CATHOLIC CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND ST JOHN, GORING-ON-THAMES & CHRIST THE KING, WOODCOTE

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REGULAR SERVICES

Sunday Mass: 6pm (Sat) & 10am - Goring. 12 noon - Woodcote.

Weekday Mass: Mon & Fri. 9am (Tue-Thu & Sat) Goring. Holy Hour & Benediction – 9am, Fri.

Morning Prayer & Rosary: half an hour before Mass. Evening Prayer & Rosary: 5.30pm Sat.

Confessions: 10.30- 11.30am & 7pm Sat (Goring). 12-12.30pm Sat (Woodcote)

Baptisms, Marriages etc. by appointment & instruction.

Preparation for First Confession & Holy Communion during Autumn & Spring months.

READERS	6pm	10m	12noon
6/7 Dec	M. Wilkinson	Wheatley Family	Mrs Griffiths/ C. Gregory
13/14 Dec	J. O'Donohue	C & C Quinton	Mrs Mc Adden
CLEANING / FLOWERS	5/6 Dec	Group D (Goring)	Mrs Mills
COUNTERS	8/12 D. Godley	16/12 C & C Quinton	23/12 C. Gregory

OFFERTORY COLLECTION 29/30 November = £394.20. POOR PARISHES = £196.50p

GREETERS - As they enter the church for Sunday Mass people are greeted by a member of the parish and given a hymn book and Mass text. If you feel that you could help in this way and join the existing troupe of welcomers please contact Rita Browne (01491873193). It would only involve once a month or even less depending on the number of new recruits.

LIFTS TO CHURCH FOR PEOPLE WITH WALKING DIFFICULTIES – Any drivers who might like to help with conveying residents of Lyndhurst Court to Mass on Sunday, please contact David Browne (873193) or on djimbrowne@hotmail.com. We urgently need new drivers to share the task.

ST LEONARD'S, WOODCOTE CAROL SERVICE - Sunday 21st December at 6pm. Rev Linda Smith has invited us to provide 3 readers from our parish. Contact Fr Antony for the relevant readings.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) SERVICE – Will take place at St Michael's, Sonning Common on Tues 22^{nd} December at 7pm. Several priests will be available for confession during the evening.

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DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES - Available at £3 each. Full details of who's who in our Diocese.

FEAST DAYS AND MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sun 7th - SECIOND IN ADVENT

6pm (Sat) - Parish

10am -

12 –

Mon 8TH - THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR LADY

10am

Tue 9TH – St Diego Cuahtlatoatzin

9am-

Wed 10th - feria

9am -

Thu 11th- Pope St Damasus

9am - NDL

Fri 12th – Our Lady of Guadalupe

9am – (Holy Hour Morning Prayer +Benediction + Mass with Reception of Confirmation of Lynda Ellis.

Sat 13th – St Lucy

9am -

6pm - Parish

Sunday 14th- THIRD OF ADVENT (Gaudete)

SCOUTS' CAROL SERVICE this SUNDAY (7TH) at ST THOMAS'S, GORING, 4pm.