Lockdown

As you will be aware the National Lockdown is lifted on Wednesday but we remain in Tier 3 in order to prevent the spread of Coronavirus. Masses in church will resume on Wednesday following their usual pattern and with the usual restrictions.

Christmas Lights

Because we do not know what the situation will be for anyone at Christmas we have taken the decision to go ahead and plan as if Christmas were going to be normal as far as church is concerned. We will decorate church as usual and the Christmas trees will go up inside and outside our churches. Masses will either be with congregations or streamed live via our parish website, (as is the case now). If you would like to contribute to the cost of the lights that will decorate church in memory of a loved one please contact Malcolm Addis on 01709 895206. The cost is £3 per individual or couple. People will also be prayed for at the Masses throughout the Octave of Christmas as usual.

Jam, Pickles and Preserve

If you would like any preserves or jams etc please ring Pauline Briscoe and she will endeavour to satisfy your wants.

People in need.

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer or practical help at this time, please contact one of the clergy Many people have volunteered to help where they can and all of us have the ability to pray for one another in this time of uncertainty.

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THE PARISH CHURCHES OF GOLDTHORPE, HICKLETON AND BOLTON UPON DEARNE

29th November 2020

PARISH MASS ADVENT I (B)

To ensure your safety and that of those around you please follow these simple instructions:

- Please sanitize your hands on entering and leaving church
- Please scan the QR code at the back of church using your NHS Covid 19 App. OR.....
- Please make sure you have been 'signed in' for 'track and trace'
- Please Socially distance, using those seats which are marked appropriately unless you are next to someone from the same household or bubble
- Please wear a facemask at all times inside the church
- Holy Communion will be in 'one kind' and has to be received on the hand
- Please hold any conversations outside church
- Please use the exits marked
- Please take this booklet away with you.
- Please let Fr Schaefer or the wardens know immediately if you develop symptoms





The Introductory Rites

When the bell rings we stand.

Entrance Antiphon:

- *Priest:* To you, I lift up my soul, O my God. In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame. Nor let my enemies exult over me; and let none who hope in you be put to shame.
- Priest: + In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

People: Amen

Priest: The Lord be with you *People:* **And with your spirit.**

The First Candle on the Advent Wreath is lit

Priest: Stay awake, for you do not know the day or the hour when your Lord will appear.

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Let us pray. God of light, as we wait through the long winter nights for the birth of Christ, help us to keep watch. Help us to tend the tiny flame of hope. Make us alert until your gift of joy arrives. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen

The Mass is introduced along with its intention and theme and we are invited to call to mind our sins using these or similar words

- *Priest:* Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.
- Priest: Lord Jesus, you came to gather the nations into the peace of God's kingdom: Lord have mercy

People: Lord have mercy

Priest: You come in Word and Sacrament to strengthen us and make us holy: Christ have mercy

People: Christ have mercy

Priest: You will come again in glory with salvation for your people: Lord have mercy

People: Lord have mercy

Priest: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

People: Amen.

The Collect or prayer for the week

Let us pray

Grant your faithful, we pray, almighty God, the resolve to run forth to meet your Christ with righteous deeds at his coming, so that, gathered at his right hand, they may be worthy to possess the heavenly kingdom.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

We sit for The First Reading A Reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah

Isaiah 63:16-17,64:1,3-8

- You, Lord, yourself are our Father, 'Our Redeemer' is your ancient name. Why, Lord, leave us to stray from your ways and harden our hearts against fearing you?
- Return, for the sake of your servants, the tribes of your inheritance. Oh, that you would tear the heavens
- open and come down! – at your Presence the mountains
- would melt. No ear has heard, no eye has seen any god but you act like this for those who trust him. You guide those who act with integrity and keep your ways in mind. You were angry when we were sinners; we had long been rebels against you. We were all like men unclean, all that integrity of ours like filthy clothing. We have all withered like leaves and our sins blew us away like the wind. No one invoked your name or roused himself to catch hold of you. For you hid your face from us and gave us up to the power of our sins. And yet, Lord, you are our Father; we the clay, you the potter, we are all the work of your hand. The word of the Lord Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 79

God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved. God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

O shepherd of Israel, hear us, shine forth from your cherubim throne. O Lord, rouse up your might, O Lord, come to our help. God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

NOTICES / DIARY

Day	Service/Event	Intention
Monday 30th November 2020 S. ANDREW		For the Parish of Bolton upon Dearne
Tuesday 1st December 2020 <i>Feria</i>		For a Holy Advent
Wednesday 2nd December <i>feria</i>	8.30am M.P. & 9am Mass at Goldthorpe6pm Vestry House at Goldthorpe Church	Thanksgiving for the end of Lockdown
Thursday 3rd December S. Francis Xavier	10am Mass at Hickleton 6pm E.P & 6.30pm Mass at Bolton	For Peace
Friday 4th December S. John Damascene	10am M.P. & 10.30am Mass at Goldthorpe	The all in Hospital
Saturday 5th December <i>feria</i>	8.30am M.P. & 9am Mass at Goldthorpe	For one another
Sunday 6th December 2020 ADVENT II	9am Parish Mass at Hickleton 10.30am Parish Mass at Bolton 10.30am Parish Mass at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Resurrection and for our Parishes and for a Holy Advent

The Post Communion prayer We stand

Priest: Let us pray.

