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SUNDAY 12th DECEMBER 2021 ST. MARY'S LANGHO THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SERVICES LANGHO Mon 9.00am (E.S.), Tue 9.00am, Wed 9.00, Thu 11.30am Requiem for Michael Dignan, Fri 9.00am, Sat Mass 6.00pm, Sun Mass 9.30am. Baptisms 12.30pm.

Confessions Saturday 10.30am - 11.00am

OSBALDESTON Wed 15th December Mass 9.30am Sun 19th December 11.00am Mass

EUCH MIN. Sun 11th Dec Margaret Smith & Celia Dineen. **Sun 5th Dec** Chris Bolton & Bernard Hilton.

Sat 18th Dec Felix Odudu & Janet Moxham. **Sun 19th Dec** Andy Dineen & Agnes Corban

READERS Sat 11th Dec 6.00pm Jeff Moxham **Sun 12th Dec** 9.30am Sheila Moss.

Sat 18th Dec. Angela Wilkinson **Sun 19th Dec.** Trish Wiggins

COLLECTIONS Sun 5th Dec Gift Aid £ 295 Loose £ 165 Standing Orders £ 165. Total £ 625. Thanks

MASS INTENTIONS Michael Dignan (3), Special Intention (2), Joseph Dewhurst, Mary Cooper, Maureen Baker, Michael Holden (2), Frank & Jenny Gillibrand Richard & Veronica Bailey, Kevin O'Hara,

FOODBANK now collect every Monday morning. Your support is vital. Thank you.

FACE MASKS must now be worn in church at all services.

WELCOME to Stanley Frost who was baptised here this Saturday. Congratulations to his family.

"SINGING FOR FUN" in parish centre Thursdays from 6.45pm - 7.45pm. All welcome.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH The Christmas lunch organised for Thursday the 16th December has been cancelled. COVID infections in the area are increasing so we felt it sensible not to go ahead with the lunch. Full refunds are available. John will be at the back of Church with the refunded money.

POSSADA If you would like to host the statues of Joseph and Mary for a night then sign the list in the porch. The person on the list in front of you will contact you about delivering the statues to you and you then contact the person after you on the list about delivering them to them.

200 CLUB WINNERS £100 No. 49 Geoff Moxham. £50 No. 156 Sarah Wood. £30 No. 163 Peter Madigan. £20 No. 1 John Gorner. Congratulations to the winners.

CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of Michael Dignan. The Requiem Mass for Michael will be celebrated here on Thursday 16th December at 11.30am followed by committal at Accrington Crematorium. Rest in peace

CONDOLENCES to Audrey and Maureen on the death of their brother Michael Holden. May he rest in peace.

CHURCH CLEANING for Christmas **MONDAY 13th December at 9.30am**. All welcome to give a hand.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS we need greenery or grasses which we could use to decorate the church. Also any large vases or urns that we could use to display flowers. If anyone would like to make a donation towards Christmas flowers in memory of a loved one please put it in an envelope with the name of that person on and leave it in the offertory basket. Church decoration for Christmas will take place on **Monday 20th December** at 9.30am and anyone who could spend an hour or two to help would be most welcome anytime that morning. For more information or offer of greenery please contact Helen 07527319416 or Liz 07817414725.

CHRISTMAS EVE 3.00pm Mass Langho. **4.30pm** Mass Osbaldeston. **6.00pm** Mass with children Langho

CHRISTMAS DAY 9.30am Mass Langho **11.00am** Mass Osbaldeston. Face masks must be worn at all Masses.

LANGHO IN BLOOM thank you most sincerely for the generous support at the coffee morning. The total raised was £113.30p which will be spent in their efforts to keep Langho blooming.

ERNEST MOFFO a parishioner has been serving in the army for the last 5 years. With his colleagues they have set up a charity CAMBRIS. He will talk about the magazine they have developed to share their activities. Magazines are on sale after the 9.30am Mass for £10. Donations will be welcome. Thank you.

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE led by the children **SUNDAY 19th DECEMBER** at 4.00pm in church followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the parish centre. All Welcome.

We pray for **Father Peter Harvey, Raymond Marsh, Nafees Bhatti, Rani Bhatti, Megan McDonnell, Warren Astin, Joe Kemp, Steve Moss, Mick McKeon, Muriel Scholey, Sheila Aspin, Sarah Hybryk, Margaret Pannikar, Joe Boylan, Gwen Rawstron, Steve Hindle, Betty Taylor, Rita Phelps, Patrick Wood, Charles Davis, Kay O'Neill, Barbara Haggerty, Ted Haggerty, Bernard Edmond, Sheila Baron, Ludovic and Eveline Leksinki, Janina Marcinkiewicz, Ben Clay, and all who are sick.**

We pray for all who died recently especially **Stephanie Haworth, Pat Morrisroe, Michael Dignan, Michael Holden, Eileen Hindes.**

We pray for **John Killips, Michala Noblett, Pat Cullinan, Michael Collins, Mary Black, Bernadette Clemson, Kevin O'Hara, John Daerden, Susan Carr, Lexey Islay, George Warden, Thomas Warden, Stanislaus Szerepanczyk, Terence Birtwistle, Louisa Fray, Joseph Dewhurst, Anthony O'Toole, Father Peter Knowles** and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.