

PARISH NEWS

2ND Sunday of Advent 08.12.19

MASS TIMES

Sunday – 9am at St Joseph's

Sunday – 10am at St Teresa's
(including Children's Liturgy)

Sunday – 7.00pm at St Teresa's

Monday - 10am at St Joseph's

Tuesday – 10am at St Teresa's

Wednesday – 10am at St Joseph's

Thursday – 10am at St Teresa's

Friday – 10am at St Joseph's

Saturday – 10am at St Teresa's
(including Exposition & Rosary)

Saturday – 6pm at St Joseph's

CONFESSION

Saturday 10.30 – 11am at
St Teresa's

Saturday 5.30 – 5.50pm at
St Joseph's

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Thank you again to everyone who came along to support the Parish Christmas Fair.

Many thanks to anyone who donated and especially those who gave up their time to help with the preparations and on the day.

We are really pleased to let you know that we raised a fabulous £2410.00!

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

There is a Penitential Service in preparation for Christmas on Tuesday 17th December at St Joseph's Church at 7pm.

PARISH CALENDARS

Parish calendars are available at the back of each church. These are free, so make sure you take one home with you.

FOODBANK

Christmas should be a time of joy and celebration, but last year, food banks, in the Trussell Trust network distributed over half a million food parcels to children.

If you can donate to support our local food bank in Irlam, please do.

There are boxes in the 2 supermarkets in Irlam and we can collect donations in both churches to take along to the food bank.

Items that would help are non-perishable food, such as tins, dried food, tea, coffee, sugar etc.

Also, items that could make Christmas special, such as chocolate, sweets, mince pies etc.

Any help would be really appreciated.

“You'll never find peace of mind until you listen to your heart.”

– George Michael



Hymn Numbers for the Acclamations:

The Sanctus – 433

The Mystery of Faith - 434



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THANK YOU

We are so grateful for your generosity every week when donating to the Offertory Collection. The combined total of both churches last week was £930.42. Thank you for your continued support towards our Parish

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

Avaya-Rose Standring – daughter of Jade and Andrew Standring

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Lately Dead – Michael McWhirk, Joseph Breen, Mary Brophy and Cliff (no surname)

Anniversaries – James Kelly, Stephen Payne, Peter Docherty, Pauline Rogers, Margaret and John Gormally

Sick – Ruth Salt and Mary Jones

Special Intentions – Pauline Graham, Nora Breen, Ruth Hazell, Peter Mam, Maria Nguyet, Get Well Wishes and Christmas Masses

BONUS BALL

The winning ball for Saturday 30th November was number 51
Congratulations to S Ellis, D Wilson and Tracy Ridgway.

Week Day Calendar	
Monday 9th December	Monday Club 12pm - Avila Centre
Tuesday 10th December	St Teresa's Nursery & Reception class Nativity at 2pm in St Teresa's Church – All Welcome
Wednesday 11 th December	St Teresa's Year 1 & 2 Christmas Play at 2.15pm at St Teresa's School – Tickets only.
Thursday 12 th December	St Teresa's Year 1 & 2 Christmas Play at 2.15pm at St Teresa's School – Tickets only.
Friday 13 th December	Advent Prayer lead by the Chaplains – 8.30am -8.50am at St Joseph's School – all welcome! Healthy Hearts and Hips 10am – Avila Centre
Saturday 14 th December	Healing Mass - 11am at St Teresa's Church, followed by refreshments.
Sunday 15 th December	