



The Metropolitan Cathedral & Basilica of St Chad

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MASS TIMES FOR CHRISTMAS & THE NEW YEAR

Thurs 24 THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS

10.00am Asylum seekers & refugees in our City – **(Live Stream only)**

The Solemn Nativity of the Lord

Christmas Eve

4.00pm For the Clergy of the Archdiocese – Public Mass

6.00pm For families of the Archdiocese – Public Mass

10.00pm People of the Parish **(Livestream only)**

Fri 25 **Christmas Day**

9.00am For all our Cathedral volunteers – Public Mass

11.00am For the sick and infirm of both mind & body – Public Mass

PLEASE NOTE THE REVISED TIMES OF WEEKDAY MASSES FOR CHRISTMAS WEEK UP TO AND INCLUDING THURSDAY 31ST DECEMBER. DAILY WEEKDAY MASS AT 12.15PM WILL RESUME FROM MONDAY 4TH JANUARY.

Sat 26 **St. Stephen**

10.00am Intentions of Maura & Brian Fitzpatrick – **(Live Stream only)**

Sun 27 **Feast of the Holy Family**

10.00am People of the Parish – Public Mass

12.00noon Mary Cotterill RIP – Public Mass

Mon 28 **Feast of the Holy Innocents**

10.00am George & Patricia Gallagher – **(Live Stream only)**

Tue 29 **Feast of St Thomas Becket**

10.00am For the growth of the Christian faith in our land – **(Live Stream only)**

Wed 30 **Day 6 of Christmas**

10.00am Wilfrid Flackett – **(Live Stream only)**

Thurs 31 **Day 7 of Christmas**

10.00am For the blessings of the past year – **(Live Stream only)**

‘OMNIA PRO CHRISTO’ THE YEAR OF OUR LORD 2021 The Month of January

**(AS OF 1ST JANUARY ALL MASSES WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE)**

Fri 1 **Solemnity of Mary The Mother of God**

11.00am People of the Parish

Sat 2 **St Basil & St Gregory**

10.00am Mike Stanley RIP

2.00pm Intentions of Bishop Philip Pargeter

Sun 3	Second Sunday After The Nativity 10.00am People of the Parish 12.00noon Intentions of Bishop David McGough
Mon 4	Christmas Feria 12.15pm For the Catholic Parishes of the West Midlands
Tue 5	Christmas Feria 12.15pm For the Catholic Parishes of Staffordshire
Wed 6	Solemnity of the Epiphany of The Lord 9.30am Live Stream School Mass 12.15pm Fr. John Bentley RIP 7.00pm People of the Parish – (Live Stream only)
Thurs 7	Christmas Feria 12.15pm For the Catholic Parishes of Warwickshire
Fri 8	Christmas Feria 12.15pm For the Catholic Parishes of Oxfordshire
Sat 9	Christmas Feria 10.00am For the Catholic Parishes of Worcestershire 2.00pm People of the Parish
Sun 10	Feast of The Baptism of The Lord 10.00am Fr. Bob Wright RIP 12.00noon Canon Peter Taylor RIP

PLEASE NOTE:

- The next Newsletter will be printed for the Feast of The Baptism of Our The Lord; so please keep this sheet for reference.
- **Mass at 10.00pm, Tuesday 24th December** - Live Stream only.
- **Cathedral Opening Times:** for security & safety purposes and to permit our staff and volunteers a much deserved break; please note the following:

For Christmas Week from Saturday 26th December up to and including Friday 31st December on Saturday & weekdays the Masses in the Cathedral will be Live Stream only (Mass on Sunday 27th December will be open to public).

- **Thank you** to all of our parishioners for your perseverance and generosity throughout an extremely difficult 2020. We are indebted to our staff and volunteers for the generosity of their time which enabled us to open our Cathedral for Private Prayer and Public Masses in a very COVID safe manner. Holy Mass will be offered for your intentions.

On behalf of His Grace, Archbishop Bernard, the Clergy, Religious and Lay Staff who serve the Cathedral, thank you.

***We wish you all the peace and joy
of the Christmas Season,
and every prayer and blessing for the New Year!***