

MASS INTENTIONS

ALL MASSES ARE AT ST THOMAS'S CHURCH UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

SUNDAY 1st January MARY, the HOLY MOTHER of GOD

6:00pm (Sat)	Sean Brady
8:00am (Latin)	Jean McKernan RIP
9:15am	Canon Frank O'Sullivan RIP
11:15am	Barbara Hinjenston Randolph RIP
6:00pm	George & Anne (wedding anniversary)
9:30am <i>Oxford</i>	Special Birthday
9:30am <i>Borough Green</i>	James & Carmela Gibson RIP
11:00am <i>West Kingsdown</i>	People of the Parish

Monday 2nd SS Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, BB DD

9:30am	Joseph & Josephine Brown RIP
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Tuesday 3rd Christmas Feria

9:30am	Thomas Ahern RIP
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Wednesday 4th The Beatified Martyrs of the Diocese

8:00am	John Gibson RIP
10:00am <i>Oxford</i>	Jeremiah Gould RIP

Thursday 5th Christmas Feria

10:00am <i>Borough Green</i>	Holy Souls
12:00noon	John Rodrigues RIP (anniversary)

FRIDAY 6th The EPIPHANY of the LORD

8:00am (Latin)	Fr Patrick Haran RIP
9:30am	People of the Parish
8:00pm	Fr Patrick Haran RIP
10:00am <i>Oxford</i>	Good intentions of the donor
11:00am <i>West Kingsdown</i>	Good health of Larry Price
6:00pm <i>Borough Green</i>	In thanksgiving

Saturday 7th Christmas Feria

9:30am	Victoria Lapore RIP and the comfort of her family
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SUNDAY 8th January BAPTISM of the LORD

6:00pm (Sat)	Theodora Wilson RIP
8:00am (Latin)	Valerie Hooper RIP
9:15am	People of the Parish
11:15am	Sue Timson RIP
6:00pm	Dympna Cearney RIP
9:30am <i>Oxford</i>	Margaret Mary Healy RIP
9:30am <i>Borough Green</i>	Parish Priests
11:00am <i>West Kingsdown</i>	John & Kathleen Doyle (anniversary)

Recently Departed

Margaret Thackaberry
Josephine Coakley
Katherine Lester, Margaret Dickens
Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord ...

LATIN MASS ANTIPHONS

Entrance

Lux fulgebit hodie super nos, quia natus est nobis Dominus; et vocabitur admirabilis, Deus, Princeps pacis, Pater futuri sæculi: cuius regni non erit finis.

Communion

Jesus Christus heri et hodie, ipse et in sæcula.

Advanced Altar Servers' Training - Year 7 and above

Training sessions for the Advanced Altar Server course - for those in Year 7 and above who regularly serve at Mass - will take place on the first two Fridays of January, beginning this Friday, at 5:00pm for one hour, in the Parish Centre. Contact Catherine Ingram (ingramfamily15@yahoo.com) for more info and to book a place.

Thank you

Enormous thanks are due to flower arrangers, Crib decorators and all who decorated our Churches for Christmas, to the Catenians for the tree in St Thomas's Entrance, to the Repository personnel, to all our musicians and singers, to Ministers of Holy Communion, welcomers and Mass readers, to Altar Servers, to the Crib Service organisers, to the collection counters, and to all who helped our Christmas Liturgies go so well. Thanks very much to Borough Green Parish Council for providing chocolates for the children.

For the most part numbers appeared to be almost back to their pre-Covid levels. Don't relapse! Keep on practising your faith, and attend Mass on Sundays and Holydays.

Fr Peter and Fr David thank all those who kindly gave them Christmas cards, presents, and good wishes. Thanks also for the Christmas Offering.

Fr Boniface Tamani also sends Christmas greetings to everyone.