



The Parishes of Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale and Christ the King, Kingstanding

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MASSES THIS WEEK:

Sat 26/12/20	12:30 CTK	The Feast of the Holy Family	Michael Madigan (RIP)
	18:00 OLAM		Bob & Paul Thompson (RIP)
Sun 27/12/20	10:00 CTK		Henry Byrne & Tommy Judge (RIP)
	11:30 OLAM		Maura Ranahan (RIP)
Mon 28/12/20	08:00 Con.	Feast of the Holy Innocents	Greta Morris & family
	09:30 Mon.		Catherine Downey & family
	12:00 CTK		Mr & Mrs Judd & David
Tue 29/12/20	09:30 Mon.	St Thomas Becket	Bridget Quinn (RIP)
	12:00 CTK		Frank King (RIP)
Wed 30/12/20	08:00 Con.	Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas	People of the two Parishes
	12:00 CTK		Seamus Finnerty (RIP)
Thu 31/12/20	09:30 Mon.	Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas Adoration & Midnight Mass	Mary Donohue
	12:00 CTK		Luke Crann & Thomas Byrne (RIP)
	23:00 Con.		Flynn family (RIP)
Fri 01/01/21	9:30 Mon.	Solemnity of Mary The Mother of God	Deceased known to Fr The
	10:00 CTK		Tams & Casey families (RIP)
	10:30 OLAM		Beatrice & Gerry Atkinson
Sat 02/01/21	12:30 CTK	Second Sunday after the Nativity	Mary Finn (RIP)
	18:00 OLAM		Jozef Gniadkowski (RIP)
Sun 03/01/21	10:00 CTK		Ann Healey
	11:30 OLAM		Patrick Ferns (RIP)

Adoration & Midnight Mass for the Franciscan Sisters only

PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF MASS

For next weekend masses, please use the link on the parish websites to book for a bench per bubble. If you can volunteer to steward at weekend masses and Christmas masses please speak to either Fr. The-Quang or Andrew after mass. Thank you to our Stewards and Volunteers for keeping the church open and clean.

RIP

Please pray for Paul Lewsley, Jerry Fitzmaurice (Chris Walsh's brother) and Rubina Silva (Beverly's mother - who died in India). May they rest in peace.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK Ron & Monique Hunt, Jean McCabe, Luke Byrne, John Butler, Muriel Cowan, Paul Cowan, John & Sandra Mageean, Gerald, Sarah McCallion, Audrey Vickers, John, Sadie Pulido, Nancy Byrne, Sheila Ferns, Mary McGee, Margaret Gasson, Claire & Mark, Mary Ann Gniadkowski, Niamh O' Reilly, Carole Smith, Alan Rowan, Terry Lakin, Doreen Lakin, Kyle Billing.

CHRISTMAS OFFERING Thank you for your generosity.

CRIB OFFERINGS: there is a plate in front of the crib for donations which will go to Father Hudson's Care working with disadvantaged people of all ages.

DO NOT come if you are infected with the virus or are sick.
You must **SOCIALLY DISTANCE** (1m+) whilst in Church and wear a mask.
STEWARDS will welcome you, and give instructions.
The **TOILETS** will **NOT** be open for use.



Family Prayer

God made us a family, we need one another, we love one another, we forgive one another, we work together, we play together, we worship together.

Together we use God's word, together we grow in Christ, together we love all men, together we serve our God, together we hope for Heaven.

These are our hopes and ideals.

Help us to attain them, O God, Through Jesus Christ our Lord

Amen

Thank You

I am most grateful for your, greetings, cards and generous gifts this Christmas. As we make our resolutions for the year ahead, let us go forward with great hope that all things may be possible, with God's help and guidance.

Last Week's Collection CtK

Envelopes	£ 161.00
Loose	£ 280.10
St. Orders	£ 206.69
Total	£ 647.79

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Last Week's Collection OLAM

Envelopes	£ 201.45
Loose	£ 135.47
St. Orders	£ 33.46
Total	£ 370.38

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Thank you for your kind donations.

Standing Orders: Parish Finances have been hit heavily in the past 6 months. What does help us is people giving via Standing Orders and those who saved envelopes. If you don't use standing orders, please see Fr Thé for a form and sign up. Your giving is a real sign of your faith and commitment to God. It is only through people giving financially that we can spread the Good News, help the poor and minister to young and old pastorally.

Baptism Booking Could parents please speak to Fr. The-Quang after Mass for booking. They are expected to show their commitment to the faith with their baptism certificate and reference from their Parish Priest who would certify their weekly mass attendance for at least six months. Only close family and godparents can come to the baptism. In line with the Government guidelines, facemasks must be worn by all attendees (excepting children under the age of 11, and those with medical exemption).

Update from Deacon Jack The doctors decided that I was not safe to be discharged last Saturday as I had no immune system. My neutrophil count, the white cells that deal with infections, was almost zero. Some good news: Neutrophils, have gone up to 4.6 from 0.04. Platelets are near normal. Red blood cells a little low so I will have a blood transfusion. Still awaiting results from the bone marrow biopsy. Things are moving in the right direction and being home in time for Christmas now seems a possibility. However, I will believe it when I have the discharge letter in my hand.

Thank you for your continuing supporting prayers for Kathleen and me. They're really appreciated.

Christmas Meal: A big thank-you to all who helped with this year's Christmas meal. (Slightly different). A group came in on Christmas eve to help prepare and cook all the food. On Christmas Eve we were able to feed over 70 people with a delivered service too. Thanks to everyone involved.

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