

# St. Dominic's Community

Team Ministry for South West Leicestershire

incorporating St. Peter's Parish, Hinckley, St. Peter & Paul's Parish, Earl Shilton and Our Lady and St. Gregory's Parish, Market Bosworth  
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## News and events for St. Peter's Parish, Hinckley for week beginning 17<sup>th</sup> December 2017

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### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent (Year B)

Sat.5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth

Sat: 6.30pm MASS: *Tommy McManus*

Sun: 8.00am MASS: *The parishes*

9.45am MASS: *Bert & Tense Delafaille*

11.30am Mass in Earl Shilton

### MONDAY 18th: Of the Day in Advent

8.00am MASS: *Alish Pollard (Mason)*

8.25am Exposition

8.30am Meeting of Pastoral Team

11.00am Benediction

7.30pm Performance of "Mother Mary" in St. Joseph's Church, Leicester

### TUESDAY 19th: Of the Day in Advent

9.30am MASS: *Ethel Salt (family)*

10.30am Dorothy Goodman School

Christmas Service

5.30pm Beavers

6.45pm Cubs

7.15pm Scouts

7.30pm "Performance of Mother Mary" here

### WEDNESDAY 20th: Of the Day in Advent

Advent

10.00am St. Peter's School Christmas

Liturgy

12.00pm MASS: *Eileen Brocklehurst*

1.30pm Friendly Club

7.00pm Service of Repentance with Confession (after which there will be no confessions until after Christmas)

### THURSDAY 21st: Of the Day in Advent

9.30am MASS: *Leon Wilkinson*

### FRIDAY 22nd: Of the Day in Advent

12.00pm MASS: *Annie McMullan*

4.00pm Children's Liturgy practice for

Christmas Mass (7.00pm Christmas Eve)

5.30pm Readers' practice for Midnight Mass

### SATURDAY 23rd: Of the Day in Advent

9.30am MASS: *Alish Pollard*

### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent (Year B)

Sat.5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth

Sat: 6.30pm MASS: *Joseph & Margaret*

Kendall

Sun: 8.00am MASS: *Nora Curriston*

9.45am MASS: *Celia Horgan*

11.30am Mass in Earl Shilton

6.30pm Christmas Mass in Earl Shilton

The Celebration of Christmas:

Sunday 24th

7.00pm Christmas Mass here

11.30pm Midnight Mass here

Monday 25th

8.00am Christmas Mass here

10.00am Christmas Mass in Market

Bosworth

10.00am Christmas Mass here

"Have I considered which idol lies hidden in my life that prevents me from worshipping the Lord. Worshipping is stripping ourselves of idols, even the most hidden one, and choosing the Lord". *Pope Francis*

**Christmas Fair** – many thanks to everyone who helped at stalls, supported or came along to our Christmas Fair last weekend – it was a lovely atmosphere. Just over £2,600 was raised, half of which is shared between the Hinckley Foodbank and Lawrence House hostel for homeless young people.

**AlterNativity Project** – finished last weekend and we are so proud of the huge involvement of our community both financially and also on the organisation of the project. An incredible £14,242.05 was raised, thus bringing the total from when we started 12 years ago to an amount in excess of £132,000! Many thanks to everyone. The event will take place here next year on Saturday November 10.

**First Communion preparation** – for parents and children today (Sunday) at 11.00am in the centre. These sessions are essential.

**"Mother Mary"** – is finishing this week with performances in St. Joseph's, Goodwood Rd., Leicester on Monday at 7.30pm and here on Tuesday at the same time. Its first two nights were a wonderful presentation of what has happened to Christmas today and what we can all do about it. Please make an effort to come and bring your family. If possible bring a small torch with you as well. The proceeds from our production will be donated to Lawrence House, the Foodbank and Intercare.

**Welcome to our bishop** – who will be joining us for the production of "Mother Mary" next Tuesday evening.

**Advent Service of Repentance** – with confession, for all three parishes, Wednesday this week at 7.00pm. Our four priests will be available. If anyone would like to help with readings or working the CD machine, please see one of the priests.

**Christmas Schedule of Masses and events** – is available this weekend

**Retiring Collection** for Poor & Needy parishes this weekend.

**Christmas offering** – the collection on Christmas Day is your Christmas offering to your priests for which many thanks.

### ROTAS: THIS WEEK

#### Readers:

Sat: Christine Payne

8am: Jim Gildea

10am: Beatrice Bishop

Under 7's Group 1

Counters: Wk 3

Cleaning: Team 3

Flowers: Advent

Coffee: X Mums & Tots

Ronnie Sowman

### NEXT WEEK

Nadine Baxendale

Jean Croft

Nina Baines

Group TBC

Wk 4

Team 4

Advent

Jo P.

**From Bishop Patrick:** Do you support Catholic schools and the right of Catholics to send their children to them? Then we need you to make your voice heard. The Government is making a critical decision on whether to overturn the admissions cap which prevents Catholic schools from allowing all Catholic pupils to attend. They have acknowledged that this policy discriminates against Catholics and promised to abandon it and now we need to tell them not to u-turn on their promise to Catholics. Visit <http://catholicnews.org.uk/> or search for 'Catholic education' in your search engine to write to the Government and urge them to drop their policy which bans new Catholic schools.

**Friendly Club** – will resume meetings on Wednesday January 10. Thanks to all who have helped us this year.

**Developing World Tombola & Quiz** – this weekend after all Masses  
**SPANNED Magazines** – also on sale after Mass today

**Parish Christmas Card** – is a photo taken last year of our own Christmas crib which was put together by Mrs. Alish Pollard RIP, whose funeral we now hope to celebrate on Thursday January 4, and to arrange some catering afterwards as a gesture of thanks to her. It is a fitting memorial to her and the cards are on sale today. Our continued prayers and good wishes to Robin as he recovers from hospitalisation and illness himself.

### Collections last Sunday

NRCDT: A Registered Charity No. 1134449

Envelopes	£476.50
Loose:	£139.91
Standing Orders:	£436.71
Mass Sheets & Notepad	£2.55
Catholic Newspapers:	£14.80
Brick Fund:	£120.00
Donations:	£ - - -
<b>Total:</b>	<b>£1190.47</b>

### Weekly Bills:

Diocesan Quota:	£372.25
Insurance:	£50.00
Church & House	£423.00
Salaries & Office:	£283.00
Loan Repayments:	£700.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>£1828.25</b>

With best wishes:

Fr. Frank, Fr. Daniel, Robin & the Pastoral Team