

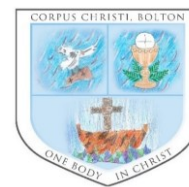
DIocese of Salford

Parish of Corpus Christi, Bolton

St Brendan's, Harwood, St Columba's Tonge Moor and St John, the Evangelist, Bromley Cross.

4th January 2026

Second Sunday after The Nativity



We pray for all the sick and housebound in our parish, and other relatives and friends:

Jackie Harte, Moya Fau-Goodwin, Frances Skemp, Edwin Rankin, Pat McDowell, Richard Crichton, Michael Latham, Kathryn Browning, Frank Vickers, Frederick Parkinson, Eileen Fitzgerald, Peter Reilly, Terry Scott, Margaret Kay, Tony Martin, Annie O'Brien, Margaret O'Brien, Kevin Knowles, Pat Howarth, Bernard Earp, Jane Manuel, Rita Margiotta, Pauline Dobson, Winifred Goodwin

Lately Dead: Michael Kitching, Mary Butler, Fred Orrell, Fred and Joyce Heywood, Ann Green, Jean Chaisson

Anniversaries: Maureen Holroyd, Marian Kosecki

Mass Intentions: In Memory of Alice and Alan Morris, Kathleen and John Prendergast, Rita, William and Mary Donnelly

Maureen Holroyd (A) Christmas blessings for Cambridge, Atkinson, Carter and Lynch families, Mary Butler (LD), Fred Orrell (LD)

Sheila Hayes (CR), For the Parishioners of Corpus Christi, Special Intention, A sick person, Gordon Holt (LD), Christmas remembrance Patrick O'Donnell, Eileen and Stan Dearden, David Coffey, The Coffey and Healey families, Memory of Mark and Nora Maher, Marian Kosecki, (A), Ann Green (LD), Jean Chaisson (LD)

Congratulations: To Rory George Lowe who was baptised prior to Christmas. We pray that both he and his family continue to grow in faith.

Offertory: We are always extremely grateful for all you do to help us financially; if you are UK taxpayer, please consider gift aiding your kind donation, the parish will benefit at no extra cost to yourselves.

Donations: We can now accept cashless payments, using our contactless system.

Cheques: Please make all cheques payable to Corpus Christi. Thank you

Christmas wishes

I would like to thank everybody for the kind gifts and Christmas wishes.

I hope everyone had a very happy and peaceful Christmas, wishing you all the best for the New Year ahead with my prayers and blessings.

As we thank Catherine for all her hard work as Parish assistant we would like to welcome Julie Summerton who will be taking over the role from this weekend.

God bless Fr Alf

We thank people for their donations of poinsettias for Christmas. Please feel free to collect them after Mass this weekend.

4th January 2026 **2nd Sunday of Christmas** **Masses & Activities this week**

Sunday Cycle A

Readings: Page 111 of Mass Book

Sunday 4 January

9.30am Mass (SJ)

11am Mass (SB)

Monday 5 January - Christmas Weekday

12noon Mass (SJ)

630pm First Vigil Mass for Epiphany Holy Day (SJ)

Tuesday 6 January - Feast of the Epiphany Holy Day of Obligation

915am Full School Mass (SB)

Other School Masses are in their respective schools

12.30pm Mass (SJ)

6.30pm Mass (SB)

Wednesday 7 January - Christmas Weekday

930am Adoration

10am Mass (SJ)

Thursday 8 January - Christmas Weekday

1030am Requiem Mass (SB) for Fred and Joyce Heywood

Friday 9 January - Christmas Weekday

12noon Mass (SB)

Saturday 10 January - Christmas Weekday

10.45am Confession and Adoration (SJ)

11.30 Mass (SJ)

5pm Mass (SB) – With Children's Liturgy

Sunday 11 January - Baptism of the Lord

9.30am Mass (SJ) – With Children's Liturgy

11am Mass (SB) – With Children's Liturgy

Readers 10/11 January 2026

5pm Vigil (SB)	9.30am (SJ)	11am (SB)
Chris Molyneux	Julie Summerton	Paul Brennan

Eucharistic Ministers 9.30am (SJ) 4th January
John Carroll/Steve May

Thanks: We are grateful to parishioner Cecilia Wood who coordinated the collection for the Caritas Morning Star Hostel, your kind donations were gratefully received.

Thanks: We have received a letter of thanks from Fort Alice. They would like to thank parishioners for their kind donations which were gratefully received.

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