



ST PETER'S CHURCH, BIGGLESWADE

Parish Priest Canon Bennie Noonan
Deacon Rev. John Lang

Saturday 12th / Sunday 13th January 2019
BAPTISM OF THE LORD
Weekday Year 1, Sunday Year C

Psalter Week 1

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Sat. 12th / Sun. 13th January
The Baptism of the Lord
Saturday 12th January
Mass at 6.30 pm
McDermott & Winston
Families; Kelly & Folliard
Families; Michael Boland RIP

Sunday 13th January
Mass at 11.00 am
People of the Parish

Monday 14th January
Feria
Mass at 9.30 am

Tuesday 15th January
Feria
No Mass

Wednesday 16th January
Feria
MASS AT 9.00 am
ROSARY AFTER MASS

Thursday 17th January
St. Anthony
No Mass

Friday 18th January
Feria
Mass at 9.30 am

EXPOSITION of the BLESSED
SACRAMENT
7.30 pm to 8.30 pm

ROSARY: Weekdays normally
before Mass at 9.10 am

Confessions
Sat. 5.45 – 6.15 pm

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Sat. 19<sup>th</sup> Jan. / Sun. 20<sup>th</sup> Jan.  
Second Sunday of the Year

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January  
Mass at 6.30 pm

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January  
Mass at 11.00 am

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Normal Mass Times at
St. Francis of Assisi, Shefford
Sundays 9.00am & 5.15pm
Tues. & Thurs. 9.30am

Thank you for your very generous Christmas Offering.

This amounted to £ 1,523.08.

I do hope that I will spend this wisely and diligently over the coming months. May God reward all of us for what we give to the work of the Church and to our Parish.

CHRISTIAN UNITY – Week of Prayer: 18th - 25th Jan.

Each year the Christian Churches all pray that Our Lord's Prayer at the Last Supper will be fulfilled "ut unum sint" - that they might all be one.

Villages will have their own individual Prayer Evenings/Sessions. Do please support your LOCAL initiative especially if it is in a Village Setting.

Installation of Rev Martin Ceaser Saturday Jan. 19th 3.00p.m.

We are invited to this Ceremony of installation of the new Baptist Minister in Biggleswade. It will be at the Baptist Church (24, London Road). But if you are hoping to go please let them know at office@bbchurch.org.uk or let me know.

Sandy Baptist Church

We would like to invite you to the induction service of our new Minister Mike Yates.
When: Saturday 26th January 2019
Where: Sandy Baptist Church, Bedford Road, Sandy, Bedfordshire, SG19 1EH
Time: 2.00pm
R.S.V.P. by 10th January 2019 jackiedewdney@sky.com

GIVING TREE

Thank you for your generous donations to the **Giving Tree Charities.**

We gave three presents to each child at the refuge, seven loads of duvets and blankets to Kings Arms Night Shelter in Bedford and a car load of food, clothing, toiletries etc. to the Homeless Day Centre in Bedford.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN BIGGLESWADE

Brexit Prayer Vigil, St. Andrew's Church are holding 24 hours of prayer from 8am on Saturday 12th to 8am on Sunday 13th January. All are welcome and they say "Please come and join us as we pray for the future direction of this nation and to seek God's will. Whether you voted Leave or Remain, it doesn't matter – now is the time to come together to cover the nation with prayer!"

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As part of the **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**, Churches Together in Biggleswade will be holding a joint service on Sunday 20th January, 6pm at Trinity Methodist Church. All are welcome.

## **WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**

Please note there is a slight change to Wednesday weekday Mass times. The early start Mass of 9.00 am, usually on the 2nd Wednesday of the month has been changed to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month unless otherwise notified.

Sat. 12<sup>th</sup> / Sun.13<sup>th</sup> January

**Ministers of the Eucharist**

6.30pm L. Graves  
M.C. McFarlane  
11.00am B. Gurney  
K. Hopkins

**Ministers of the Word**

6.30pm C. Barker  
M. Bishop  
11.00am F. Buchan  
M. Combet

**Greeters**

6.30pm J. Smith  
J. Kruschevska  
11.00am F. Day  
S. Lang

**Children's Liturgy - Maria**

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Sat. 19th / Sun.20th January

Ministers of the Eucharist

6.30pm E. O'Callaghan
R. Williams
11.00am S. Lang
C. Neville

Ministers of the Word

6.30pm A. Crawley
E. Crawley
11.00am William C.
J. Hardy

Greeters

6.30pm L. Graves
A. Hampshire
11.00am A. Macdonald
Jeanne McGowan

Children's Liturgy -

100 CLUB WINNERS 2018 (So Far)

April (77) – Peter White £20.00 **May (25)** – John Hampshire £20.00
June (5) – Jane Parkin - £100.00 **July (83)** – Margaret Gale £20.00
August (32) – Michael O'Malley £20.00 **September (26)** – Angela Phillips £20.00
October (2) – Ann Hampshire £20.00 **November (21)** – Nora Balfe £20.00
December (25) – John Hampshire £200.00

Year of Prayer and Vocation.

A very useful source of Video Clips/Reflections on our Bishop Peter's local initiative to help us think of our Christian Calling in 2018. www.formationpathways.co.uk

Contact Details for Father Richard Moroney.

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The S.V.P. meet at St. Peter's on every 3rd Monday of the month after the 9.30 am Mass. Their next Meeting is on Monday the 21st January 2019. For more information please contact either Meg Bishop or Ian Cousins on 07526 753986. Thank you.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 16th Jan: *Social Club Meeting 7.30 pm*
Monday 21st Jan: *SVP Meeting*
Monday 25th Feb: *A "Thinking Theology" Lecture. See Poster on Notice Board*
Sunday 19th May (1pm): *First Holy Communion Service*

A date for your diary!

The Diocese of Northampton is first for the Dowry Tour of Our Lady of Walsingham in 2019!
Thursday February 7th to Saturday February 9th 2019 in the Cathedral Church of Our Lady & St. Thomas. Further details to follow.

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