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Shrine Church of Ss Peter & Paul and St Philomena Dome of Home



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### Wishing You a Happy and Holy Christmas Canon Montjean Canon Poucin Fr Gribbin

Welcome! Please join us for refreshments and a chat after the 10.30am Mass. All the refreshments are donated by parishioners. This month's collection is for the homeless charity <u>Wirral Ark.</u> Many thanks (£25 last week)



Behold a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son', says Isaiah in today's communion antiphon. The time is drawing very near when we, in spirit, will be taken to Bethlehem by the Church's liturgy, where we will truly adore Christ in the mystery of His sacred birth in our humanity. Can you image it? God incarnate, born of the Blessed Virgin Mary, true God from true God, the creator of the world, as a tiny babe, lain in a manger. There are not enough words in the history of the world to do justice to this sublime mystery and the historical fact of the incarnation, for our salvation. Silent adoration, in addition to the beautiful liturgical texts used during Christmas, is another, profound way to express our joy at the birth of the Christchild. It was the way of the shepherds, who were the first human beings, other than Mary and Joseph, to adore our Lord. The angels were present, too, at this sublime event. May we thank God to the best of our ability, with the help of his grace, and join our 'Gloria in excelsis Deo' to that of the angels present at the first Christmas. *Fr Gribbin* 

> Additional Times For Confessions Before Christmas: Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>: 4.30 - 5.30pm Monday 24<sup>th</sup>: 10am - 12 noon & 2 - 5 pm

**Second collection today** for the heating of the church and presbytery. Thank you for your generosity.

**New Church heating system urgently required!** We need to raise funds either by donations or by grant funding for a new efficient system under the advice from architect Mark Pearce. If you have experience in raising this kind of money please get in touch! Many thanks. Congratulations to the winners of the Christmas draw<sub>o</sub>

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Bill Ralphs 2<sup>nd</sup>: Catherine Nelson 3<sup>rd</sup>: Daniel Jones 4<sup>th</sup>: Helen Dockerty 5<sup>th</sup>: John Allen

#### CATECHISM CLASS:

Next class on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Jan. Approx. 20mins after 10.30am Mass. Age 12-15. contact: <u>chn.montjean@icrsp.org</u>

YOUTH GROUP Ages 14-25. Next meeting: in the new year – new members welcome. Contact: <u>newbrighton@icrsp.org</u>

**FAMILY FATIMA DAYS – January 12<sup>th</sup> at <u>12</u> <u>noon</u>. Talks for Parents and children, craft activities, rosary. ALL WELCOME!** 

#### MBROIDERY & SEWING GROUP

The next sewing day will be <u>January 19<sup>th</sup></u> For details contact 07767 752 671.

#### **A**DULT FAITH FORMATION

Theme of the Year: introduction to St Thomas Aquinas and the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. One Tuesday every month. Next talk: Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 6.30pm. All welcome.

#### DOMUS CHRISTIANI

Monthly faith formation for married couples. Next meeting TBA. Contact <u>newbrighton@icrsp.org</u>

#### **PIETY SHOP**

Opening times: Fri 8.45-10am & Sat 11-12 noon. Sun after both Masses. New Mass books available £5 Foodbank donations. Ronnie took 86kg last week . Thank you

#### **G**REGORIAN CHANT PRACTICE

Every Monday 7 to 7.30 pm (Canon Poucin will be teaching how to sing the chants authentically). Sunday from 10am in the Presbytery for the propers.

POLYPHONY CHOIR

Practices every Monday at 7.30pm in the Presbytery. New members are most welcome – please have a chat with Clare or Christian after Mass.

#### **C**OLLECTION FOR LAST SUNDAY:

Collection: £355.42 Boxes: £79.02 Standing Orders £230 Raffle £120.00 Donations: £1,200.00 **Total: £1,984.44** Thank you for your generosity!

Grant me, O Lord my God, a mind to know you, a heart to seek you, wisdom to find you, conduct pleasing to you, paithful perseverance in waiting and a hope of finally embracing

# Shrine Restoration

#### Volunteer hours

Thanks everyone for sending your volunteer hours. So far, you have done the equivalent of £5194 towards our match funding. If you still need to submit hours, I need the following information by email or on paper: your name, today's date, task e.g. cleaning, refreshments, admin, gardening, florist, website, bulletin etc... Approx. number of hours. GBU Anne

#### **HLF Shrine Restoration Grant.**

Visitors can you help us by filling in our survey? Avaiable at the back of church or

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/domeofhome

Or phone <u>Rachel</u> on <u>07770 266679</u>. There is also a children's survey for all our school visitors and other children. https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/domeofhomeforchildren

The AGM for the new 'Friends of the Shrine' will be Friday 25th

January 2019 after the 7pm Mass 7:50pm for tea and coffee 8pm meeting.All welcome.

