

## Services at St George & St Teresa

### 15TH DEC 2019 - THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	Danuta Kadow RIP (G&P S)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	Denis Moroney RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	People of the Parish

#### WEEKDAY SERVICES

<b>16.12 Mon</b>		NO MASS
<b>17.12 Tue</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Maureen McKnight RIP (ML)
<b>18.12 Wed</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Feria</b> D Bowser RIP (HB)
<b>19.12 Thu</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Gallgher and Butterfield Int (JG)
<b>20.12 Fri</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>SCHOOL FERIA</b> Lawrence Carey RIP (JG)
<b>21.12 Sat</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	Feria Joan Facchino RIP (HB)

### 22ND DEC 2019 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	Kit Morton RIP (B&P S)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	Kit Morton RIP (EMB)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	People of the Parish

<b>CONFESSIONS : Saturday 10.30am – 11.00am and 4.45pm – 5.15pm Sunday 8.00am – 8.30am</b>
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#### CHURCH ROTAS

#### CHURCH CLEANING

<b>This week</b>	V Wilson	D Morgan	P Hogan
<b>Next week</b>	D Burrell	S Chester	G Deadicoat

#### READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, COUNTERS

<b>This Week</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>			<b>Counters</b>
<b>5.30pm</b>	T Hart	S Fildes	U Page	C Conway	D Walker
<b>8.45am</b>	L Ventrella	S Moroney	R Goodman	E Moroney Barnett	M Walker
<b>10.30am</b>	M Heap	R Bishop	S Higgins	D Burrell	
<b>Next week</b>					
<b>5.30pm</b>	J Musgrave	A Kadow	D Kennelly	S Carpenter	A Turner
<b>8.45am</b>	G Seymour	A Reid	M Fitzpatrick	O Mascarenhas	A Turner
<b>10.30am</b>	D Bixby	L Hughes	T Kennelly	D Powell	

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St. George & St. Teresa  
Catholic Church  
Dorridge

**THIRD SUNDAY OF  
ADVENT  
15th DEC 2019**

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**3rd SUNDAY OF ADVENT:** Rejoice in the Lord always.

**BAMBINELLI SUNDAY:** Parishioners are invited to bring their crib Jesus` figures for blessing during Mass.

**MISSIO CALENDARS:** Thanks to all who support the work of Missio. 2020 Missio Calendars are available in the Narthex for those who hold a Red Box.

**2020 DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES** are available in the Narthex costing £2.75.

**THE GOD WHO SPEAKS** - Advent Faith Sharing will continue on Friday 20th Dec from 7pm to 8.30pm in the Parish Conference Room.

**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS:** This weekend there is a "Bucket collection" at the end of all masses for the Christmas flowers in church.

**Christmas Services**

**Christmas Carol Service  
5.00pm Sunday 15th December**

**Penance Service  
7pm Friday 20th December**

**Christmas Eve  
3.30pm Children`s Tableau and Mass  
5.30pm Christmas Family Mass  
11.30pm Carols leading into Midnight Mass**

**Christmas Day  
10.30am Mass**



**200/300 CLUB:** Subscriptions for 2020 are due at the end of December. If you do not pay by Standing order please send a cheque (£15 per number) to the Presbytery and mark the back of the cheque "200/300 Club". Alternatively you can pay by Bank transfer (sort code: 60-19-14 A/c: 05960703) using reference "200/300 Club". Early payment would be appreciated to save the necessity and embarrassment of sending out reminders.

**THE COLUMBAN FATHERS** have written expressing their thanks for the generous response to the appeal and for the support given to them throughout the year. Columban Calendars are available free in the Narthex.

**THE DIOCESAN EDUCATION SERVICE** are offering a one-day course on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at Don Bosco House in Coleshill for aspiring and existing school leaders presently working outside the faith sector, who are interested in applying for a leadership post in a Catholic School. Please contact Charlotte Kirby [c.kirby@bdes.org.uk](mailto:c.kirby@bdes.org.uk) to book a place.

