

# St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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## TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

**Sunday, 22.12.19**

9:30 am

5:30 pm

6:00 pm

### Fourth Sunday of Advent

Mass: Leslie Hannon and Liam Seymour RIP

Confessions

Mass: Private Intention



**Monday, 23.12.19**

9:30 am

10:00 am

### Advent Feria

Mass: Intentions of Theresa Karpinski

Rosary

**Tuesday, 24.12.19**

6:00 pm

9:00 pm

### Vigil for the Solemnity of the Nativity

Vigil Mass: Michael Thornton RIP

'Midnight' Mass: For the Corr and Simpson Families

**Wednesday, 25.12.19**

9:30 am

11:00 am

### Christmas Day Solemnity of the Nativity

Mass: Intentions of Shainy Glaxin

Baptism

*Please note that there is NO 6pm MASS on CHRISTMAS DAY*

**Thursday, 26.12.19**

10:30 am

### Feast of St Stephen, the first Martyr

Mass at St Mary & John's

**Friday, 27.12.19**

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

### Feast of St John, Apostle, Evangelist

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass: Kathleen and Hughie Quinn

**Saturday, 28.12.19**

9:30 am

10:00 am

### Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs

Mass: Kate Leach RIP

Confessions

**Sunday, 29.12.19**

9:30 am

5:30 pm

6:00 pm

### Feast of the Holy Family

Mass: Beatrice Lockett RIP

Confessions

Mass: Jose Madarico and Joe Villaplaza

**Confessions:** Sat. after 10:00am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:50 pm or on request



**YOUR OFFERINGS: 8<sup>TH</sup> DEC £377.20 (GIFT-AID £118.50)**  
Church Cleaning this week: Team B (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

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**PARISH ADMINISTRATION:** If anyone requires baptism certificates or any other written documents from the parish, please visit the parish office on Mondays & Fridays: 10.00am - 12.00noon or leave your message on the presbytery answer phone: 01902 736440 or e-mail: stpatricks220@sky.com



**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:** Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Sally McNulty, Jack Byrne, Catherine Finnegan, Doris McShane, Deacon Michael Ainsworth, Fergus Fallon, Gerry Simpson, Michael Lockett, Obed, Charito, Melchor, Darcy Jamandri, Norma and Marivic Orenca. *Names may be added to this list only with the specific permission of the infirm person for whom prayers are requested.*



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN DECEMBER (part 4):** Hilda Brownhill, Sylvia Pearson, Antoni Strong, Frances Murray, Patrick Kelly, Joan Watton, Theresa Charlwood, Veronica Brown, May McGovern, Violet Kitajewska, Carol Boneham, Robert Larkin, Kathryn Leach, Janet Zarb, Dorothy Carr, Kathleen Jackson, Thomas Cunningham, Linda Lockett, Carmel Downing, Kathleen Sheridan, Jane McClory, Michael Thornton, Gilbert Washaya.



**CHRISTMAS TREES AND DECORATIONS:** We hope to make the church as beautiful as possible for Christmas. If you would like to contribute towards the cost of the trees and flowers, please put your gift into the collection or give it Fr. Dawid.

**CHRISTMAS RAFFLE** List of Winners is at the Piety Stall where you can collect the prizes. A big thank you to all who bought tickets and so support St Patrick's in this way.

**AT ALL CHRISTMAS MASSES** we GENUFLECT during the Creed at the words "AND WAS MADE MAN".

**A PRAYER AT THE CRIB:** "Heavenly Father, may this crib remind us of the Coming of your Son. Grant that all who pray here may be inspired by the example of love and humility that Christ gave us. To all in doubt or uncertainty, grant guidance and inspiration. To all who are oppressed by sin or guilt, grant comfort and healing. Above all, grant to everyone who prays here in faith, the joy of spirit that the angels proclaimed at Christ's Birth. Grant this through Christ Our Lord. Amen".



**OUR CRIB OFFERING** this year goes to FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND.

**COLLECTION AT CHRISTMAS MASSES:** Christmas Offerings for the Clergy. Envelopes are now available at the back of the Church.

**VISIT OUR PIETY STALL:** Christmas cards, New Year calendars and other and Christmas items are now available in the Piety Shop at the back of the Church.

**PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** Lesson Dates on following Saturdays 11am – 1.30pm in the sacristy: **18th Jan**, 29th Feb, 28th Mar, 25th April, 2nd May (First Confession). First Holy Communion will be held at St Patrick's on Sunday 17th May 2020 at 9.30am.

**PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION.** Sessions, lasting between 1 hour and 90 minutes, on Saturday mornings at 11am in the Presbytery on the following days: **11th January**, 25th January, 8th February, 22nd February, 7th March (Confessions), 14th March. Confirmation will be held at St Patrick's on Tuesday 10th March 2020 at 7pm.

**FATHER DAWID, DEACON MEL  
AND ALL THE CLERGY FROM SS. MARY & JOHN'S  
WISH YOU ALL A HOLY, HAPPY AND PEACEFUL CHRISTMAS**