



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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| | 8:30am | Low Mass | | S Saviour's | Pro Populo |
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| | 9:15am | Solemn Parish Mass with Epiphany Ceremonies | | S Mary's | Pro Populo |
| | 11:15am | Solemn Parish Mass with Epiphany Ceremonies | | S Saviour's | Pro Populo |
| | 3:00pm | Portuguese Mass (Massa em Portugues) | | S Saviour's | (Pessoas da nossa paróquia) |
| Day | Observance | Time | Mass | Church | Mass intention |
| Mon. | Baptism of the Lord | 12 noon | Low Mass | S Saviour's | Local Schools |
| ORDINARY TIME RESUMES | | | | | |
| Tue | Feria Per Annum i | 9:30am | Low Mass | S Mary's | People of Iran |
| Wed | Feria Per Annum i | - | No Mass | | |
| Thurs | Feria Per Annum i | - | No Mass | | |
| Fri | S Aelred of Rievaulx | 11:15am | Low Mass | S Mary's | The Elderly |
| Sat | S Hilary | 10:00am | Low Mass | S Saviour's | Former priests of S Hilary Cornwall |

NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 7TH JANUARY 2018

Tea, Coffee etc will be served after both Solemn Masses: 9:15 and 11:15. We very much hope you can stay.

Epiphany Ceremonies: After the Holy Gospel has been sung, the moveable feasts for the year will be proclaimed (please take a copy of the Calendar of Feasts for 2018). After the Homily, the chalk will be blessed, (please take some home to mark your doors posts with 20+C+M+B+18). A proportion of incense for the year will be blessed also. At the end of both Solemn Masses, the Epiphany Crip will be blessed – this is changed from the Christmass Crib as the shepherds and livestock are now gone and the Three Kings have arrived. The Epiphany Crib also resembles the inside of a house.

*Mass Times: There are some alterations this week – namely Monday at 12 noon at S Saviour's, and also there are no masses on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

New Year's Day: Very well done to all those who came along to the Solemn Mass on New Year's Day this year at S Saviour's.

Christmass services: many thanks to all those who helped this year with the decorating of both churches, and the helping with services etc. Both churches have looked wonderful throughout the festival. Thanks especially to Laurence at S Saviour's for organising the choir for the Charpentier Midnight Mass setting which was superb.

Parish Priest's increasing age! At the time of going to press, I am aware that something has been organised for yesterday evening – but I have no idea what! I know that there is something going on, because one of S Mary's congregation has been moving her car every Sunday for the past 6 months! In anticipation, I offer very great thanks for whatever has been organised... ☺

Safeguarding – PCC's: Many congratulations to Rob Simpson at S Saviour's; he is now one of the Safeguarding people for the diocese, and will be doing Safeguarding Training for the diocese. That means that as from next year safeguarding courses will take place at S Saviour's.

Inclement weather: Take care: When it is snowy and ESPECIALLY when it is icy, if you are just over 21 (and therefore qualify for a bus pass), please do not venture out unless it is absolutely necessary. Many thanks to everyone who has given me cards and presents again this year – people have as always been very kind and I am most touched...I have yet to consume everything ☺!

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