The refreshment donations (given after Sunday 10:30 am Mass) during January, will support our school St. Francis de Sales in Gabon, Africa.





Founded in September last year, St Francis de Sales' school already has 200 pupils! Next summer Canon Pinoteau (priest of the ICKSP in Lille, France) will take 15 young French people to help build a library & a computer room. Access to literaure and being computer literate is really important in finding a job.

More details to come in next newsletters. Thank you for your help toward this project!

## Weekly Schedule: *The Shrine is open all day for prayer*. Daily Services in the Day Chapel during cold weather

Sunday 23rd	Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	Tues 25 <sup>th</sup>	Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup>	Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup>	
8.30am Lov Mass 9.45-10.15am Confessions	<ul> <li>8.30am Rosary</li> <li>8.45am Confessions</li> <li>9am Mass</li> <li>9.45am: Prime, with reading of the Martyrology of the Martyrology of the Nativity</li> </ul>	<b>8.30am</b> <b>Low Mass</b> 9.45. 10.15am Confessions	10am Mass	7.45am Mass at Birkenhead Carmel <b>9am Mass</b> Followed by blessing of the wine	9.15am Mass (English / Parish Priest for donor's intention)	8.30am Adoration 9.30am Rosary 9.45am Confessions	<b>8.30am</b> <b>Low Mass</b> 9.45- 10.15am Confessions	
10.30am Sung Mass Kyriale: Mass XVII p 81, Credo I	10am - 12 noon: Confessions 2-5 pm: Confessions	10.30am Sung Mass	<u>No 12 noon</u> <u>Mass</u>	<u>No 12 noon</u> <u>Mass</u>	<u>No 12 noon</u> <u>Mass</u>	10am Mass followed by devotions to St Philomena	10.30am Sung Mass	
Confession 4.30 – 5.30pm 5.30pm Vespers Rosary and Benediction	7pm: Matins of the Nativity (Gregorian chant) 10.30pm: Traditional Christmas Carols 11pm: Procession to the Crib, High Mass Kyriale: Mass IX p 71,	5.30pm Vespers Rosary and Benediction	6pm Adoration	6pm Adoration	6pm Adoration <b>7pm Mass</b>		6pm Rosary and Benediction	
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Date	Ordo	Canon Montjean		Canon Poucin		Father Gribbin		
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent - violet	Michael Moore		Novena Holy Souls		UM Barnsdall RIP		
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Eve - violet	Ron Highfield		Novena Holy Souls		Bernard Grank RIP		
Tues 25 <sup>th</sup>	Nativity of Our Lord - white	1 <sup>st</sup> : Parishioners SSPPP 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Canons ICKSP 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Mary Burke		1 <sup>st</sup> : Msgr Wach 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Canon Montjean 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Novena Holy Souls		1 <sup>st</sup> : Gemma Balcomb 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Members ICKSP 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Victoria Bentil, birthday		
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	St. Stephen, Deacon and protomartyr - red	Msgr Wach		Hervé Poucin de Wouilt		Holy Souls especially Foss RIP		
Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup>	St. John the Apostle - white	Beedles & Hastie family		Anne Poucin de Wouilt		Paul Breen RIP		
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Holy Innocents - red	Our Lady's intentions			Canon Louis Poucin de Wouilt		Michael and Mary Doyle RIP	
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	St. Thomas Becket - red	Canon Meney		Dor	Dominique Poucin de Wouilt		Gemma Balcomb	
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday in the Octave of Christmas - white	Clare Johnson			Benoit-Joseph Poucin de Wouilt		People of the parish	

# 31<sup>st</sup> Dec: New Year's Eve

#### 9pm: Adoration & Te Deum in thanksgiving for the past year (*Plenary Indulgence*) French onion soup afterwards!

# 1<sup>st</sup> January: New

# Year's Day

10am: Veni Creator (Plenary Indulgence) followed by Sung Mass

# Prepare for 2019 in the presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.



# Christmas Quiz

1. Who was the King Judaea at the time of Our Lord's birth?

- Herod Agrippa
- ➢ Herod the Great
- ➢ Herod Antipas
- $\blacktriangleright$  Archelaus

