households should continue.

**Cleaning** a) Cleaning high frequency touch points in buildings after each act of worship b) Thoroughly cleaning the church once a week

**Congregational Singing** The use of cantor groups and other choirs is now permitted. It is recommended that singing should be phased in gently and that face coverings should be worn by members of the congregation whilst singing together, until infection levels reduce.”

**Hymn books and Mass cards** – can be reintroduced

**Test, Track and Trace** - NHS Test, Track and Trace system is no longer in operation and Mass booking systems will only continue where numbers wishing to attend are likely to exceed the COVID secure capacity of the church.

**Sign of Peace will remain suspended.**