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TIMES OF MASSES

Sundays 10.30am

Tuesdays 10.00am
followed by coffee

Wednesday No Mass

Thursdays 7.00pm

**Please check on the newsheet for any
additional Masses during the week**

Morning Prayer

This Office is recited every Sunday at
9.30am in Church.

Why not come along and join us? Start
your Sunday the right way!

MISSION STATEMENT

At St Luke's...
May we live by FAITH
Be known by LOVE
Be a voice of HOPE

Diary Dates

23rd December 6.00pm Carol Service
24th December 11.30 Midnight Mass
25th December – 10.30 Christmas Day Family Mass
5th January 2019 – Kiss Me Kate
18th March – Kinky Boots
4th June – Calendar Girls
30th August-2nd Sept – Walsingham Pilgrimage
21st October 2019 – Patronal Festival
25th November 2019 – Leicester Curve

SAINT LUKE'S CHURCH KINGSTANDING



Today is the 23rd December 2018
4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Saint Luke's has an induction loop for those who have hearing difficulties. Please select the "T" switch on your hearing aid.

*Please do take a little time before Mass to ensure
mobile phones are switched off*

HYMNS TODAY

478 O Come O Come Emmanuel
641 The Angel Gabriel
50 A I Kneel Before you

Rotas

Today

Welcome - Ray Brookes and Lynn Cutler
Readers - Gill Richardson and Diane Anderson
Offertory - Gill Gwymm and Jean Hatfield
Intercessions - Cheryl Malpass
Refreshments - Denise Johnson & Diane Anderson

Next Week

Welcome - Jean Hatfield and Arthur Bywater
Readers - Children
Offertory - Children
Intercessions - Pam Waters
Refreshments - Pam Waters and Carole Mee

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THE FINAL PURPLE CANDLE ..

Is lit on our Advent Wreath this morning - the Saviour is almost here!

OUR SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN

Perform a short Nativity Play for us after the Gospel. We thank them (along with their dedicated Teachers).

ANOTHER SUCCESS...!

A huge thank-you to Lynn Cutler for making our Christmas Dinner yet again such a splendid occasion. An enormous amount of hard work and planning goes on months before the evening and the night was very much appreciated by everyone.

MUSIC THROUGH THE AGES ..

A pleasing figure of £220.44 was raised at this recent enjoyable event. Well done to all concerned!

YOUR CANDY CANE FRIEND

Don't give up praying for them as Christmas rapidly approaches. How about sending them a Card or maybe even giving a little personal gift?

OUR GRATITUDE...

To the hard-working Team who helped get all of our trees and decorations down from the lofts and then did- as ever - a magnificent job in decorating the Church.

OUR 2019 CALENDARS

Are selling quite well at the very reasonable price of £3.00 each. Why not have another - they make lovely 'stocking fillers' ? We do need help from a few more Sponsors to cover the costs (£2.50) of sending St Luke's Calendars to friends and supporters. Please see Lynn Cutler if you might be willing to help.

THE LAST LAP...

Of the Posada figures as Mary and Joseph draw nearer to Bethlehem. Thank you to everyone who has really entered into the spirit of this beautiful devotion.

THANK YOU

To all who have generously donated presents and gifts for our enchanting Santa's Grotto open tonight. Special appreciation to Margaret Toon who works very hard to make this happen.

90'S CLUB

Make sure you're up to date with your payments in order to perhaps become our Christmas lucky winner. See Margaret Muir if you'd like to snap up one of the few remaining 'spare' numbers at just £2 a time.

WELL ORGANISED ...

We've already booked for Next year's Winter production at the Leicester Curve. Put Monday 25th November 2019 in your forward planning diary. Best seats have been secured at just £20 for WEST SIDE STORY. Bookings will be taken in the New Year.

THE MOST WONDERFUL NIGHT OF THE YEAR...

It's MIDNIGHT MASS at 11.30pm . Bring a friend !

Or

Yea Lord we Greet Thee.....

Come on CHRISTMAS DAY for our Family Mass at 10.30am.

Wrap up the kids and bring them to Jesus!

CHRISTMAS EVE

There will be a special Mass at the Crib in expectation of the infant Christ.

Monday at 10.00am. A spiritual way to start your day before the world and its madness takes over? Why not come? Simply half an hour out of your day!

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

Celebrate this feast day in the Christmas octave by coming to Mass on Thursday 27th December at 7pm

NEXT SUNDAY

Is the Feast of the Holy Family (30th December). The Revd Jo Wood will be our special Preacher.

CARDS ON THE TABLE

Thanks for observing our request about NOT leaving Christmas cards upon the table for us to act as a clearing house!

BUS FARES PLEASE!

The coach for Sheffield and 'Kiss Me Kate' costs £12 per person. Fares to Ann Babington please.

WEDDING

On Saturday (29th) at 3pm.

Best wishes to Paul Carter and Susan Shuttleworth.

PRAYERS

From Fr Barry, Fr Patrick and Fr Lionel to all of the Church Family wishing everyone a very Happy and HOLY Christmas as the date for our Lord's Nativity draws near.

LIGHT UP ST. LUKE'S

Kindly sponsored by

Gill Gwynn

In Loving Memory of my husband Ken
and

An Anonymous Donation

Treasured Memories