



Holy Souls' Catholic Church

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Mass Timetable for week beginning "The Holy Family"

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Saturday 29th December 2018	St Thomas of Canterbury	9.00 am to 9.20 am	Confessions
		9.30 am	Clarke Family Deceased
		10.30 am Polish	Polish Priest's Intentions
		11.00 am to 12 noon	Confessions
Sunday 30th December 2018	The Holy Family	5.30 pm Winterton	Polish Priest's Intentions
		9.00 am	Nicola Niland RIP
		4.30 pm Polish	Polish Priest's Intentions
		6.30 pm	Michael Kelly RIP
Monday 31st	Seventh Day within the Octave of Christmas	No 9.00 am Mass	-
Tuesday 1st January 2019	Mary, The Holy Mother of God	11.00 am Polish 12.00 noon	Polish Priest's Intentions Onelia Cicioni RIP
Wednesday 2nd	Sts Basil and Gregory Nazianzen	12.00 noon	Jose Mota RIP
Thursday 3rd	Christmas Feria	No 8.30 am Mass 9.30 am Polish	- Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 4th	Christmas Feria	8.30 am 9.30 am Polish	James Niland RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 5th January 2019	Christmas Feria	9.00 am to 9.20 am	Confessions
		9.30 am	Sadie Calpin RIP
		10.30 am Polish	Polish Priest's Intentions
		11.00 am to 12 noon	Confessions
Sunday 6th January 2019	Epiphany of The Lord	5.30 pm Winterton	Polish Priest's Intentions
		9.00 am	Jack & Margaret Egan RIP
		4.30 pm Polish	Polish Priest's Intentions
		6.30 pm	Sonia Martin RIP
Adoration	After Sunday evening and Wednesday Masses		

Please pray for: 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.

Please join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.00 am Sunday Mass

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':

'Let us welcome God's love in the Christ Child, and let us commit ourselves to making the world more humane and worthy for the children of today and tomorrow.'

Peoples Ponderings

Thank you to everyone who helped over the Christmas Season, in particularly I wish to express my thanks to Canon Geoffrey, Fr Christ Thomas, Fr Robert Thacker and Fr Daniel Palmer who have helped with Masses. It has been a frustrating few weeks for me and I hope that once I get the scan, treatment will be found to solve the problem and I can function better.

As we prepare for the start of a new year, it is important that we continue to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. As a diocese we will have some priests retiring in the coming year, God willing we will see three men ordained to the priesthood – including Liam Carpenter who is being ordained Deacon in January at St Bernadette's Church. However, this will mean only one person will be in Seminary! So, the challenges with Mass times etc, will only increase unless more people answer the call to serve the Lord. So our prayers and encouragement of those considering a vocation is as urgent as ever.

Thank you from Fr Neil

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for your generous offerings at Christmas and for the many cards and gifts I received.

Thank You

to Fr Daniel Palmer for celebrating Masses at Holy Souls over the Christmas period so Fr Neil could enjoy a few days at home resting and recuperating.

Stitch and Chat

Resumes on Wednesday 9th January and everyone is welcome to attend.

First Holy Communion

The next sheet will be given out next weekend 12th/13th January 2019. Completed sheets can be handed in after Mass.

Marriage Care Course

Marriage Preparation Courses will take place at:
* Our Lady of Lincoln, Saturday 2nd March 2019 from 9.00 am to 3.30 pm. Lunch provided.

Please book your place by visiting www.marriagecare.org.uk or call 01522522971
For those planning to get Married at Holy Souls, St Norbert's or another Church it is important that you attend this course. Any questions please speak to Fr Neil. You are also required to give a minimum of six months notice of intent to marry.

Liam Carpenter's ordination as a Deacon

Liam will be ordained a Deacon on **Friday 18th January at 7.00 pm in St Bernadette's Church.** Liam has extended a welcome to you all and asks that you continue to keep him in your prayers.

Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi

The booking forms are now available from the Sacristy; the £200 deposit is required by 1st February 2019. There will be 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!

Money Matters!

Collection - 22nd/23rd December 2018

Loose Plate	£459.23
Envelopes	£190.60
Total	£649.83

Many thanks for your continued generosity.