



**The Parish of  
ST. MICHAEL'S  
COPPENHALL**

**18<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2016**

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S**

**Please keep silence before Mass begins**

**TODAY**

**8.00 am Mass**

**10.00 am SOLEMN MASS (for all ages)**

Entrance: 501

Isaiah 7 vv 10 – 16

Psalm: 528

Matthew 1 vv 18 – end

Offertory: 185

Communion: 184

Final: 11

**PLEASE TAKE THIS SHEET HOME  
FOR REFERENCE DURING THE WEEK**

**THIS WEEK**

Tue 20<sup>th</sup> 12.00 noon Funeral of Peter Johnson RIP

Wed 21<sup>st</sup> 10.00 am Mass

Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> 9.15 am Mass

**CHRISTMAS EVE**

6.00 pm Christingle and Crib Service

11.00 pm Solemn Midnight Mass of Christmas

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**CHRISTMAS DAY**

8.00 am Mass

10.00 am SUNG MASS

Readings: Isaiah 52 vv 7 – 10  
John 1 vv 1 – 14

**Parish Priest: Fr Charles Razzall SSC**  
**Telephone: 215151**

Always pleased to give instruction in the Christian Faith and to prepare candidates for Baptism, Confirmation and other Sacraments.

The Blessed Sacrament is reserved at the High Altar, for the sick and for our devotion.

**FOR OUR PRAYERS**

**For our parish and neighbourhood**

**For Aleppo, Mosul and for Yemen**

**For sick and prayer requests:** Dilys Samuels, Freda Tillotson, Dennis Moran, Emma Hopley, Terry Griffin, Mike Yeomans, Dot Rhodes, June Gilbert, Ann Kromler, Harry Roberts, Hazel Shaw, Pat Ryder, Jeffrey Graham Ryder, Fr. Gordon Dickenson, John Loftus, Ann Green, Barbara Lea, Archie Farrall

**For recently departed:** Margaret Allcock, Minnie Tilsley

**For year's mind:** Alfred Hodder Bradbrook, John Ransome, Ruby Mainguy, Jean Clark, Malcolm Hodgkinson, Gillian Wainwright, Margaret Makepeace

**IN ADVENT**

**Today we light 4 candles on the Advent Wreath**

**Posada, the statue of the Holy Family continues its journey around our parish**

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on request at any time**

**New Year's Dinner is on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January. List at the back of church**

**FOR INFORMATION**

**Not been confirmed?**

When the people come to the Altar Rail to receive Holy Communion, please come as well to receive a blessing. Please carry a hymn book

**Tea and coffee are served in the Church Hall on Sunday after 10.00 am Mass; all are welcome**

**Please inform Fr Charles of anyone who is sick or in hospital so that the Sacraments of the Church can be offered if appropriate**

**Candles can be lit and requests for prayers put on the notice board near the statue of Our Lady... please take a look**

**WEEK ENDING 11<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2016**

**Communicants**

Sunday 57  
Weekdays 17  
Home 1

**Our Giving**

Sunday Plate £18.60  
Envelopes £493.40

**THANK YOU**