**JOB VACANCY: SAFEGUARDING ADVISOR:** The Birmingham Diocesan Trust is looking to appoint an experienced and qualified social worker to its Safeguarding Team. For an informal discussion about this role please call Alan Hassall, Head of Safeguarding on 0121 230 6275 or Gerry Dryden, Human Resources & Communications Director on 0121 230 6224. Please email [gerry.dryden@rc-birmingham.org](mailto:gerry.dryden@rc-birmingham.org) for a copy of the job description and details on how to apply for it. Closing date for receipt of applications: (noon) Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

**GENERAL ELECTION HUSTINGS:** A well attended event appreciated by many people so a big Thank You to the many who helped in so many ways. It was good as the Churches in our community to enable this event. Sorry to those who did not get their questions asked. (Carol Linfield, Secretary Churches Together KDBH)

**CHURCHES TOGETHER AFTERNOON CAROL CONCERT:** The concert will start at 3.00pm in Ravenshaw Court, Four Ashes Rd on Wednesday December 18<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome.

**CATHOLIC NEWSPAPERS IN CHURCH:** The Universe Media Group, who provide The Catholic Times, The Universe and Irish Post, are changing the way they circulate and charge for papers. Under this new system it isn't economically viable for the parish to continue selling them. Individual orders for printed and online versions of the Catholic Times and The Universe can be placed directly with the Universe Media Group - <https://www.thecatholicuniverse.com/>... For a subscription to the Irish Post call 0207 0019390. We will continue to stock The Herald and The Catholic Voice.

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS CAMPAIGN** – blue sheets are in the narthex with a list of prisoners of conscience. Please support this campaign by sending a card to one or more of the prisoners on the sheet; at this time of year we can let them know that they are not alone or forgotten. The sheet is compiled from a list provided by Action By Christians Against Torture ([www.acatuk.org.uk](http://www.acatuk.org.uk)) whose aim is to mobilise Christians of all denominations to come together to pray and write letters of appeal. This can often lead to the end of torture, improvement of conditions and release of prisoners.

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Mon 16th	Pilates Class	Hall	10.00 – 12.00
Mon 16th	Solihull Primary Care Trust	Hall + Kitchen	13.30 - 16.30
Mon 16th	Kick Box	Hall	17.00 – 20.00
Mon 16th	Post Natal Fitness Class	Hall	20.30 – 21.30
Tues 17th	U3A – Opera Appreciation	Conf Room	18.00 – 22.00
Wed 18th	Kumon Centre	Hall	15.00 – 18.00
Wed 18th	Tai Chi	Hall	18.45 – 20.00
Wed 18th	U3A – Film Group	Conf Room	18.30 – 22.00
Thu 19th	Solihull Primary Care Trust	Hall + Kitchen	13.30 – 16.30
Thu 19th	Scanlon School of Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00
Thu 19th	AA Meeting	Conf Room + Kitchen	19.00 – 21.30
Fri 20th	Kumon Centre	Hall	15.00 – 18.00
Fri 20th	The God who Speaks	Conf Room	19.00 – 20.30
Sun 21st	Children's Liturgy	Hall	09.00 – 13.00
<i>It is important that users of the Parish Centre arrange bookings (and payments for non-Parish Events) through Oksana Zurak 07967-846 963 or <a href="mailto:oksanazurak@gmail.com">oksanazurak@gmail.com</a></i>			



*Your Prayers are asked*

**For those who are Sick:** Dorothy Perkins, Pam Goodwin.  
*Let us also remember those who care for them.*

**For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years:** David Cusack, Doris Kenny,  
 Ellen Mary Lewis, Annie Chesshire, Margaret Mary Whittington

**Recently Deceased:** Peggy Jones, Molly St John.

**OFFERTORY: 8.12.19**  
 Poor Parishes

Envelopes: £539  
 Envelopes: £441

Plate: £241  
 Plate: £190