

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

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SUNDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 2019 – OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Saturday 23rd November	4.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
	6.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Sunday 24th November	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
	9.15 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby
Tuesday 26 th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer in Cleethorpes
	10.00 am	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
	11.00 am	Cleethorpes Churches Working Together Prayer in Cleethorpes
	1.30 pm	Funeral Service in Grimsby
Wednesday 27 th November	10.00 am	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Immingham
	2.00 pm	Open Prayer Time in Cleethorpes
	7.00 pm	Celebration of Word & Holy Communion in Grimsby
Thursday 28 th November	10.00 am	Funeral Mass in Grimsby
	1.30 pm	Funeral Mass in Cleethorpes
	6.00 pm	Rosary in Grimsby
	8.00 pm	Mass in 23 Sherwood Road, Grimsby
Friday 29 th November	12.15 pm	Mass in Grimsby
Saturday 30th November	10.00 am	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes
	4.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
	6.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Sunday 1st December	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
First Sunday of Advent	9.15 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby
	3.00 pm	Evening Prayer in St Mary's Church, Brigg
	6.30 pm	Advent Service in St Margaret's Church, Laceby

Eucharistic Adoration This Week

Wednesday	6.15-6.55	Grimsby
Friday	11.30-12.10	Grimsby
Saturday	10.00-11.00	Cleethorpes

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Richard Mellows (01472 752017), Sarah Pollard (01472 690672) & Shelagh Winter (01472 593780)

Collections Last Week

£1281.85. Thank you for your support of the Church's mission.

Sacrament of Reconciliation This Week

Friday	11.30-12.00	Grimsby
Saturday	10.00-10.45	Cleethorpes
Saturday	3.40-3.55	Immingham
Saturday	5.40-5.55	Cleethorpes

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)

**Parish Christmas Fayre & Prize Draw – Sunday 24th November – Noon – St Mary's Catholic Academy
All are welcome – please come along!**

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for November: That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

Cycle of Prayer: During the autumn of Ordinary Time, we pray for: the harvest, the fruits of human work and the reverent use of Creation; students and teachers; the spread of the Gospel; justice and peace in the world; prisoners and their families; all victims of war; and young people. 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.

Apostleship of the Sea: Empty shoeboxes and items for the **shoebox appeal** can be dropped off at one of the churches or St Mary's Presbytery. Please keep collecting so that we can give some festive cheer at Christmas to our seafarers, to whom we owe so much. All are welcome to help to pack the shoeboxes next Sunday, 1st December, from 10.30 am in the parish hall, and to the carol service in the Seafarers' Centre, Immingham Dock on Thursday 12th December at 7.30 pm.

CARE Toys for Joy 2019: This annual event provides toys to some of the most vulnerable children in North East Lincolnshire who would otherwise receive nothing at Christmas. CARE are in need of volunteers to help on 11th & 12th December 2019 in our parish hall. Please see the poster in each church or contact Katie Jones (01472 232310; katie.j@carenelincs.co.uk) for more information.

The Faithful Departed: Please pray for: Theresa Sparkes, whose Funeral will be celebrated in St Mary on the Sea Church on Tuesday 26th November at 1.30 pm; Graham Farmer, whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated in Corpus Christi Church on Thursday 5th December at 10.00 am prior to committal in Cleethorpes Cemetery; and their families and friends who mourn their loss.

Justice and Peace group will meet at St Mary's Presbytery on Tuesday, December 3rd at 7pm. All welcome.

'Let Christ enter in' – 2nd December 2019: To begin Advent and to prepare ourselves for Christmas, there will be a Liturgy of Reconciliation in Corpus Christi Church, with priests from across our deanery to hear confessions, on Monday 2nd December at 7.00 pm; the liturgy will be followed by refreshments in the parish hall.

Parish Christmas Lunch – 15th December 2019: Booking forms are available for this year's lunch on Sunday 15th December in the Humber Royal; the deadline for booking is next Sunday, 1st December. Tickets cost just £12.50 per head or £6.00 for under-14s for a good meal and social with friends & family in the run-up to Christmas. There will be a prize for the best Christmas jumper. Please come along and have fun – a highlight of the year!

Poinsettias in St Mary on the Sea Church: If you would like to donate a poinsettia in memory of a deceased family member or friend, please complete an envelope available in the churches and return to Fr Andrew or Gail Fenelon with £2.00 enclosed for each poinsettia.

Dates for the Diary:

Sun 1 st Dec	10.30	AoS Christmas Shoebox Packing in the Parish Hall
	3.00	Evening Prayer for the Year of the Word in St Mary's Church, Brigg
Mon 2 nd Dec	7.00	<i>Let Christ enter in</i> – A Liturgy of Reconciliation in Cleethorpes
Sun 8 th Dec	3.00	<i>In Remembrance</i> – Carol Service in memory of the faithful departed in Cleethorpes
Mon 9 th Dec	7.00	Mass for the Immaculate Conception in Grimsby
Thu 12 th Dec	7.30	Carol Service in the Seafarers' Centre, Immingham Dock
Sun 15 th Dec	12.30	Parish Christmas Lunch in the Humber Royal Hotel
Wed 18 th Dec	7.00	Carols by Candlelight in Grimsby with seasonal refreshments
Sun 22 nd Dec	3.00	<i>Emmanuel</i> – A Holy Hour to prepare for Christmas in Grimsby
Thu 26 th Dec	10.00	Mass for Altar Servers in Grimsby
Sun 5 th Jan	3.00	Children's party in the parish hall
Sat 11 th Jan	7.30	New Year Celebration in the parish hall

The Nativity of the Lord will be celebrated as follows:

Christmas Eve – Tuesday 24th December:

4.00	Vigil Mass in Immingham preceded by carols at 3.30 pm
7.00	Vigil Mass in Cleethorpes preceded by carols at 6.30 pm
11.30	Midnight Mass in Grimsby

Christmas Day – Wednesday 25th December:

9.15	Mass of the Dawn in Cleethorpes
11.00	Mass of the Day in Grimsby

SVP: There will be a retiring collection to support our parish SVP group next weekend.

The St Thérèse of Lisieux Catholic Multi-Academy Trust is looking to appoint an HR advisor based in Lincoln. The closing date is 29th November 2019; please visit www.stlcmat.org.uk/vacancies for more details.

200 Club monies (£12 per number per year) are now due for 2020. Please make cheques payable to HOLY TRINITY GCI RCP, and clearly label payments with your name and '200 Club'. If you pay by standing order, please email the parish office (office@holytrinitygci.uk) to confirm that your payment has been made.

Year of the Word: All are welcome to **Evening Prayer** in St Mary's Church in Brigg at 3.00 pm next Sunday, 1st December, to inaugurate the Year of the Word, which begins on the First Sunday of Advent and which will be focussed on deepening our appreciation of and love for Sacred Scripture. We will be exploring the Eucharist in Scripture during a six-week **Lenten Bible Course**. Throughout Advent, sign-up sheets will be available in each church for people to express their interest in taking part; please speak to Deacon Steve for more information.