

St. James the Less Catholic Church

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DIocese of Salford

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 22nd December 2019 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

MASSES and SERVICES

Monday : 23rd December: Mass at 9.00 a.m. *Advent II Weekday.*

Tuesday 24th December: Mass at 9.00 a.m. *Advent II Weekday.*

(Christmas Eve)

First Mass of Christmas at 6.30 p.m.

Midnight Mass of Christmas 12.00 midnight (Carols 11.30 p.m.)

Wednesday 25th December: Christmas Dawn Mass at 8.30 a.m.

(Christmas Day)

Christmas Daytime Mass at 10.30 a.m.

Thursday 26th December Mass at 12.00 noon. St. Stephen, the first martyr.

Friday 27th December: Mass at 12.00 noon. St John, apostle/evangelist.

Saturday 28th December: Mass at 11.00 a.m. The Holy Innocents, martyrs.

CONFESSIONS: 11.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon and 5.45 p.m. to 6.15 p.m. Vigil Mass 6.30 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during the morning Confessions.

Sunday 29th December: *The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph.*

Masses at 8.30 a.m. and 10.30 a.m.

READERS AT MASS FOR NEXT WEEKEND - 28th/29th December.

6.30 p.m. Paul Higginbottom.

8.30 a.m. Tony Jim McCormack.

10.30 a.m. Bill Wilkinson.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND -28th/29th December.

6.30 p.m. Steve Mawdesley.

8.30 a.m. Jeanette Pritchard.

10.30 a.m. Sheila Whittle.

Please pray for the Sick: Rachel Louise Keenan, Roger Dawes, Nora Apps, Sheila Haile, Ted Davies, Maureen Griffin, Martin Chesworth, Ian Frank Howarth, Madeline Doherty, Grace McClosky, Baby Freddy, Michael Chesworth, Daniel Taylor, Nicola, Dennis Chadwick, Margaret Aspin, Eileen Marsh, Eleanor Hilton, Martin Miles, Mary Blackburn, David Simpson, Colin Hardman, Jack McGee, Pat Pennington.

Lately Dead: Alice Greenwood.

Christmas Remembrances: Edmund & Nora Wilkinson, James & Jenny Killelea, Deceased members of the Killelea and McCauley families, Ellen & Thomas Lord, Jack Phillips, Joseph Rowan, Thomas Mannion, Jack & Nora Roberts, Peter & Joan Nightingale, Margaret Nightingale, Thomas Cavill, Francis Murray, Kathleen & Francis Caine, Joan & Thomas Whitehead, Austin Conway, Harold & Bridget Bennett, Patrick Mahon, Bernard Ashton, Deceased Bennett & Mahon families, Harold & Mary Sinclair. John Joseph & Doris Mary Chesworth, Philip & Marie Hilton, Tom Leake, John Michael Moffatt, Christopher Moffatt, Mary, James and John Rush and Rush family, Deceased Moffatt family, Beatrice & James Greaves, Margaret & Eddie Burke, Burke, Walker and Shannon families.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY COLLECTION and MEETING

There will be a collection this weekend at all Masses for the S.V.P. to help with their Christmas charities. Many thanks to this small group for all they do in a quiet way in the Parish.

MEETING OF THE S.V.P.: After the 10.30 a.m. Mass this Sunday there will be a meeting of the S.V.P. in the Presbytery. Any new volunteer members please come to that meeting.

**Father Tony and Father Damien
wish you all a very Happy Christmas
and a peaceful new year.**

Thank you for your Christmas cards and gifts.

