

St David and St Patrick's Catholic Parish

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Mass times for: 23rd December - 08th January 2018

Week 4 of Advent, Year B. Saturday 23rd December,

6:00pm Anticipated Mass of Sunday at Haverfordwest.

Sunday 24th December,

Tuesday 2nd January,

10:00am Sunday Mass at Haverfordwest.

5:00pm Sunday Evening Mass at Narberth (with Fr Michael Hart). 5:00pm Vigil Mass of Christmas for Children at Haverfordwest.

11:30pm Congregational Carol Singing.

Monday 25th December, The Solemnity of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christmas.

00:00am Midnight Mass at Haverfordwest.

9:30am Dawn Mass of Christmas at Haverfordwest.

11:30am Day Mass at Narberth.

From 26th December, the feast of St Stephen the Deacon, until December 29th, the Commemoration of St Thomas Becket, there will be no public liturgies celebrated in the parish. For those who pray the Divine Office, December 27th is the Feast of St John the Apostle and Evangelist and December 28th is the Feast of the Holy Innocents.

Saturday 30th December, 6:00pm Anticipated Mass of Sunday, the Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and

Joseph, at Haverfordwest.

Sunday 31st December, 10:00am Mass of the Feast of the Holy Family at Haverfordwest.

5:00pm Mass of the Feast of the Holy Family Mass at Narberth.

Monday 1st January 2018 10:00am Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God, Mass at Haverfordwest.

7:00pm Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God, Mass at Narberth.

2:00pm Mass at St Luke's Chapel, Withybush Hospital, St Basil the Great and St

Gregory Nazianzen.

Wednesday 3rd January, 10:00 Mass at Haverfordwest; 7:00pm Mass at Narberth, Feast of the Most Holy

Name of Jesus.

Thursday 4th January, 10:00am Mass at Haverfordwest.

Friday 5th January, 11:00am Funeral Mass at Haverfordwest.

Saturday 6th January, 6:00pm Vigil Mass of the Solemnity Epiphany of the Lord at Haverfordwest.

Sunday 7th January, 10:00am Mass of the Solemnity of the Epiphany at Haverfordwest.

5:00pm Mass of the Solemnity of the Epiphany at Narberth.

Monday 8th January, 10:00am Mass of the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord at Haverfordwest.

Tuesday 9th January sees the commencement of Ordinary Time: Sunday Cycle Year B. Weekday Cycle Year II, Week 1.

Funerals Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of Mrs Veronica Adams and Signora Maria Wiseman, both of whom died recently at Withybush Hospital and fortified by the Rites of our Holy Mother the Church. Veronica Adam's funeral service will take place on Saturday 30th December at 10:45 at Parc Gwyn Crematorium. Maria Wiseman's funeral Mass will take place on 5th January at 11:00 at St David and St Patrick's Church followed by internment at City Road Cemetery.

Fr Liam writes I have already received many thank you gifts and I'm deeply touched by your generosity - but it is me who should be thanking you. There is little which can be achieved in a parish, if it is not for the work and effort of so many, work that is often, to our eyes at least, menial, repetitive and dull. And yet, these are precisely the tasks which keep the parish alive: if the washers on taps were not replaced, we would be in a flood; if the carpet were not hovered, we would be in a mess; if the lights were not turned off, the electricity bill would be soaring; if the toilet roll were not replaced...well you get my point. And then there are those who visit the sick, who offer lifts, who teach our children and so on and so forth - tasks that keep the faith vibrant and evangelise the community! And then there are those of us - all of us - who quietly light a candle, kneel in adoration and with bowed heads offer a prayer to our Father. This is the most important thank you of all which bears witness to the fact that, many years ago, in a small corner of a small town, a young lady gave birth to a little boy. In this simple moment the Word became Flesh and dwelt among us. The almighty and ineffable God graced us by his most merciful coming, that we might live in peace. May each of us be thankful that we have come to another year with the gift of faith intact. May peace dwell in our homes, merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL Terri Atherton, Mercedes Davies, Hannah Fennell, Peter Fowler, Jeffrey Frank, Bryn Hancock, Anne Harding, Margaret Higgins, Janet Jenkins, Mary Philips, John Rees, Indra Singh, Ben Stabow, Teresa Thomas, Toby Williams, Kay Whelan.