May these mysteries, O Lord, in which we have participated, profit us, we pray, for even now, as we walk amid passing things, you teach us by them to love the things of heaven and hold fast to what endures. Through Christ our Lord.

People: Amen

Any Notices etc may follow now.

The Blessing using these or other words

The Concluding Rites

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Priest: Bow down for God's blessing May the almighty and merciful God, by whose grace you have placed your faith in the First Coming of his Only Begotten Son and yearn for his coming again sanctify you by the radiance of Christ's Advent and enrich you with his blessing

People: Amen.

Priest: As you run the race of this present life, may he make you firm in faith, joyful in hope and active in charity

People: Amen

Priest: So that, rejoicing now with devotion at the Redeemer's coming in the flesh, you may be endowed with the rich reward of eternal life when he comes again in majesty

People: Amen

Priest: and may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever

People: Amen

Priest: Go forth the Mass is ended *People:* **Thanks be to God**

The Angelus

The Angel of the Lord brought tidings to Mary

And she conceived by the Holy Spirit

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus

Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Behold the handmaid of the Lord Be it unto me according to thy word

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus

Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

And the Word was made flesh. and dwelt among us.

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus

Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Pray for us O Holy Mother of God That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

Pour forth we beseech thee O Lord thy grace into our hearts that as we have known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his +Cross and Passion, we may be brought to the glory of His Resurrection; through the same, Jesus Christ our Lord **Amen** God of hosts, turn again, we implore, look down from heaven and see. Visit this vine and protect it, the vine your right hand has planted. God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

May your hand be on the man you have chosen, the man you have given your strength. And we shall never forsake you again; give us life that we may call upon your name.

God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

Second Reading

A Reading from the first letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you grace and peace. I never stop thanking God for all the graces you have received through Jesus Christ. I thank him that you have been enriched in so many ways, especially in your teachers and preachers; the witness to Christ has indeed been strong among you so that you will not be without any of the gifts of the Spirit while you are waiting for our Lord Jesus Christ to be revealed: and he will keep you steady and without blame until the last day, the day of our Lord Jesus Christ, because God by calling you has joined you to his Son, Jesus Christ; and God is faithful.

The word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

We stand for the Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help. **Alleluia!**

Priest: The Lord be with you *People:* **And with your spirit.**

+A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark *Mark 13:33-37*

Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Be on your guard, stay awake, because you never know when the time will come. It is like a man travelling abroad: he has gone from home, and left his servants in charge, each with his own task; and he has told the doorkeeper to stay awake. So stay awake, because you do not know when the master of the house is coming, evening, midnight, cockcrow, dawn; if he comes unexpectedly, he must not find you asleep. And what I say to you I say to all: Stay awake!' The Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

The Homily now follows We sit

We stand for The Profession of Faith (Creed)

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow. and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the +Resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Bidding Prayers now follow

Response

Priest: Lord in your mercy. *People:* **Hear our prayer.**

Priest: +Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord People: and let light perpetual shine upon them Priest: May they rest in peace People: Amen

People: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

If the prayers of blessing are said aloud the people respond each time **Blessed be God for ever.**

Pray, my Brothers and Sisters that this my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at you hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

The prayer over the Offerings

Accept, we pray, O Lord, these offerings we make, gathered from among your gifts to us, and may what you grant us to celebrate devoutly here below gain for us the prize of eternal redemption.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer

Priest: The Lord be with you
People: And with your spirit
Priest: Lift up your hearts
People: We lift them up to the Lord.
Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right and just

The Preface follows, at the end of the preface we

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. *We Kneel*

The Priest continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

After the words of Consecration the priest says:

Priest: The mystery of faith. *People* We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again

At the conclusion of the prayer:

Through him, and with him, and in him O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever. *People:* **AMEN.** The Lord's Prayer We stand

Priest: At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say: People: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass

not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

against us; and lead us

People For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you; look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

People: Amen.

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always. People: And with your spirit.

The Breaking of the Bread

People: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Priest: +Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

People: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

The Communion Sentence

Priest: The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.

We make our spiritual communion as we are unable to attend the Mass in person

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

We stand