2. A commemoration is made of which saint at the Mass of the Dawn on Christmas Day?



St Anastasia St Cecilia St Lucy St Agatha

Which of the following prayers in the Latin Mass is actually Greek

- ≻ Kvrie
- ➤ Gloria
- ≻ Credo
- ➤ Sanctus

Which of the following 4. Kings of England is a saint:

- ➤ Canute
- Edward the Confessor
- ▶ William the Conqueror
- ➢ Henry III

5. Good King Wenceslas was the ruler of which country:

- ➢ Poland
- ≻ Hungary
- ➤ Austria
- Bohemia

Which church is the 6. cathedral of Rome?



the Walls

7. Before the Reformation. the Wirral was in which diocese?

- ≻ Chester
- > York
- Lichfield
- St Asaph

8. What's missing? Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety

#### Using the <u>NUMBERS</u> on the map can you -

9. Locate and name the birthplace of Jesus? The name means 'house of bread' and is also the location of Rachel's tomb and the town where king David was anointed.

10. Name and locate the home town of Jesus.

11. Locate Cana - the birthplace of the Apostle Bartholomew and the place where Jesus changed water to wine?

12. Locate the sea of Galilee - also know as Gennesaret, where Jesus calmed the stormy waters, walked on the water and worked the miracle of the abundant haul of fish.

13. Locate Tiberius which Herod Antipas established as the capital of Galilee.

14. Locate the mount of the beatitudes Mt 5:7. Here Jesus chose his 12 Apostles.

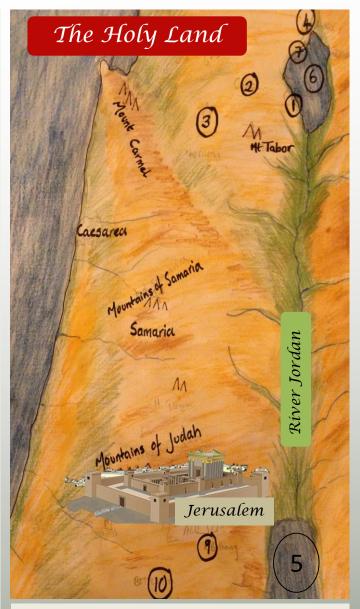
Locate Capernaum, 15. home of Simon Peter and where Jesus taught in the synagogue.

16. Locate Bethany, home of Lazarus, Martha and Mary.

17. Who built the first temple in Jerusalem?

18. Jews made a pilgrimage to the Temple three times a year, for the feast of Pentecost (the first fruits), Tabernacles (the end of harvest). What was the third feast?

19. This first Temple was destroyed 586BC by Nebuchadnezzar, partially rebuilt Ezra Nehemiah. bγ and desecrated by the Greek king Antiochus IV, rededicated by Judas Maccabees 25th Chislev ( Jewish feast of Hanukah which at the time of Christ's birth has been calculated to coincide with the  $25^{th}$  of December in our calendar) and finally reconstructed by Herod the Great.



In what year was this Temple destroyed? If they were too easy here's the tricky ones!

20. Glaswegian Fr Gribbin's favorite food is deep fried Mars bars, true or false?

21. Having built the stable, Canon Poucin is now making plans to build a new wooden, eco church hall, complete with grass roof and garden gnomes, true or false?

## 22. Canon Montjean has NEVER EVER been on Santa's naughty list, true or false?

Set by Jane and Andrew, we hope you enjoyed it!

11: 2 12: 6	13: 1 14: 4 15: 7 15: 7 16: 9 17: Solomon 18: Passover 19: AD 70 20: False, he's never even tried it. 21: False sadly! 22: Yes true
(Chester was not a	cathedral church immediatel y before the reformation but a Benedictine Abbey) 8: The Fear 1 of the Lord (Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit) 9: Bethlehem (10) 10: Nazareth (3)
Answers	1: Herod the Great 2: St Anastasia <i>martyr who</i> <i>suffered for</i> <i>Christ during</i> <i>the time of</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Diocletian's</i> <i>Si</i> Bohemia 6: St John Lateran 7: Lichfield

