



CHRISTINGLE

Our special Christingle Celebration is next Sunday, 16th December at 3.00pm.

The service involves lots of readers and, of course, our Christingle Youth Orchestra.

The rehearsal is on Saturday 15th December –
**Presentation and Readings 10.30-11.30pm,
Orchestra 11.30-12.30pm.**

Then we need you all to come on the day – it's for all ages!
Any enquiries please contact Theresa on 01296 688839 or email
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CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Monday, December 24th

Christmas Eve Children's Mass at 6 o'clock

Carols from 10.00pm, followed by

Christmas Vigil Mass at 10.30pm.

Tuesday, December 25th

Christmas Dawn Mass at 9.00am

Christmas Day Children's Mass at 11.00am.



GIFT AID BOXES

The new "named" gift aid boxes (i.e. for those who actually do gift aid their donations) are available. Please ask Fr John for your box. The "unnamed" boxes are also now available.

LLCB CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Leighton-Linslade Concert Band (LLCB) invites you all to a concert of Christmas carols and tunes as well as film themes and other popular music, this Tuesday, December 11th at 7:30pm, in the Parish Hall. Refreshments, including mulled wine and mince pies, will be available. Admission is free. All donations offered will go towards Leighton Buzzard's Homeless at Christmas and the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY: Dress to the Decade of YOUR Favourite Music

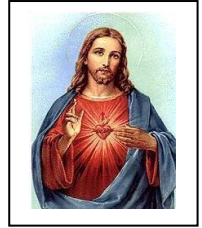
And it will be played! Tickets are £15 each (children £10). Welcome fizz or non-alcoholic aperitifs on arrival, table nibbles served. Bring your own more substantial tipples. Evening food - bring and share. Planned and spontaneous contributions of all levels of talent and enthusiasm to perform on the evening are warmly invited. For performance slots and requests for your favourite hits to be added to the playlist please contact Eugene on eohara.eoh@gmail.com or phone LB 379022.

LEIGHTON LINSLADE CHURCHES TOGETHER

Leighton Linslade Churches Together (LLCT) are in need of a secretary. If you are interested, please ring Tricia Humber on 01525 381184 for details.

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**2nd Sunday of Advent, Year C
9th December 2018**

Saturday	8 th		Confessions Mass	5.30-6.00pm 6.15pm	Theresa McCaughey RIP
Sunday	9 th	2 nd Sunday of Advent, Year C	Mass	11.00am	Mary & Thomas O'Brien RIP
Monday	10 th	Feria Funeral	Mass Service	9.30am 11.30am	Black Horse Shelter Int Albert Soker RIP
Tuesday	11 th	Feria Funeral	Com Service Service	9.30am 11.30am	Maria Passantino RIP
Thursday	13 th	St Lucy	Mass	9.30am	Desmond Dempsey RIP
Friday	14 th	St John of the Cross	Com Service	9.30am	
Saturday	15 th		Confessions Mass	10-10.30am 6.15pm	
Sunday	16 th	3 rd Sunday of Advent, Year C	Mass	11.00am	

SVP WINTER NEEDS COLLECTION

This weekend the SVP will be holding the annual Parish Winter Collection. This enables us to give much needed material help, such as food parcels and fuel payments, to vulnerable families and senior citizens in our area.

NATIVITY PLAY

All the children in the First Holy Communion classes will be presenting their Nativity Play during the 11 o'clock Mass today.

SACRED HEART SINGERS

Sacred Heart Singers will meet on Wednesday this week, 12th December at 7.30pm.

MULLED WINE AND MINCE PIES

After the masses next weekend 15th/16th, the Justice and Peace team will be serving mulled wine, homemade minced pies and plenty of festive good cheer. They will be collecting for the 'Medical Missionaries of Mary', an international missionary congregation of women religious involved in health services around the world. They currently work in 13 countries and with Mary as their model, they are particularly concerned with the care of mothers and their children and fostering family life.