

# 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 31<sup>st</sup> December 2017

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### SUNDAY: The Holy Family (Year B)

Sat. 5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth

Sat. 6.30pm MASS: *John Matty*

Sun. 8.00am MASS: *Pat O'Hara*

9.45am MASS: *Lucy Suttle*

11.30am Mass in Earl Shilton

11.30pm Watchnight service

**MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup>: Mary the Mother of God**

12.00pm MASS: *Ethel Salt*

**TUESDAY 2nd: SS Basil and Gregory**

*Nazianzen*

9.30am MASS: *Barbara Ward*

**WEDNESDAY 3rd: Wednesday**

*before Epiphany*

12.00pm MASS: *Mrs. F.E. Blockley*

6.00pm Reception of Alish Pollard

**THURSDAY 4th: Thursday before the**

*Epiphany*

12.00p Funeral Mass for Alish Pollard

6.30pm Sunshine Club

**FRIDAY 5th: Friday before the**

*Epiphany*

12.00pm MASS: *Alish Pollard (Desai)*

**SATURDAY 6th: Saturday before the**

*Epiphany*

9.30am MASS: *Aurora Matley (Family)*

Confessions immediately after Mass.

**SUNDAY: The Feast of the Epiphany**

Sat. 5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth

Sat. 6.30pm MASS: *Wyn Jones*

Sun. 8.00am MASS: *The parishes*

9.45am MASS: *I.T. (Anderson)*

11.30am Mass in Earl Shilton

**Watchnight service** – if anyone would like to pray in the New Year, please join us in St. Dominic's chapel on Sunday evening at 11.30pm.

**New Year's Day** – there will be Mass for the New Year on Monday at 12.00pm, followed by a shared table. If you would like to bring along a little food, we will have some lunch together.

**Funeral for Alish Pollard** – takes place on Thursday this week at 12.00pm (her body will be brought into church on Wednesday at 6.00pm). If anyone would like to help with catering after the funeral Mass, please come to a short meeting on Sunday after 9.45am Mass in the centre.

### New Year Message (from Pope Francis)

**extract:** "Peace to all people and to all nations on earth! Peace, which the angels proclaimed to the shepherds on Christmas night, is a profound aspiration for everyone, for each individual and all peoples, and especially for those who most keenly suffer its absence. Among these whom I constantly keep in my thoughts and prayers, I would once again mention the over 250 million migrants worldwide, of whom 22.5 million are refugees. Pope Benedict XVI, my beloved predecessor, spoke of them as "men and women, children, young and elderly people, who are searching for somewhere to live in peace." In order to find that peace, they are willing to risk their lives on a journey that is often long and perilous, to endure hardships and suffering, and to encounter fences and walls built to keep them far from their goal. In a spirit of compassion, let us embrace all those fleeing from war and hunger, or forced by discrimination, persecution, poverty and environmental degradation to leave their homelands: We know that it is not enough to open our hearts to the suffering of others. Much more remains to be done before our brothers and sisters can once again live peacefully in a safe home. Welcoming others requires concrete commitment, a network of assistance and goodwill, vigilant and sympathetic attention, the responsible management of new and complex situations that at times compound numerous existing problems, to say nothing of resources, which are always limited."

**2018** – the year will mark the culmination of the centenary commemorations of the First World War.

The parish will honour its war dead during the course of the year. On the Sunday nearest to the anniversary of the death of each casualty we will read out the name of the casualty. Information about the casualty will be placed within the church. Over the year this information will build into a commemorative record for our parish. In this way we will not forget the sacrifices made by the families of our parish. Where possible this record will include a photograph of the casualty. If you have a family photograph that you would like added to the record, please see Father Frank or Father Daniel, so that copies can be arranged. In addition, the war memorial outside church will be cleaned and restored in time for the November commemoration.

### Kumi Hospital update – Fr. Robert

Moore has sent the following from Elspeth Robinson, the order's agent in Kumi: Kumi was so rewarding and I have allotted the Hinckley money to building a 'permanent' house of two rooms for a not-so-bright couple with learning disabilities. They had had 8 children with 6 surviving and who are we to criticise except to counsel them on family planning? They weren't using up the world's resources as our families are and I realise that they need larger than our politically correct number of children. There is no perfect answer. Their daughter, Akecho, one of their kiddies and a child with cerebral palsy and Down's Syndrome lived in a box and we decided we couldn't improve on this but would monitor. No Christian name as she wasn't baptised, which often happens with children with disabilities.

### Hinckley Lourdes Group Big

Band Party Night February 3rd tickets £15. Please call 01455 459636

### Mary Forryan Centre key 3

Please could the person who has accidentally retained it, return it to The Priory, Many thanks.

### Bracelet found in M.F.C. kitchen

several Sundays ago. Ring The Priory  
**A sincere thank you** from your priests for your cards, letters, gifts over the Christmas period and your Christmas offering to us – it is most appreciated.

### Collections last Sunday

NRCDF A Registered Charity No. 1134449

Envelopes	£725.10
Loose:	£198.37
Standing Orders:	£421.40
Mass Sheets & Notepad	£4.44
Catholic Newspapers:	£21.00
Brick Fund:	£215.00
Donations:	£60.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>£1299.03</b>

### Weekly Bills:

Diocesan Quota:	£372.25
Insurance:	£50.00
Church & House	£423.00
Salaries & Office:	£283.00
Loan Repayments:	£70.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>£1828.25</b>

With best wishes:

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

### ROTAS: THIS WEEK NEXT WEEK

#### Readers:

Sat: Paddy Brocklehurst	David Baxendale
8am: Christine Payne	Diana Clare
10am: Margaret Miller	Teresa Childs
Under 7's Group 2	Group 3
Counters: Wk 5	Wk 1
Cleaning: Team 5	Team 1
Flowers: Christmas	Diana Clare
Coffee: Ray & Sheila	Karen, Andrea & Maureen

### HCPT Group 123 Hinckley/Rugby

We are a small family group that travels on pilgrimage to Lourdes each Easter with HCPT. We are currently looking for new helpers and, in particular, a group nurse to travel with us at Easter 2018. If you are interested in the above, or finding out more about what we do, please contact Victoria Darby at [group123@hcpt.org.uk](mailto:group123@hcpt.org.uk) or Tel: 07717792669. Thank you.

**LOSS lunch** – our next lunch will be on

Thursday January 11, meeting at 12.00pm