



# Holy Souls' Catholic Church

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### Scunthorpe General Hospital

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### Christmas Service Cards

Please take these not only for your own use but also to pass on to others who might appreciate the information.

### Christmas Cards

If you have left a Christmas card for someone at the back of Church please let them know so that they can pick it up. Any uncollected cards will be sent for recycling early in the New Year.

### Christmas Day - Parish Hall

The parish hall will be open on Christmas Day from the end of morning Mass until just before the start of Polish Mass (11.00 am to 4.00 pm approx). Lorraine and Bob Lewis have offered to host this. Anybody who is alone, or who would like to come, is welcome. Tea, coffee, and snacks will be provided, but please feel free to bring your own food if you wish. If you need transport, please contact Bob Lewis on 07912 852346 or 863590. Come for a short or a long time, whichever suits you.

### Altar Servers and families

A reminder of the St Stephen Day Mass on Saturday, 26th December at 10.00 am.

### First Holy Communion Programme

All children should have now completed Sheets 1-3. If there are any sheets still outstanding please return them to Fr Eddy over the Christmas period. Worksheet 4 and also the Children's Bible will be distributed on the weekend of 9th/10th January 2016.

### Jubilee of Mercy Meeting

If anyone would like to be part of a group that develops the Jubilee of Mercy in our parish then you are invited to a meeting on Monday 11th January 2016 in the Hall at 7.30 pm.

### Baptism Preparation Evening

The date of the preparation evening has had to be changed to Thursday 21st January at 7.30 pm.

### Confirmation

Application forms for the Sacrament of Confirmation are now available from the sacristy. Prospective Candidates must be in Year 7 or above. Forms to be returned by Sunday 24th January 2016.

### Talk on Jerusalem Visit

Fr Eddy will give a presentation on his recent visit to Jerusalem on Thursday 28th January in the Hall at 7.30 pm.



**Extraordinary Jubilee  
of Mercy  
8th December 2015 to  
20 November 2016**

### Prayer for the Jubilee of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ,  
you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father,  
and have told us that whoever sees you sees him.  
Show us your face and we will be saved.

You are the visible face of the invisible Father;  
let the Church be your visible face of forgiveness and mercy in the world.  
You willed that your ministers would feel compassion for those in ignorance and error:  
let everyone who approaches them feel loved, and forgiven by God.

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing,  
so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord,  
and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm,  
may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed,  
and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this of you, Lord Jesus,  
through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy;  
you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.

### Catholic News

Please pick up a copy. There is an article on page 4 by Fr Eddy about his recent visit to Jerusalem. On page 2 there is an appeal from the Diocesan Education Service seeking Governors for Catholic Schools. If this is of interest to you please read carefully and for more information either follow the contact details given in the feature or speak to Fr Eddy.

### Church Toilets

If you use the toilets during Mass please make sure you leave them in the same condition as you found them. Would parents monitor their children's use of these facilities in an age appropriate way.

## Mass Timetable for two weeks beginning "Fourth Sunday of Advent" and "The Holy Family"

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Saturday 19th December 2015	Advent FERIA	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Margery McCarthy RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Christopher Flynn RIP Jimmy Cawley RIP
Sunday 20th December 2015	Fourth Sunday of Advent	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Tony & Roger Harrison RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Gertie Coates RIP
Monday 21st	Advent FERIA	9.00 am	Cecilia Dos Reis RIP
Tuesday 22nd	Advent FERIA	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm	Intentions of Fr Jonathan Rose Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Wednesday 23rd	Advent FERIA	11.00 am to 12 noon 12 noon	Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament Christine Lisle RIP
Thursday 24th	Advent FERIA	9.00 am 7.30 pm 10.00 pm 12 midnight Polish	Special Intention People of the Parish People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 25th	The Nativity of The Lord	10.00 am 4.30 pm Polish	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 26th December 2015	St Stephen	10.00 am 11.00 am Polish <b>No Winterton Mass</b> 5.30 pm	Intentions Guild of St Stephen Polish Priest's Intentions - Francisca De Jesus RIP
Sunday 27th December 2015	The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Patrick Cooney & Deceased Relatives Polish Priest's Intentions Patrick & Mary Mahoney RIP
Monday 28th	The Holy Innocents	10.00 am 11.00 am Polish	Nicola Niland RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Tuesday 29th	St Thomas of Canterbury	<b>No 9.00 am Mass</b> 9.30 am Polish	- Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 30th	Sixth Day within Octave of Christmas	<b>No 12.00 noon Mass</b>	-
Thursday 31st	Seventh Day within Octave of Christmas	9.30 am Polish 11.30 pm Adoration 11.45 pm	Polish Priest's Intentions Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament People of the Parish
Friday 1st January 2016	Mary, The Holy Mother of God	10.00 am 11.00 am Polish	Downey Family RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 2nd January 2106	Sts Basil The Great and Gregory Nazianzen	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00 am to 12 noon 5.30 pm Winterton 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm 4.30 pm to 5.15 pm 5.30 pm	James Leckey & Family Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Elizabeth & John Morgan RIP Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament Gertie Coates RIP
Sunday 3rd January 2016	The Epiphany of The Lord	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Jack Harrison RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish

### Please pray for:

those who are travelling to celebrate Christmas with loved ones, those who for whatever reason will be unable to be with loved ones over the festive season, those recently widowed and bereaved, those who are homeless or sleeping rough and those who will be helping them at this time of the year.