

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE

The Christingle Service last Sunday was, as usual, as shambolic and delightful as ever. We thank the team for making the Christingles, the musicians and readers, Chris for the Christmas tree, and Theresa for organising the whole darned thing!

CHRISTMAS LISTS

There are still some vacancies for Welcomers to help at the Christmas Masses. The list is in the Sacristy: please come and sign up this weekend!

CHRISTMAS OFFERING ENVELOPES

Envelopes for the Christmas Offering, your gift to the parish priest, are available on the entrance table by the newsletters.

MEDICAL MISSIONARIES OF MARY

The donations for the Medical Missionaries of Mary last weekend came to £418.20. Please remember the MMM and the people they work with in your prayers. Many thanks to everyone who donated, and also to the Justice and Peace Group for the scrumptious mince pies and mulled wine.

SLEEP OUT FOR THE HOMELESS SERVICE

To raise funds for the work of Leighton Linslade Homeless Service, Rosie George, volunteer coordinator at the Black Horse Night Shelter, has done a 'sleep out'. If possible, could you please sponsor her by visiting:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/rosie-george>

Any donations will be very gratefully received and used to help the work of the shelter and people who need help in finding renewed hope and direction in life.

MY DAY BY DAY

Copies of the January issue are available on the entrance table, price £1.00.

THE VINE

Copies of the January issue of the Diocesan newspaper, "The Vine", are available at the back of 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

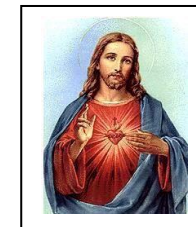
Leighton Linslade Churches Together (LLCT) are in need of a secretary. If you are interested, please ring Tricia Humber on 01525 381184 for details.

AND FINALLY

Father John and Deacon Tony would like to wish you all a very happy Christmas.

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4th Sunday of Advent, Year C 23rd December 2018

Saturday	22 nd		Confessions Mass	5.30-6.00pm 6.15pm	For the parish
Sunday	23 rd	4 th Sunday of Advent, Year C	Mass	11.00am	Dennis Moynihan RIP
Monday	24 th	See below			
Tuesday	25 th	See below			
Thursday	27 th	St John	Mass	9.30am	Jimmy Cunningham Snr RIP
Friday	28 th	Holy Innocents	Com Service	9.30am	
Saturday	29 th	Exposition and	Confessions Mass	10-10.30am 6.15pm	Mike Terleckyj RIP
Sunday	30 th	Holy Family	Mass	11.00am	



CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Monday, December 24th

Christmas Eve Children's Mass at 6 o'clock
(Lena Falcon RIP)

Carols from 10.00pm, followed by
Christmas Vigil Mass at 10.30pm.
(Fr Steve Reith RIP)

Tuesday, December 25th

Christmas Dawn Mass at 9.00am
(Smith Family RIP)

Christmas Day Children's Mass at 11.00am.
(Bishop Francis Thomas anniv)



WELCOME, FR PETER

We give a warm welcome to Fr Peter Maher, who will be saying the 9 o'clock Mass on Christmas Day, whilst I go to Flitwick.