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Sunday 26th November 2017 Feast of Christ the King

MINISTERIES "Stay with us,Lord on our journey" Week beginning Monday 27th November 2017 Cleaning Maureen Lofthouse, Evlyn Punchard Readers Sat Angela Fox Sun Mark Dixon Eucharistic Ministers Sat Audrey O'Malley, Andy Dineen, Celia Dineen, Helen Brett Sun Agnes Corban, Chris Bolton, John Brown, Catherine Gunn. Offertory Sat Allen Family Sun Childrens Liturgy Children Liturgy Amy Flowers Margaret & Veronica Music 1st Week 6.00pm 10...00am

SERVICES THIS WEEK Euch Services Mon 9.00am, Tue 9.00am, Wed 9.00am, Thu 9.00am, Fri. 9..00am Mass Sat. 6.00pm, Sun 10.00am. No Confessions

OFFERTORY COLLECTION. 12th November 2017 Gift Aid £ 420 Loose £ 310 Total £ 730. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS Mary Oddie, Mavis Dickinson.

BLACKBURN FOOD BANK. The request this week is for tins of meat and suitable items for Christmas plus the usual items. The box is in the church porch. Thank you.

EXPLORE THE SCRIPTURES in the meeting room after Mass each Tuesday and Thursday.

MEDITATION GROUP in church on Wednesday morning after Mass. Why not come along and see.....

PILATES on Monday evenings from 6.15 - 7.15pm in the parish centre.

TAI CHI in the parish centre every Friday from 1.30 - 2.30pm. All welcome.

ST. MARY'S RAMBLERS CHRISTMAS LUNCH Thursday 21st December at 1.00pm in the Ribchester Arms. 2 courses £19.50. Please choose on the list in the church porch. Inquires Sylvia Griffin 245801. Please can you play next weekend. Cheques should be made payable to "The Ribchester Arms" or cash in an envelope with you name on the front.

CHRISTMAS FAIR This Sat 2nd December in school from 1.00 to 3.30pm.

- * Raffle tickets are now available. Please take them home, sell them and return over the coming weeks.
- * The list for raffle prize donors is in the church porch. Please sign if you are able to donate a prize
- * **Tub** in the porch for goods for the fair..bottles..fancy good..chocolates..knitwear...toys..All grateful received.
- * Volunteers needed to help set up on Friday from 5.00pm or Saturday from 10.00am

MASS TIMES As and from the weekend of **16th/17th December** Masses will be Saturday 6.00pm, Sunday 9.30am and 11.00am at Osbaldeston.

CHRISTMAS CARDS on sale in the church porch. Buy now because when they are gone they are gone....... **A CAPPELLA SINGERS** present "A Musical Christmas Present" at Bank Mill House Senior Citizens Centre, Church St., Great Harwood BB6 7NF on Sunday 3rd December at 2.30pm. Tickets £8 (accompanied children under 12 free). Tickets contact Mrs. Joyce Miller 01254 879795 or John Sherrif 01254 884247.

A WARM WELCOME once again to Fr Gabriel O'Donoghue who has returned to help out this weekend. Progress has not be as swift as I anticipated so I am thankful to Fr .Gabriel for his assistance.

THE COLLECTION for the Retired Clergy raised £370. Thank you for your generosity.

WEDNESDAY CLUB at 1.30pm in the parish centre. This week Bingo and Quiz refreshments.. All welcome.

WELCOME to Beatrice Rose Lincoln who is to be baptised here this Sunday.

FIRST RECONCILIATION SERVICE scheduled for this Tuesday has been postponed. to be arranged.

CHURCH PARADE and ANNUAL TOY COLLECTION for the Salvation Army on Sunday 10th December. New or good second hand toys and books very welcome.

200 CLUB DRAW and COFFEE MORNING next Sunday after the 10.00am Mass in the parish centre. "Boiling the Kettle" will be Olive and Sarah. Proceeds in aid of "**LANGHO IN BLOOM**"

We pray for Father Norman Arkwright, Canon Dorran, Father Mick Fraher, Jean Wilson, Joan Robson, Margaret Whip, Raymond Marsh, Kathleen Gooden, Martin Gooden, Jenny Kenny, Joe Kemp, Steven Grimes, Nafees Bhatti, Rani Bhatti, Bryn Roberts, James Murphy, Mike Bagley, Joseph Smith, Michael Lupton, Harry Tomlinson, Rita Tomlinson, Anne Cunliffe, Laura Andrews, Tom O'Doherty, Vanessa Capiello, Brigid Kelly, Sandro Barnowski, David Belshaw, Sharon Plunkett, Mark Tomlinson, Larry McHugh. We remember all who died recently especially Mary Oddie, John Dixon .We pray also for John Issac, Frank Saynor, Natasha Tempest, Alan Ratcliffe, Jeanne Siddiqui.and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.