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Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, 1st January, 2017

Mass

Mon 9.30am Ss Basil & Gregory, Bp Dr
Tue 12.00pm Funeral Mass for Stephen King
Wed 9.30am
Thu 9.30am
Fri 7.00pm`
Sat 10.00am
6.30pm Vigil
Sun 10.00am Epiphany of Our Lord

Intentions

Yorkshire Brethren
The Parish

Confessions: Saturday 10.30am until 11.15am and 5.30 pm until 6.15pm: or by appointment. (When I am weekly, I am strong)

Holy Hour for Vocations: Holy Hour each Tuesday from 8.30 to 9.30am, before mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Each Thursday after mass until 12.00 noon.

Charismatic Prayer & Praise: Wednesday 7pm in the church hall. All are welcome.

Rosary: Wednesday 9.10am.

Anointing of the Sick: This Friday at the 7pm mass.

Whenever we look to Mary, we come to believe once again in the revolutionary nature of love and tenderness. In her we see that humility and tenderness are not the virtues of the weak but of the strong who need not treat others poorly in order to feel important themselves. Contemplating Mary, we realise that she who praised God for “bringing down the mighty from their thrones” and “sending the rich away empty” (Luke 1:52-53) is also the one who brings a homely warmth to our pursuit of justice.

Parish activities:

Coffee and Tea: Served after Sunday Mass in the church room. Everyone is welcome, so come and join other members of the parish and their friends.

Music Group: Mondays 6 – 7pm. New members welcome. See Notice or contact Steve Burke. Remembers he who sings, prays twice.

SVP: Weekly meeting in the sacristy Tuesday 7.00pm, new members welcome.

Please remember the following in your prayers:

Sick: Paddy Tyrrell, Kiernan Roberts, Veronica Rowley, Martin, Margaret Moloney, Leah Burton, Christopher, Patricia Derry, Gerald O'Connor, Shirley Dowling, John Ellis, Sally Ransom, Patricia Daws, Christopher Brown, Nancy Lancaster, Alf & Betty Fox, Bernard Jennings. (Father David would like to know if there is anybody on this list whose name should be removed.)

Recently Departed: Rita Prest

Church TV: The camera at the back of church is now active. To watch mass etc. go to the internet: www.driffieldcatholicchurch.org.uk and follow Church TV. All our masses are recorded, which means you can watch our masses any time afterwards. (www.churchservices.tv)

Lourdes 2017: See poster for information about next year`s diocesan pilgrimage. Application forms are on the table by the statue of Our Lady.

2017 Year Book: This is available at the back of the church, cost £1, place your money in the same box as the books are in. Thank you.

The Christmas Offering: Fr David wishes to thank everyone for the Christmas offering, and for your presents and cards, thank you very much for your kindness.

White Flower Appeal: This annual appeal will take place next weekend, on behalf of SPUC, therefore there will a retiring collect at the masses next weekend. 2017 marks the 50th anniversary of the Abortion Act.

Welcome to our Visitors: and thank you for joining our celebration. We hope you enjoy your time on the Yorkshire Wolds. Young children are welcome to join in the Children`s Liturgy at the 10am Mass. It helps the parish if tax-paying visitors would use the small white Gift Aid envelope (*found at the back of the church*) for any offering you wish to make, only use these envelopes if you are Gift Aiding your offering, remember to put your name and address on the envelope.