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THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE (Readings p. 297).

Welcome to Mass. Before Mass, talk to God. During mass, Listen to God. After mass, Talk to each other. Notices in italics - off-site. Refreshments served in the hall after mass.

Hymns on separate booklet today

Psalm: *Who is the King of glory? It is the Lord..*

Gospel acclamation: *The light to enlighten the Gentiles and give glory to Israel, your people.*

* Lent leaflets are out today, please take one and start preparing for Lent.

* Our newly built piety area has rosaries, crosses, cards, icons and scriptural resources and bibles. Please place money in slot in the wall at the back of church.

* Fr Leonard Cox and Mary Joyce and members of Lourdes HCPT Midlands fund-raising 26 mile 'walkathon' in the Pyrenees 17th-18th Feb. Sponsor sheet at back or go to JustGiving, quoting HCPT Group 148.

*Portal magazine out now for February: www.portalmag.co.uk

* 33-day prayer preparation for the *Dowry of Mary* dedication on 29 March, please sign the sheet at back for a book

* Pope Francis prayer intention February: *We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.*

* Archdiocese Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 23 -30 May. Coach £461; By Air £805. Booking forms at back or: www.tangney-tours.com

THIS WEEK: Sat 1st February. 5pm Confessions. 5.45pm Adoration. 6.30pm Mass (Mary and Patrick McGloughlin RIP) **THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE (CANDLEMASS).** Sun 2ND Feb 10am Mass (Varkey Pettayil). *Safeguarding meeting in the gallery after both weekend masses for all who work with or alongside children or vulnerable adults.*

Monday, 3 Feb 9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 99 Old Oscott Hill, Maryvale, B44 9SR. 10am Legion of Mary. 10.30am Requiem Mass for George Parkes RIP. 7pm Mass (Elizabeth Cooper RIP).

Tue, 4 Feb. 8.55am Rosary. 9.15 Mass (Aileen Cooper RIP).

Wednesday, 5th Feb. St Agatha. 8.15am Adoration. 9.15am Mass (Sean Cooper RIP).

Fri 7 Feb. 9.15am Mass (Tony Woods RIP).

Sat 8th Feb 5pm Confessions. 5.45pm Adoration. 6.30pm Mass (Elvin McCoy RIP) Sun 9th 10am Mass. *5th Sunday in Ordinary time. 2nd Collection for Racial Justice. Racial Justice Sunday.*

'Year of the Word' thought for the week:

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid." (Matthew 5.14)

26/1/2020

Gift Aid: £25.70

Loose: £226.27; Building Fund £10

2nd Collection Pax Christi: £120.89

Attendance: 232

*Prayers for the departed: Joyce Anderson, Margaret Okyere, Kellie Fynn, Patricia McCreddie, Michael Parrott, Eustace Moclár, Peter Norris, Mary Ignatius, Bridie Carolan, Baby Emilia Scott, Mary Kinsella, Pauline Mcalinden, Jon Paul Breakwell, George Parkes, Kathleen Toney, Joseph Foster RIP