

Welcome to St Luke's  
18<sup>th</sup> January 2026 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Today

Sung Mass: 10.15am

Principal Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Peter Jackson SSC

Readings:

**First Reading:** Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-10 **R.** c.f. vv.8-9

**R.** See, I have come, Lord, to do your will.

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 1:1-3

**Gospel:** John 1:29-34

**Hymnody (Mission Praise 2)**

**Introit:** 493

**Offertory:** 529

**Gradual:** 361

**Communion:** 303

**Recessional:** 356

Church cleaning & tidying after the service.

Your help is greatly appreciated.

**Choral Evensong & Benediction: 5pm, at St Anne's**

Contact Information

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Please contact Fr Peter regarding Baptisms, Weddings & Funerals, house or business blessings, confession, last rites and anointing, receiving Holy Communion at home or in hospital; and any other enquiries.

**Blessed Chalk**

If you haven't done so already, you are encouraged to take a piece of chalk - blessed 2 weeks ago in advance of the Feast of the Epiphany - with which to mark the lintel of your front door (or porch step) as follows:

**20 + C + M + B + 26**

[C.M.B. being the abbreviation for the Latin phrase *Christus mansionem benedicat*, ("May Christ bless the house"), as well as the initials of the traditional names of the Magi: Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar.]

As Epiphany is a traditional time for the blessing of houses, please do contact Fr Peter for a house blessing.

Future Services & Events

Please see reverse for this week's services & events.

**PCC meeting**

7.30pm, Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January, in the Crypt

**The Guild of St Joseph the Protector (Men's Group)**  
from 10am, Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> January, in the Crypt  
inc. a Mass for Feast of the Holy Spouses at 10.15am,  
and followed by refreshments, fellowship and a time to  
discuss activities for the year. All menfolk welcome.

**Beat the Blues 2026**

**12 noon - 4pm, Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> January, in Church**

With live performances from local musical artists. All welcome; admission free. Please see flyer for more info.

**Holocaust Memorial Day - 'Bridging Generations'**

from 2.30pm, Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January

- 2.30pm - A service of Reflection followed by an Act of Commemoration, at Derby Cathedral.
- 6.00pm - A service of Commemoration, Hope and Remembrance, at Derby Cathedral.
- 7.30pm - An event to commemorate the day, including a keynote speech, music, drama, poetry and dance, at Quad Derby.

Admission free. All welcome. For more info & booking, please see: <https://holocaustmemorialdayderby.org>

**Derby Cell of Our Lady of Walsingham**

**10am - 12.30pm, Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> January, in the Crypt**

A Mass of Our Lady with Healing Ministries will be offered at 10.15am, & followed by refreshments & time of fellowship, before the gathering concludes with the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary at noon. All welcome.

**Mass for the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord**

**10.15am, Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February, in Church**

Sung Festal Mass for Candlemas with blessing of candles.

**Children's Catechism**

A catechism class for children will start on **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> Feb** during Mass. We need volunteers to support this - please speak with Fr Peter or Lauren if you can help.

**Bell Ringing**

We were delighted to welcome bell ringers yesterday, who rang a peal of *Cambridge Surprise Major*.

**The Parish Church of St Luke the Beloved Physician    Parliament Street, Derby, DE22 3RT**  
**Services & Events Rota: Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January – Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026**

Date & Observance*	Time	Service or Event	Location	Notes
<b>SUNDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY</b> <b>2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>10.15</b>	<b>Sung Mass</b>	<b>Church</b>	<i>followed by church cleaning</i>
	<b>17.00</b>	<b>Choral Evensong &amp; Benediction</b>	<b>St Anne's</b>	
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Feria (S. Wulstan)</i>	<i>No services – prayers offered at home</i>			
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Feria (S. Fabian &amp; S. Sebastian)</i>	17.00	Evening Prayer	Crypt	
	17.20	Eucharistic Adoration		<i>until 17.50</i>
	18.00	Mass		
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> January <i>S. Agnes</i>	08.45	Morning Prayer	Crypt	
	09.15	Mass		
	17.00	Evening Prayer		
	17.15	Rosary		
	19.30	PCC Meeting		
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January <i>Feria (S. Vincent)</i>	08.45	Morning Prayer	Crypt	
	09.15	Mass		
	17.00	Evening Prayer		
	17.15	Chaplet of Divine Mercy		
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January <i>Feria</i>	08.45	Morning Prayer	Crypt	
	11.15	Mass		
	17.00	Evening Prayer		
	17.20	Confession		<i>until 17.50</i>
<b>Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> January</b> <b>The Holy Espousals (transferred)</b>	10.00	Guild of St Joseph Gathering	Crypt	<i>Men's Group – until 12.00</i>
	12.00	<b>Beat the Blues 2026</b>	Church	<i>until 16.00</i>
<b>SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY</b> <b>3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	<b>10.15</b>	<b>Sung Mass</b>	<b>Church</b>	
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Ss. Timothy &amp; Titus</i>	<i>No services – prayers offered at home</i>			
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Feria (S. Angela Merici)</i>	17.00	Evening Prayer	Crypt	
	17.20	Eucharistic Adoration		
	18.00	Mass		<i>until 17.50</i>
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January <i>S. Thomas Aquinas</i>	08.45	Morning Prayer	Crypt	
	09.15	Mass		
	17.00	Evening Prayer		
	17.15	Holy Rosary		
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Feria</i>	<i>No services – prayers offered at home</i>			
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Feria (Bl. Charles Stuart)</i>	08.45	Morning Prayer	Crypt	
	11.15	Mass		
	17.00	Evening Prayer		
	17.20	Confession		<i>until 17.50</i>
Saturday 31 <sup>th</sup> January <i>Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.15	Mass (with Healing Ministries)	Crypt	<i>for the Derby Cell of the Society of Our Lady of Walsingham</i>
	12.00	Holy Rosary		
<b>SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> FEBRUARY</b> <b>THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD [CANDLEMAS] – (transferred)</b>	<b>10.15</b>	<b>Sung Festal Mass</b>	<b>Church</b>	<i>with blessing of candles</i>
	12.45	<b>Free Parish Lunch</b>	<b>St Anne's</b>	<i>in St Anne's Church Hall</i>

\* Key to Observances: (Optional Memorial), Memorial, Feast, SOLEMNITY.

† The 1<sup>st</sup> available *Feria* is kept in remembrance of the Faithful Departed, and the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday in Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

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