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Welcome to Mass. Before Mass, talk to God. During mass, Listen to God. After mass, Talk to each other. Notices in italics - off-site. This is the Archdiocese Year of Prayer for Priests

Today's Liturgy:331Psalm response:To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.197164	<ul> <li>THIS WEEK: Saturday, 1<sup>ST</sup> Dec Abbey Church pre- Christmas Fair 10am-1pm. 5pm-5.45pm Confessions; 5.45pm-6.25pm ADORATION. ADVENT 1 6.30pm Mass (Terry Hemming RIP). Sunday, 2<sup>ND</sup> Dec 10am Family Mass. 6pm Evensong and Benediction, followed by Presbytery party.</li> <li>Mon, 3<sup>rd</sup> St Francis Xavier 9.30am Mass at the Convent of the BVM, Maryvale. 7pm Mass (Kenneth Fisher RIP).</li> </ul>
ADVENT PROGRAMME *Adoration during Advent 8.15am- 9.15am each Wednesday and 10.30am- 11am & 5.45pm-6.30pm each Saturday.	Tues, 4 <sup>th</sup> St John Damscene 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Derry Forrest). 1.30pm Reconciliation Year 3. Wednesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> 8.15am -9.15am Adoration of the Bl. Sacrament. 9.15am Mass (Betty Kelly).
*Advent I SEE OPPOSITE *Saturday, 8 <sup>th</sup> December The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary 10am Mass, followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 10.30am-11am. This	Thurs, 6 <sup>th</sup> St Nicholas. 7pm Full Governors. Friday, 7 <sup>th</sup> St Ambrose 9.15am Mass (Mary Joyce RIP).
pattern of 10am Mass throughout Advent. *Wednesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> December <b>Senior Citizens Lunch</b> *Saturday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec, <b>Confessions</b> before Christmas, 11am-12.45pm. + <b>Advent 'Day by Day' books</b> and Journey with Pope Francis to Christmas, suggested donation £1.++ <b>Advent</b> wreath - if you would like your child to light the wreath, please see Fr Simon. +	Saturday, 8 <sup>TH</sup> <b>The Immaculate Conception of the</b> <b>Blessed Virgin Mary</b> 10am Mass (Eileen Tams), followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 10.30am-11am. 4.30pm Baptism of Ktayah James-Richards. 5pm-5.45pm Confessions; 5.45pm-6.25pm ADORATION. <b>ADVENT</b> <b>II</b> 6.30pm Mass (Mary Mealy). Sunday, 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec 10am Mass. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection for the Poor Parishes Fund.
Pentitential Service for Advent here on Wed, 19 <sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm. Figures for 25/11: Loose £224.08 Building Fund: £11 Gift Aid: £238.61 Attendance: 219 2 <sup>ND</sup> Collectn Youth Service: £162.84	+Pope Francis' prayer intention for December: <b>Evangelization – In the Service of the Transmission of Faith</b> <i>That people, who are involved in the service and transmission</i> <i>of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language</i> <i>suited to the conditions of the present time.</i> + We have now introduced an extra way for people to give - through contactless via a tap terminal: three amounts £3, £5 and £10