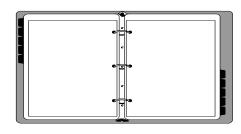
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the priest-on-call

 $Nursing/Care\ Homes-please\ phone\ presbytery:$

029 2070 8247

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YOUR GIFTS TO THE CHURCH LAST WEEK.

 Gift Aid
 Non-Gift Aid
 Total

 St. Joseph's
 £454.70
 £427.45
 £882.15

*approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O

SVP late collection: £40.00
Donation: £15.00
St. Mary's £207.50 £267.15 £474.65
*approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O

Thank you all for your generosity

The Christmas Tree – TODAY Sunday

Canon Joe asks that parishioners volunteer to stay behind after the 9.30am Mass in St. Joseph's **today Sunday 14**th **December** to help with the decoration of the tree in readiness for the Advent Carol Service at 3pm the same afternoon.

The Christmas Crib – Next Sunday

Our crib will be erected **next Sunday 21st December** after the 9.30am Mass in St. Joseph's. Volunteers are needed to assist with this task and are asked to please be available after Mass. We also need to bring over some chairs from the hall and arrange them around the church in readiness for the Christmas Masses.

Cards for Prisoners of Conscience – Last Day!

Again this year these cards will be sold by the J&P Group after all Masses this weekend. Cards and stamps cost £1.50 each. These prisoners need our support all year, but we can tell them particularly at this time that they are not alone or forgotten. Even though a card is a small token, it means a lot to those who receive them. Prison authorities know that someone is thinking of the prisoners and conditions can be improved as a result. You can read more about these prisoners by accessing the web site

<u>www.stjosephandstmarys.com</u> clicking on information and then on the justice and peace group.

St. Richard Gwyn High School Advent Events!

Coffee and Carols Afternoon

This event will take place on **Monday 15**th **December** from 2.45 to 3.45pm and includes a cup of coffee or tea with cake as you enjoy entertainment organised by the school's Youth SVP Group.

Evening Carol Service

This event takes the form of a commemoration of WW1, while reflecting on the coming of the prince of Peace, so badly needed in the world of 2014. It will take place on **Wednesday 17th December** at 7pm in the school hall.

Free tickets for both events are available from the school (tel: 01446 729250 or the chaplain direct on 01446 729229). See Posters

The 2015 Diocesan Year Books.

The Year Books have arrived and are on sale in both churches and are still priced at £2.60. Please buy one if you can because in doing so you are helping the parish finances. The new Year Book is full of information about what is going on in the diocese and it looks back in text and in pictures over the events of the present year.