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Sacred Heart, Bourne & Our Lady's, Deeping RC Parish
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Second Sunday in Advent -Year B,
 Weekday readings year I.
Sunday: Preface:1 of Advent
 Eucharistic Prayer II

December 2017	TIME	Place	MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED	Liturgy of the Day
Sat 9 th	09.00am 6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Michael Scosland RIP	Divine Office week II Mem. Acclamation II Blessed Virgin Mary 2nd Sunday of Advent - Vigil
Sun 10 th	8.45am 10.30am	Sacred Heart Our Lady's	Recovery of Pauline Taylor Michelina Cousin RIP & Denis Daly RIP	SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT - YEAR B
Mon 11 th			NO SERVICE	Advent Feria
Tue 12 th	10.00am	Sacred Heart	WORD AND SACRAMENT	Advent Feria
Wed 13 th	10.00am	Our Lady's		St Lucy
Thu 14 th	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Adoration after Mass until 1pm	St John of the Cross
Fri 15 th	09.30am 10.30am	Our Lady's	Adoration with confession until 10.15am	Advent Feria
Sat 16 th	9.00am 10.00am 6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Adoration with confession until 09.45am Intentions of the McGrath and Rodgers Families living and dead.	Blessed Virgin Mary Third Sunday of Advent - Vigil
Sun 17 th	8.45am 10.30am	Sacred Heart Our Lady's	Annie & Michael McGrath RIP Janet Shield RIP & T. O'Flaherty RIP	THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT - YEAR B

A very humble plea for donations

As you may have noticed there have been new and expensive PA systems installed in both Bourne and Deeping at a cost of £7000+. This is £2000 over budget. Any donations however big or however small would be most gratefully received toward the cost of this most necessary equipment. Thank you and May God bless you

Enormous thanks to the person who donated £50 and all who have donated so far.

Please Sponsor a Seminarian

training for the priesthood in a poor country. At the moment Missio in England and Wales is helping the training of future diocesan priests in Kenya, Malawi, Nigeria, India and Sri Lanka. If you would like to sponsor a seminarian by donating £1.37 per day (or £42 per month), please let me know so that together we may support the many vocations in these countries. I have just sponsored one myself.

The seminarian allocated to me will write and keep in touch until his ordination to the priesthood. With your help we hope no vocation will be discouraged or turned away. For further details, please read the Society of St Peter the Apostle leaflets in the porch or visit our website which is: www.missio.org.uk Thank you very much to everyone who is able to help.
 Fr Clement Orango, Missio Director, Nottingham Diocese.

Director of Youth Service.

The Diocese seeks to appoint a professionally qualified Director of Youth Service who combines a deep personal commitment to their Catholic faith with a vibrant and enthusiastic passion for Catholic youth ministry and retreat provision among young people.

This full-time post will be based at The Briars Youth Retreat Centre in Crich. For further information contact **Teresa Clark on 01773 852044** or bookings@ndcys.com

Closing date for all applications 3rd January.

Retired and Sick Priests' Appeal

The Appeals Office has informed us that they will be writing to all parishioners who have a standing order due to expire in the next few weeks, thanking them for their support and asking if they wish to continue to support the appeal. Parishioners who do not wish to continue are under no obligation to do so. To date, our parish has raised a grand total of £48,791.70 during the past 4 years- an incredible amount- surpassing our target figure of £40,000 by some margin. Thank you to everyone who has supported this great cause. It is much appreciated.

Thank you to everyone who supported Ann's pop up stall at Deeping.

We raised a Total of £165.00 from the sale of snoods, scarves and bags, this money will go towards the new sound system.

Birthday Masses

The last Mass of every month will be celebrated for all those who have had a birthday during that month.

Church Cleaning at Deeping

Church Cleaning and Brass Cleaning for Christmas on Tuesday 12th December at 9.30am

Deeping – Friday 22nd

December 11am Decoration of Church for Christmas.

Please bring greenery for decoration. Also plate of food for shared lunch.

Help would be appreciated.

Please pray for the sick: Margaret Kline, Martin Dowse, Brian Davies, Chris, Adrian Howarth, Verity Elliott, Father Dakwan (Father's father), Pauline Smith, Mr Thomas, Sylvia Fleming, Helene Currell, Anne Bostock, Terry Westwood, Robert Carter, Matthew Gallagher and Joyce Willis

Parish Finances: Collection: **£873.44**

Donations to PA System: **£150**

Repository: **£130.65**

Room Rent: **£74.70**

Christmas Fayre: **£1612**

Cheques for the parish should be

made out to **Bourne and Deeping RC Parish.**

Please would you kindly consider leaving a small donation to your Parish in your will?

Second collection for Christmas Flowers this week in both Churches.

Second collection next week for The Poor and Needy

The Parish Christmas card will be in the porch at both Churches during Advent from Sunday 3rd December. Please sign the card as your Christmas greeting to your friends in the Parish and put a donation to CAFOD in the box. If you wish to give individual cards to friends please deliver them in person as there is limited space on the porch table. Thank you.

This year's Christmas Concert will be in Bourne on Friday 15th December 2017 at 7.30pm. Mulled wine and Mince Pies will be available after the concert for a suggested donation. Please make a date in your diaries and join us.

Christmas Masses and Services

- 15th Dec – Carol Service 7.30pm, Bourne
- 18th Dec – Reconciliation Service, 7.00pm Bourne
- 24th Dec – Children's Mass, 4pm Deeping
- 24th Dec – Children's Mass, 6pm Bourne
- 24th Dec – Carols, 11.30pm Bourne
- 24th Dec – Midnight Mass, Bourne
- 25th Dec – Christmas Mass, 08.45am, Bourne
- 25th Dec – Christmas Mass, 10.30am, Deeping
- 26th Dec – Mass, 11am (Altar Servers Mass), Deeping

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