



# PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

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*Parish Church:* OUR LADY AND SAINT BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Mass Centre:* CHRIST CHURCH (U.R.C.) WESTGATE BAY AVENUE, WESTGATE

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## WEEKLY DIARY

Sunday 8th January 2017

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



**Vigil Mass** (Saturday evening – 7th January)

**6 pm BIRCHINGTON** WHITE

Deceased members of de Courcy Family, RIP Frieda Murray

**Confessions: 5.15 pm to 5.45 pm**

Sunday 8th January 2017 THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

**9.15 am BIRCHINGTON**

A. Briody, P. Briody (Senior), & O. Briody (Junior), RIP M & B Lattimore

**10.45 am WESTGATE MASS CENTRE**

For the Holy Souls at Westgate Anon

### END OF CHRISTMASTIDE

**Monday 9th January (White)** The Baptism of the Lord

**10 am Holy Souls** M & C Quillian

FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME Psalter week 1

**Tuesday 10th January (Green)** Feria

**10 am David Thomas, RIP** Margaret & Peter Carter

**7.30 pm Symbolon DVD Presentation in the hall**

**Wednesday 11th January (Green)** Feria

**10 am Sheila Hillier, RIP** McCarthy Family

**Thursday 12th January (White)** St Aelred of Rievaulx

### NO MASS TODAY

**Friday 13th January (Green)** Feria

**10 am Mary Angela, RIP** W. Wright

**10.30 am EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Saturday 14th January (White)** Memorial of Our Lady

**9.45 am MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**10 am For the Holy Souls at Westgate**

**Collection: 31 December 2016 & 1 January 2017**

**Offertory ..... £604.63**

**Repository Mass Centre..... £120.00**

*Thank you for your generosity*

**TODAY**

**200 CLUB JANUARY DRAW AND COFFEE MORNING**

will take place in the parish hall

**Sunday 8th January following the 9.15 am Mass**

**Thank you**

to Fr. Brian who supplied for Canon David whilst he was on leave

**SYMBOLON – THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED**

The FINAL PART will be this **Tuesday**

**10th January** in the Parish Hall at 7.30 pm.

**"The Catholic Faith Explained" DVD Presentation"**



**BIRCHGATE Ladies**

**Christmas Lunch**

at the Parlour in Minnis Road

**Wednesday 11th January at 12 for 12.30 pm**

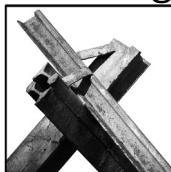
All deposits have been paid and orders placed

**RED BOXES:** please ensure that your boxes are returned by **the end of January.**

They can be left at the back of the church or handed into the Sacristy. **Please do not** leave your box in the porch.



**Crossing**



**Barriers**

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2017**

will begin on **Monday 16th January** until **Sunday 22nd January**

The timetable for the week is available in the Church Porch

**ROTAS:** please pick up your copy of the relevant rota at the rear of the Church.

**CAR PARK:** Please consider others when parking. Again, parishioners have had to park outside on the road whilst we had five to seven vacant spaces in the middle of the carpark which they were unable to access due to a car being parked in the last space by the Grotto blocking access to the centre of the carpark.

## PARISH MISSION

Commencing

**Saturday 1st April 2017** for one week.

One of the Mission Father's hopes to visit the parish one weekend before the mission to give a talk about the mission and the joy of praying and reflecting together as a parish.