

**WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY AND UNDIVIDED TRINITY  
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GRIMSBY, CLEETHORPES & IMMINGHAM**

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**SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2019 – SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

<b>Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>4.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass in Immingham</b>
	<b>6.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass in Cleethorpes</b>
<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby (Polish)</b>
	<b>9.15 am</b>	<b>Mass in Cleethorpes</b>
	<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby</b>
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> January	2.00 pm	Community Prayer Group in Cleethorpes
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	9.45 am	Morning Prayer in Cleethorpes
	10.00 am	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	1.30 pm	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00 am	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
	6.00 pm	Rosary in Grimsby
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> January	12.15 pm	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Grimsby
<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January</b>	10.00 am	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes
	<b>4.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass in Immingham</b>
	<b>6.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass in Cleethorpes</b>
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby (Polish)</b>
	<b>9.15 am</b>	<b>Mass in Cleethorpes</b>
	<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby</b>

**Eucharistic Adoration This Week**

Thursday	10.15-11.00	Cleethorpes
Friday	11.30-12.10	Grimsby
Saturday	10.00-11.00	Cleethorpes

**Sacrament of Reconciliation This Week**

Saturday	10.00-10.45	Cleethorpes
Saturday	3.40-3.55	Immingham
Saturday	5.40-5.55	Cleethorpes

**Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives**

Richard Mellows (01472 752017), Sarah Pollard (01472 690672) & Shelagh Winter (01472 593780) work as a team; please contact any of them concerning safeguarding matters in our parish.

**Our Parish Academies**

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy  
Philip Avenue, Cleethorpes (01472 690672)  
St Mary's Catholic Primary Academy  
Wellington Street, Grimsby (01472 357982)

**Collections Last Sunday**

£1247.21. Thank you for your support of the Church's mission.

**Encounter:** Lord Jesus, give us the grace to encounter you in our daily lives. May we meet you in Creation, the world in which we live. May we meet you in one another, since we are all brothers and sisters. May we meet you in the Scriptures, where you challenge us to repent and believe the Good News. May we meet you in the Eucharist, in which you dwell within us, transforming us by the power of your Holy Spirit into your living presence. Draw us deeper into holy communion with the Father and all people, that we may worship you with our hearts and serve you in our daily lives. Be born in us today. Amen.

***Father Andrew, Deacon Stephen, Deacon Richard, Sr Ann Helen & Sr Bridgetta  
wish you and your family every blessing for a happy New Year!***

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for January:** That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world. Lord, hear our prayer!

**Cycle of Prayer:** During the seasons of Advent & Christmas, we pray for: openness to the Word of God, migrants & refugees, and expectant mothers. We also pray for Fr Colum, Fr Tony, the sick & housebound of our parish, the mission of our parish schools, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Baptism Preparation:** The next preparation course with Deacon Stephen will take place on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00 pm in the parish hall. Parishioners who would like their children to be baptised should complete the form at the back of each church and return it to Fr Andrew at Sunday Mass; this can be done before the child has been born. Once the course has been completed, a date and time will be set for the Baptism.

**Christmas Crib:** This year, the crib offerings will be given to support seafarers in our borough and the Friends of the Holy Land, which supports vulnerable Christians in Our Lord's earthly homeland. The cribs will be in place until 2<sup>nd</sup> February, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on the fortieth day after his birth.

**Fr Andrew** will be away from 6<sup>th</sup> until 11<sup>th</sup> January.

**Leftover Chocolate & Biscuits** from the Christmas festivities can be left in any of our churches or St Mary's Presbytery for the Apostleship of the Sea & Harbour Place.

**Marriage Preparation:** God the Father has created marriage as a mutual and exclusive covenant between one man and one woman, by which they establish between themselves a loving and intimate partnership of their whole life, which of its own nature is ordered both to the well-being of the spouses themselves and to the procreation and education of children. The Church welcomes with joy those who wish to marry in accordance with her teaching. At the same time, the Church is aware of the many pressures of modern life which can endanger their commitment, their relationship and their family life. A couple who wish to marry in 2019 should speak to Fr Andrew as soon as possible and should not make any other arrangements concerning their wedding until they have spoken to him. They will then be asked to take part in a marriage preparation course, since all couples preparing for marriage need and are entitled to receive the support of the Church, so that they will be strengthened by the Holy Spirit as they prepare for, celebrate, and live out the commitment which they will make at their wedding. The Church thanks all those married people who show great constancy and faithfulness in their vocation and prays that their example may inspire all who are preparing to marry.

**The Pope's Prayer Intentions 2019:** Please take a leaflet at the end of Mass today so that you can join in the mission of the Holy Father's Worldwide Prayer Network to pray for Pope Francis' prayer intentions in 2019.

**The Social & Fundraising Group** will meet in St Mary's Presbytery after Mass on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January.

**Safeguarding Awareness Level 1 Training** will be in the parish hall on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00 pm; it is for anyone within the parish who may, through their role, come into contact with children or vulnerable adults, and is especially relevant for EMHCs and SVP members making home visits. For further information, please contact Richard Mellows or the parish office.

**St Charles Borromeo Slimming Club:** Who ate all the mince pies? If it was you (it was certainly me) you'll be thrilled to hear that the St Charles Borromeo Slimming Club is launching in the parish hall on Fridays at 4.30 pm, starting on the first Friday after the Season of Christmas ends – 18<sup>th</sup> January 2019! The idea of the club is to have a non-judgmental, supportive and fun meeting, to share recipe ideas, meal planning, tips and tricks, and, of course, a weekly confidential weigh-in. Our superb parish priest is leading the flock by being sponsored to shed the pounds with all proceeds going to good causes; you can join him in doing so, or slim for yourself – it is totally up to you. Please contact [marsden.bethany@yahoo.com](mailto:marsden.bethany@yahoo.com) for further information. Come and join us; and always remember – Catholics who slim together, stick together! Beth Marsden

**Senior Citizens Group – 9<sup>th</sup> January 2019:** All are welcome to the senior citizens group this Wednesday, beginning with a Celebration of Word & Holy Communion at 1.30 pm in Corpus Christi Church.

**Service of Prayer for Christian Unity – 20<sup>th</sup> January 2019:** All are welcome to a Service for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in St Peter's Church, Cleethorpes on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 3.00 pm. Fr Andrew will be preaching, and Christians from across North-East Lincolnshire will gather together to pray in obedience to Our Lord's will that we 'may all be one' (Jn 17:21).

**Starting school in 2019?** Do you have a child or know of any children who were born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2015? If so, are you aware that they will start school in September 2019? It is a great responsibility being a parent and choosing the right school for your child is one of the most difficult and important decisions you will ever make. Our parish's primary schools both provide a first-class education for your child, which is rooted in the Gospel and in which all are valued in the name of Jesus the Christ. Contact the school to book an appointment to see our excellent schools, which will welcome you warmly: St Joseph's Catholic Academy in Cleethorpes (01472 690672; [office@sjp.academy](mailto:office@sjp.academy)) or St Mary's Catholic Academy in Grimsby (01472 357982; [office@smp.nelcmail.co.uk](mailto:office@smp.nelcmail.co.uk)).

**200 Club:** There are still a number of subscriptions outstanding, and payments should be made by next Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> January, at the latest. Thank you.

**From Pope Francis:** Let us welcome God's love in the Christ Child; and let us commit ourselves to making the world more humane and worthy for the children of today and tomorrow.