**SACRED HEART, HOWDEN AND ST JOSEPH & ST THOMAS, GOOLE**

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**Week Commencing 15th December 2024**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT (Year C)**

**(GAUDETE SUNDAY)**

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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| Date | Time | | Place | Service/Event | Intentions |
| Sat 14th Dec | 4.30pm-5.00pm | | St. Joseph’s | Exposition | |
| 5.30pm | | St. Joseph’s | Vigil Mass | People of the parish |
| Sun 15th Dec 2024  THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT (GAUDETE SUNDAY) | 9.30am | | Sacred Heart | Mass | Private Intention (PJD) |
| 11.00am | | St. Joseph’s | Mass | Fady Kako, for recovery from a near fatal car crash in the USA |
| Mon 16th Dec | 8.00am | | Sacred Heart | Mass | Private Intention (DJ) |
| Tues 17th Dec | 10.00am | Sacred Heart | | Mass | RIP Frank Crawley (10th anniversary on 18/12/2024) |
| **4.00pm** | | Reception into St Joseph’s Church, Vigil for the Deceased with Mass. RIP FR DONALD CLEMENTS (LD) | | |
| Wed 18th Dec | **10.00am** | | Requiem Mass at St Joseph’s Church, RIP FR DONALD CLEMENTS (LD) followed by interment at Hook Road Cemetery, Goole | | |
| Thurs 19th Dec | 10.00am | | Sacred Heart | Mass | RIP Fr Geoffrey Parfitt (4th anniversary) |
| 10.30am-10:50am | | Sacred Heart | Confessions | |
| Fri 20th Dec | 10.00am | | St Joseph’s | Mass | November Dead List RIP Deceased relatives and friends of the Livingston and Crane families |
| 10.30am-10:50am | | St Joseph’s | Confessions | |
| Sat 21st Dec | 8.00am | | Sacred Heart | Mass | Intentions of Ann Canavan |
| 4.30pm-5.00pm | | St. Joseph’s | Exposition | |
| 5.30pm | | St. Joseph’s | Vigil Mass | People of the parish |
| Sun 22nd Dec 2024  FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT  Day of Prayer for Expectant Mothers | 9.30am | | Sacred Heart | Mass | RIP Allan Baker (first anniversary on 24/12/24) |
| 11.00am | | St. Joseph’s | Mass | RIP Fr Bernard Battle (3rd anniversary) |

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT THIS WEEK

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| Sacred Heart | 9.15am on Tuesday | 9.15am on Thursday |
| St. Joseph’s | None on Wednesday | 9.15am on Friday |

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Please pray for them.  
Damian Ainscough, Anna Barszc, Christopher Brown, Fr Don Clements, Patience Dare, Carol Dent, Anne Hayward, Eileen Hodgson, Dorothy Kershaw, Anthony Margrave, Jean McAndrew, Bernard Rook, Ken Rumney, Timmy Ryan, Kevin and Catherine Thornton, Alison Urquhart, and all those who are ill and would like to remain anonymous.

RIP FR DONALD CLEMENTS

The arrangements for the funeral of Fr Don Clements, lately deceased, will be as so:

This Tuesday, 17th December, 2024, at 4.00pm.

Reception into St Joseph’s Church, Goole, with Vigil for the Deceased and Mass.

This Wednesday, 18th December, 2024, at 10.00am

Funeral Mass at St Joseph’s Church, Goole, (at which the Bishop of Portsmouth, Rt. Rev. Philip Egan, will preside).

11.45am Interment in Hook Road Cemetery, Goole,

*May he rest in peace and*

*be forever in the radiance of God’s light. Amen*.

The charity, Catholic Care, Caritas, Leeds, is currently in the process of recruiting a new Director/CEO. Please see the notices on our parish noticeboards for details.

OFFERINGS BY STANDING ORDER

Those of you who wish to give offerings to the parish by Standing Order (if you are not already doing) will need these details: HSBC: 40-27-15 ACCOUNT NO: 31017373 ACCOUNT NAME: DIOCESE OF LEEDS

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Tickets for Christmas Raffle on sale at the back of the churche before Mass this Sunday. Raffle will be drawn at the end of Mass.

We are having a cake stall on Sunday 22nd December 2024. Any baking or donations of cakes welcome. Thank you - Pat and Andrea.

ST JOSEPH’S CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

We will be holding our usual Christmas Raffle soon, with tickets on sale from Saturday evening Mass 16th November. Anyone wishing to donate a prize would be most welcome. Thank you.

For your diaries

THICKET CARMELITE PRIORY – April 2nd – Mass and a Lenten Reflection given by Fr John Farrell O.P., former provincial of the Order.

Pope Francis has written an encyclical letter on devotion to the Sacred Heart – a copy is available for circulation

Also the latest copy of the CTS Catalogue please consult but do not take it away