

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

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## SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2020 – THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

<b>Saturday 11<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 12<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>
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	10.00 am	Mass in Immingham
	2.00 pm	Open Prayer Time in Cleethorpes
	4.00 pm	Liturgy in Cleethorpes for Governors & Staff of St Mary's & St Joseph's Catholic Academies
	7.00 pm	Mass in Grimsby
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	10.30 am	Funeral Mass in Grimsby
	1.30 pm	Mass in St Joseph's Catholic Academy
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	9.30 am	Mass in Grimsby with St Mary's Catholic Academy
<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January</b>	1.30 pm	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 19<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby (Polish)</b>
<b>Second Sunday</b>	<b>9.15 am</b>	<b>Mass in Cleethorpes</b>
<b>in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Mass in Grimsby</b>

### Eucharistic Adoration This Week

Wednesday 6.15-6.55 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

£1340.05 Thank you for your support of the Church's mission.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation This Week

Wednesday 6.15-6.45 Grimsby  
Saturday 1.30-2.15 Cleethorpes  
Saturday 3.40-3.55 Immingham  
Saturday 5.40-5.55 Cleethorpes

### Our Parish Schools

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

**In the Sacrament of Baptism, we were consecrated to share in Jesus' mission as Prophet, Priest & King:** 'The God of power and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has freed you from sin and brought you to new life through water and the Holy Spirit. He now anoints you with the Chrism of salvation, so that, united with his people, you may remain for ever a member of Christ who is Prophet, Priest & King. You have become a new creation and have clothed yourself in Christ. You have put on Christ; in him you have been baptised. Alleluia, alleluia.'

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for January:** That Christians, followers of other religions and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

**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 St Mary's & St Joseph's schools, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Baptism Preparation:** The next preparation course with Deacon Stephen will take place on Thursday 23<sup>rd</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:** The cribs will remain in our churches and hall until the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February. This year, the crib offerings will be given to support CARE's provision of a food bank here in the Borough of North East Lincolnshire and the Friends of the Holy Land, who support vulnerable Christians in Our Lord's earthly homeland. Please be generous!

**Leftover chocolate & biscuits, etc.,** from the Christmas festivities can be left in any of our churches or St Mary's Presbytery for Stella Maris or Harbour Place.

**Mass Intentions:** Asking for Mass to be offered for a specific intention is a beautiful way of asking our parish family to pray for that intention and, by giving an offering, you support the mission of the Church in our parish. Please give at least three months' notice if you wish Mass to be offered for a specific intention on a specific day in a specific church; if it is not possible to offer the Mass on the requested date, e.g., if there is no Mass that day or there is already an intention, it will be offered as soon as is practicable, as it will if you do not have a specific date in mind. Mass intentions are published in the bulletin and announced during the prayer of the faithful. The suggested Mass offering in the Diocese of Nottingham is £10.00. Please place your offering in one of the brown Mass offering envelopes provided in each church and return it to Fr Andrew or Sr Ann Helen.

**The Parish Office** is open from Tuesday to Friday between 9.00 am & 3.00 pm. The office is closed at weekends, on Mondays and on bank holidays; outside office hours, please email [office@holytrinitygci.uk](mailto:office@holytrinitygci.uk) or leave a voicemail (01472 342301).

**Pastoral Visits at Home:** Please contact St Mary's Presbytery if you would like Fr Andrew to visit you at home, whether it is because you would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, or would just like to have a chat. If you cannot come to Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion at home, either on a temporary or a more permanent basis, please get in touch with the Presbytery; in the first instance, Fr Andrew will visit you before

arranging for an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion to visit you on a regular basis, weekly, fortnightly or monthly as you prefer.

**St Charles Borromeo Wellness Club** meets each Friday at 4.00 pm in St Mary's Presbytery and provides a relaxing, non-judgmental, supportive & fun atmosphere to share recipe ideas, meal planning, tips & tricks, and, of course, a weekly confidential weigh-in so that we can have healthy minds in healthy bodies. All are welcome!

**The SVP** will be holding their district meeting in the parish hall this Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> January, at 2.30 pm. It will be preceded by Holy Hour in Corpus Christi Church at 1.30 pm, to which all are welcome.

**Sick & Retired Priests Fund:** There will be a second collection to support our Diocese's sick & retired priests next weekend. Having given a lifetime of service to the Church, most of our priests do not have their own private income, pensions or home, and are reliant upon this fund to support them in sickness or retirement. Thank you for your generosity.

**The Social & Fundraising Group** will meet in St Mary's Presbytery after 7.00 pm Mass on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January. If you have any thoughts or ideas on social activities or fundraising, please speak to a member of the group before then, so that due consideration can be given, as we are always looking for new ideas.

**200 Club:** There are still a number of subscriptions outstanding, and payments should be made by this Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> January, at the latest. Any unclaimed prizes from 2019 will be returned to the parish funds. Please see the poster in the porches and contact the parish office to arrange collection. Thank you.

**Welcomers** are needed for each Sunday Mass: just a little extra time before Mass once a month would help everyone to participate more fully in the Eucharistic Celebration. Please see Fr Andrew, Sr Ann Helen or any welcomer if you can help.

**Year of the Word:** Please see the posters in each church about events taking place across the Diocese.

**The Work of Christmas:** The liturgical Season of Christmas concludes with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. This poem, by the African-American civil rights leader Howard Thurman (1899-1981) reminds us that the work is only now beginning:

When the song of the angels is stilled,  
when the star in the sky is gone,  
when the kings and the princes are home,  
when the shepherds are back with their flock,  
the work of Christmas begins:  
to find the lost,  
to heal the broken,  
to feed the hungry,  
to release the prisoner,  
to rebuild the nations,  
to bring peace among brothers,  
to make music in the heart.