



**CATHOLIC CHURCH  
OF  
OUR LADY & ST. PETER  
LEATHERHEAD**



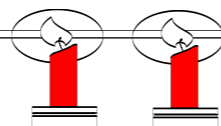
THE SPIRIT OF CATHOLICISM: CONTEMPLATION & COMPASSION,  
COURTESY & COURAGE

'Act justly, love mercy, walk humbly with your God'. Micah 6:8

*Ever seeking a Grace-filled culture of love.*

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**9th DECEMBER 2018 — SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**



**CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE**



This year's Carol Service will take place this coming  
**Friday 14th December at 6.00pm.**

**ADVENT  
PENITENTIAL  
SERVICE**



**THIS COMING  
THURSDAY  
13TH DECEMBER  
7.00pm**

**With visiting confessors.**

**CHRISTMAS CARDS,  
ADVENT CALENDARS AND  
NATIVITY SETS ETC.**



are on sale in the Repository.  
Put **Christ** back into **Christmas**  
by sending only  
Religious Christmas Cards!

**Will you decorate  
a window this Christmas?**

Once again, we are asking  
families to decorate  
the windows in the Church.

**The lamps to be left in place.**

*Please sign on the list in the Vestibule.*

**WILL IT BE YOU  
THIS YEAR?**



Tickets for our annual Hampers  
Raffle will be on sale after Mass  
today at £1.00 per ticket.

The draw will be made in the Hall  
following the Christmas Carol  
Service on Friday 14th December.

**LECTIO DIVINA GROUP**

**NEXT MEETING  
FRIDAY 14th DECEMBER  
7.45PM  
PARISH MEETING ROOM**

**READ LUKE  
CHAPTER 3:1-6  
IN PREPARATION**

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**CHRISTMAS LITURGIES**



There is a clipboard in the Vestibule  
for Readers, Eucharistic Ministers &  
Welcomers to "sign up" for the  
Vigil Mass at 8.00 pm Christmas  
Eve. Please volunteer.

**LARGE  
POINSETTAS**



would be very welcome  
for Christmas.

**Christmas Posters**



are available in the  
Vestibule. Please take one  
and display the Poster in a  
prominent position  
on your window.

**PARISH LOTTERY  
DRAW**



"congratulations"  
**Margaret Waghorn**

who won £170.00 in November  
Lottery draw (winning no 440).  
The amount collected was £340.00.

The Diocese of Arundel and Brighton  
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	<b>Divine Office: Week 2</b>	<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	<b>Readings: Cycle C</b>	
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Exposition of The Most Blessed Sacrament Saturdays 10.30 - 11.00 am		SACRED LITURGY		Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 10.30 - 11.00 am	
Day	Saint/Feast	Time	Intentions etc.		
SUN 9TH	<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Michael Taylor RIP Gabriel Meagher RIP Intentions of Winnie Tighe (90th Birthday)		
MON 10TH	MONDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK IN ADVENT	9.15 am 9.30 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Dorothy & Edward Rooney RIP		
TUES 11TH	ST DAMASUS I, POPE		NO MASS		
WED 12TH	OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE	9.15 am 9.30 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> In honour of St Philomena - In Thanksgiving		
THUR 13TH	ST LUCY, VIRGIN, MARTYR	<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Advent Penitential Service</b>		
FRI 14TH	ST JOHN OF THE CROSS, PRIEST, DOCTOR DAY OF ABSTINENCE	9.15 am 9.30 am <b>6.00 pm</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Donal Beatty RIP <b>Christmas Carol Service</b>		
SAT 15TH	SATURDAY OF THE SECOND WEEK OF ADVENT	9.45 am 10.00 am 10.30 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Rose McKie RIP <i>Exposition and Confessions</i>		
SUN 16TH	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT GAUDETE SUNDAY</b>	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Madeline Van Pelt RIP Wellbeing of David Watts Michell Hillsdon RIP		

**Collections and Mass Attendance.**

The collection on Sunday 2nd  
December was £944.61.  
Mass attendance was 349.

**From the Fathers... Forgiveness Comes  
From Christ's Baptism**

"St John came into all the region of the  
Jordan, preaching a baptism of repen-  
tance for the forgiveness of sins." It is  
apparent to all who read that John not  
only preached a baptism of repentance  
but also bestowed it on some. Yet he was  
not able to bestow a baptism for the for-  
giveness of sins. Forgiveness of sins is  
granted us only in the baptism of Christ.  
We must note the words "preaching a  
baptism of repentance for the forgiveness  
of sins." He preached a baptism that  
would take away sins, but he was unable  
to give it himself. By his word of preach-  
ing he was the forerunner of the Father's  
Word incarnate. By his baptism, which  
could not of itself take away sin, he was  
to be the forerunner of that baptism of  
repentance by which sins are taken away.  
His words prepared the way for the Re-  
deemer's actual presence, and his  
preaching of baptism was a foreshadow-  
ing of the truth.

*St Gregory The Great  
(540 - 604)*

**Please pray for those who are  
sick or housebound:**

*If you wish to add or remove any  
names on this list, please contact  
Parish Office.*

**Prayfully remembering Our Dead.  
Anniversaries at this time:**

John Offen, Edward Bates,  
Anna Tiefenthaller, Mundy Terence,  
Rose Duncan, Constance Farrell.

**MINISTRIES OF SERVICE — 16th December**

	<b>8.30 am</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>6.00 pm</b>
Reader	Pat Harris	Lidia Kostuch-Bush	Emma Burdon
Special Ministers	Margaret Waghorn Dominic Sauls	Ray Brown Jackie Williams	Tina Beale William Mayor
Welcomers	Elizabeth Twist Noelle Forte-Passey	Nick Banks	Derek Nightingale
Counters	Richard Chapman		

**COFFEE**

**CLEANING - Week Commencing**

<b>16th Dec</b>	Kathy Capus & Lena Catlin	<b>17th Dec</b>	Cathy Smith & Val Ellis
<b>23rd Dec</b>	Nadine Lloyd	<b>24th Dec</b>	Rose Tumelero & Valerie Howard

**FLOWERS FOR SUNDAY**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

<b>16th Dec</b>	Greenery	<b>16th Dec</b>	Ruth Hall
<b>23rd Dec</b>	Greenery	<b>23rd Dec</b>	Nadine Lloyd