

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

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Mass Timetable for week beginning "Third Sunday of Advent"

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Saturday 15th December 2018	Advent Feria	9.00 am to 9.20 am 9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00 am to 12 noon 5.30 pm Winterton	Confessions Seamus Moylett RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Confessions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 16th December 2018	Third Sunday of Advent	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Eileen & John Spelman RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Roberto Barberini RIP
Monday 17th	Advent Feria	No 9.00 am Mass	~
Tuesday 18th	Advent Feria	No 8.30 am Mass 9.30 am Polish 4.30 pm Reception	Polish Priest's Intentions James Niland RIP
Wednesday 19th	Advent Feria	12.00 noon Requiem	James Niland RIP
Thursday 20th	Advent Feria	8.30 am 9.30 am Polish	Kevin Cox RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 21st	Advent Feria	8.30 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm St Bernadette's	Sandra Bell RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Deanery Penitential Service
Saturday 22nd December 2018	Advent Feria	9.00 am to 9.20 am 9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00 am to 12 noon 5.30 pm Winterton	Confessions Kelly Family Polish Priest's Intentions Confessions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 23rd December 2018	Fourth Sunday of Advent	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Trevor Emerson Polish Priest's Intentions Kevin Cox RIP
Adoration	After Sunday evening and Wednesday Masses		

Please pray for: for James Niland, Pauline Bunford and all those who have died recently, may they rest in peace; and for their families at this difficult time; those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Deacon Bernard and all who are sick and housebound; The Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for December - Evangelisation: In the Service of the Transmission of Faith – that people, who are involved in the service and transmission of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language suited to the conditions of the present time.

Scunthorpe General Hospital

For the ministration of a Catholic priest please contact Fr Neil Peoples on (01724) 842197 or 07548 157566

Pope Francis 'Tweet of the Week':

'Loving God means serving our neighbour without reserve, and trying to forgive without limits.'

Peoples Ponderings

Bishop Patrick has kindly offered to send me some help for the Christmas Season, due to my continuing issues with my back. So, Canon Geoffrey Hunton will be joining us on Wednesday 19th December. Canon Geoffrey will be known to some of you, as he had a placement at Holy Souls as a Deacon. I am sure you will all make him feel very welcome when he arrives.

I have received confirmation from the Diocese that the proposals for the redecoration of Holy Souls has been agreed, as have the new doors for access to the hall. The new doors will be installed week commencing 7th January and in the New Year we will look at when the decoration work can begin in the Church.

The proposal for the redecoration at St Norbert's has been provisionally agreed – awaiting a detailed costing. It promises to be an exciting 2019 with all the work being done and I hope that people will be happy with the final outcomes.

Second Collection

This weekend a second collection will be taken up at all Masses for the Poor and Needy Parishes of the Diocese.

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

In light of Adoremus and the Bishop's pastoral letter from this week we will be changing the times of Adoration so that more people have an opportunity to encounter the Lord.

Wednesday - a short period of adoration after Mass. Sunday evening Mass - a short period after Mass.

Please note if you are unable to stay for Adoration, please leave the Church quietly.

First Holy Communion

The third worksheet will be given out this week; please collect it from the Sacristy.

Parish Carol Service

Next Thursday 20th December at 6.00 pm, led by the school children of St Augustine Webster.

Deanery Penitential Service

St Bernadette's, Friday 21st December at 7.00 pm.

Holy Souls Parish Advent Treasure Map

Another Advent Treasure Map at £1 a square will be available after all Sunday Masses this weekend. If you have any ideas for fundraising for Parish Funds please have a chat with Fr Neil.

Walk with Me

We still have copies of the Walk with me booklets at the back of the Church. Cost £1 and money should be placed in the CTS slot.

Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi

The booking forms are now available from the Sacristy; the £200 deposit is required by 1st February 2019. We will have a meeting on **Monday 14th January at 7.00 pm** in St Bernadette's Parish Hall.

Bishop Patrick's Diocesan Priorities for 2019

The Bishop has asked David Wells to lead a day on Discipleship and Missionary Discipleship. The Day for

Lincolnshire takes place on Thursday 31st January at St Hugh of Lincoln Parish Hall.

During the day there will be sessions for Schools and then in the evening, 6.30 pm to 9.00 pm for Parishes. Fr Neil has been asked to send two representatives from both Parishes. If you are interested in attending please let him know.

Fr Neil will be unable to attend as he has already made plans for that day!

Lost Property

Lost property gathered up over the past year will be available for viewing in the Parish Hall. Anything not reclaimed will be disposed of.

Money Matters!

Collection - 8th/9th December 2018 Loose Plate 462.42 Envelopes 177.90

Total £640.32 Christmas Flowers £246.78

Thanks to all for your generous support including those who contribute by standing order.

Christmas Mass Times

Christmas Eve

St Norbert's 4.30 pm Holy Souls 7.00 pm 10.00 pm

12 midnight Polish

Christmas Day

Holy Souls 9.00 am
4.30 pm Polish

St Norbert's 11.15 am

NO EVENING MASS