#### TWO IMPORTANT NOTICES:

WE WOULD LIKE TO START SENDING INFORMATION ELECTRONICALLY TO KEEP YOU INFORMED OF MASS CHANGES, BULLETIN ETC. If you would like to be on the parish email circular, please send an email to:

# infoatsaintmarysbt@gmail.com

St Mary's Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61565931805626

#### **CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES**

#### 24th December Christmas Vigil

5.00pm Vigil Mass 9.30pm Polish 11.30pm Midnight Mass

#### 25th December Christmas Day

6.45am Dawn Mass Latin 8.00am Lithuanian 10.00am English Mass of the Day 12.00 Polish

## 26<sup>th</sup> December St Stephen

10.00am Polish 12.00 Noon English

## 31st December Vigil

10.30pm Mass and adoration into the New Year

1st January – Mary Mother of God Sunday Schedule (no 7.30pm Polish mass)

DONATIONS: Just scan the QR code with your phone to donate to our parish. Don't forget to gift aid if you can.



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# In the Parish of Saint Mary's Our Lady of the Rosary



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Prison: HMP North Sea Camp

If you know of a parishioner who is an in-patient at the Pilgrim hospital, please contact Father at the Presbytery ( 01205 362056 ) or Deacon Martyn .

# Liturgical calendar

Day	Date	Time		Liturgical Calendar	Mass Intention
Saturday	30	4.00pm	Eng	Vigil	NDL
Sunday	1	8.30am 10.00am Noon 4.00pm 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Latin Pol	First Sunday of Advent	Parish NDL
Monday	2	7.00am	Eng	Advent Feria	NDL
Tuesday	3	9.00am	Eng	Advent Feria	NDL
Wednesday	4	7.00am	Eng	Advent Feria	Priests
Thursday	5	7.00pm	Eng	Advent Feria	NDL
Friday	6	<b>7.00am</b> 7.30pm	Eng Pol	1 <sup>st</sup> Fri Advent Feria	NDL
Saturday	7	9.00am 4.00pm	Eng Eng	1 <sup>st</sup> Sat/St Ambrose Vigil	Tony Coates
Sunday	8	8.30am 10.00am 12.00 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Pol	Second Sunday of Advent	Parish Ellie Nickerson

CHANGE OF MASS TIMES: The 9.30am mass will be changing to 9.00am Apologies for the number of early masses this week but I have three trips to make.

Divine Mercy: Wednesday 2.00pm

**Benediction:** 

Adoration/Holy Hour: Tuesday and Friday 8.00am Thursday 6.00pm

**Confessions:** Saturday 3.20pm-3.50pm Sunday 7.50am-8.20pm and 9.30am-9.50am and before weekday masses and on request.

Dates for the diary:

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December: St Mary's Primary School Christmas Fair 3.30-5.00pm - if you would like a stall contact the school on 362092 See Poster

Christmas Prayer Angels: On sale £1 from 30<sup>th</sup> November All proceeds to Care Home Indía FUNERALS

Kathleen Harter RIP December 9th at 12.00 noon

Anne Chambers RIP December 13th at 11.00am

**NEW LECTIONARY:** A new lectionary comes into use from the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent. It will use the English Standard Version (Catholic Edition) and for the responsorial psalm the Abbey psalms and canticles. This means that all popular missals will become outdated as regards the readings. The prayers and antiphons remain the same. The main reasons are: 1) To be more faithful to the original languages. 2) More inline with scholarship 3) More proclaimable.

#### COLLECTIONS:

7/8<sup>th</sup> December Poor and needy parishes

 $15^{th}$  December Flower collection for Christmas

Sunday Collection: 24 November Envelopes £100 Loose £1208 If donating by cheque please make it payable to Boston Roman Catholic Parish. Thank you for your financial support and those too who pay through the bank. We have now received repayment from HMRC in respect of your Gift Aid claim for the 2nd Quarter to 30/09/24. The amount due to the parish is £1528.69

**Second Collections:** 

## OF YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR

- The sick and housebound and for those who need your prayers, Sadie Wheate, Rosalyn, Mary, Fay Cowell, David Locking. Michael Campbell; Kathleen Bedford Sally Wallington; Coco.
- Fr Chris Hogan RIP Ann Larkin RIP Kathleen Harter RIP Anne Chambers RIP
- Linda O'Neill

