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7- 15 January 2017

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Saturday	7 Jan	6.30pm	FIRST MASS of SUNDAY: FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
Sunday	8 Jan	9.00am	Good Estate of Charlie Stevenson - Trish Green & Angela Stevenson	
		11.00am	Paul Owa RIP - Family	<u>THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD(A)</u>
		5.00pm	Constance & Gerald Balzan RIP - Andrew & Monica Diedo	
		6.00pm	SENIOR CLUB (Youth Group)	
Monday	9 Jan	9.00am	Michael Reynolds	THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
		2.00pm	- 3.00pm - MEDUGORJE PRAYER GROUP	
Tuesday	10 Jan	9.00am	Pat Colton RIP - Chris & Family	
Wednesday	11 Jan	9.00am	Flo Bevan RIP - Bill Bevan	
Thursday	12 Jan	9.00am	Thomas & Dorothy Fitzgerald - Sharon Fitzgerald	
Friday	13 Jan	8.15am	DARENT VALLEY HOSP: For Deceased Clergy	
		9.00am	James Downey RIP - Downey Family	
		4.15pm	- 7.00pm JUNIOR CLUB (Cascades)	
Saturday	14 Jan	10.00am	Sean Quigley - M McGloin & Family	OUR LADY
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS of SUNDAY: Private Intention	
Sunday	15 Jan	9.00am	Angela Stevenson - Trish Green & Family	
		11.00am	Kathleen O'Hehir RIP - Tina Bentley & Family	<u>SECOND SUNDAY (YEAR A)</u>
		5.00pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
		6.00pm	SENIOR CLUB (Youth Group)	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Every Sat from 10.30am -11.00am and 5.45pm - 6.15pm

DAILY EXPOSITION: Mon to Fri 8.30am - 9.00am **TEA ROTA:** check your new rota

CLEANING TEAMS: 14.01.17 Team'E' (E Ranson, D Marshall, L Goode), 21.01.17 Team'F' (G Rabino, C Elazagui, D Teves, J Fe, A K.Galang)

Parish Engagement Service: An engagement service will take place on Sunday 22 January 2017 for couples at the 11.00am Mass. This service is for couples who will marry sometime during this year 2017. A reminder has gone out to those couples who have already registered.

CONFIRMATION: The Sacrament of Confirmation is always a happy occasion for the Parish community. The Parish Confirmation programme is tailored in such a way for each candidate to benefit from this time of preparation. There will be an introductory meeting. This helps to assess where each candidate is with regard to religious knowledge required for a better understanding of the Church's teaching. I hope by the end of the month I would have received all application forms. I urge any possible candidates to hand in his or her form before the end of the month. Application forms are to be found at the back of the Church.

PEACE SUNDAY: On Sunday 15 January 2017 is Peace Sunday. The theme of the 50th Anniversary of the World Peace Day is "**NON VIOLENCE**": A Style of Politics for Peace.

The Holy Father Pope Francis affirms the plea of non violence - such as Diplomacy, Negotiation and Citizens' Action - in preventing war and resolving conflicts.

UNITY OCTAVE: Unity Octave is an eight day of prayer for Christian Unity. In the past we were able to have joint services with the Anglican Church on Temple Hill. At present that seat is vacant. We can therefore celebrate this week through our dedicated prayer for Church Unity in our personal work, reminding our selves of the words of Jesus, "That they all may be one".

Church Cleaners: We have some very good and loyal parishioners who without fail keep God's house in perfect order. Regular cleaning takes place. From time to time we lose some of these loyal volunteers. Hence the need for another drive to recruit new ones. If you think you can help, please let me know.

St Anselm's News (School Newsletter) - Copies of the School Newsletter are obtainable from the back of the Church.

Senior Parishioner's Tea Party: For many years a number of Senior Parishioner's joined in the Senior Parishioner's Tea Party. Some months ago it became difficult to continue due to the fact that the main helpers were unable to continue. Now we have some volunteers who wish to carry from where we left. The first meeting will take place this coming **Wed. 11th Jan. 2017 at 2.30pm in the Presbytery**. An invitation has been handed out at the Senior Parishioner's Christmas Dinner. You may wish to bring the invitation with you on Wednesday.

Last Week's Offertory: 01.01.17 - £916.18