

THE PARISHES OF
ST GILES, CHEADLE
ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY,
TEAN.



CHRISTMAS 2018

Christmas Offerings:

**The one collection at all
Christmas Masses is the traditional one,
your personal offering to your priest.
You are welcome to take the special envelope.**

Crib Offerings:

**The Crib offerings will be given
to Friends of the Holy Land,
supporting the most needy Christian families
in and around Bethlehem.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation

**The most effective way to prepare for Christmas is through
Confession.**

Penitential Service

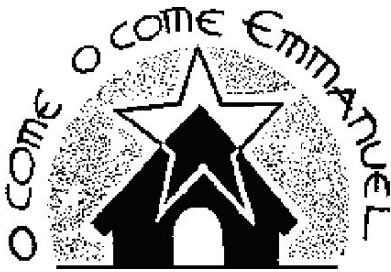
**Tuesday 18th December 7.00pm
with Fr Eric & visiting priests**

Confessions at Cheadle

Saturday 22nd 10.30am-11.00am & 4.30pm-4.50pm

Confessions at Tean Sunday 23rd 5.00pm-5.20pm





Fourth Sunday of Advent: 22nd-23rd December

Saturday 22nd Dec Cheadle, Vigil Mass 5.00pm

Sunday 23rd Dec Cheadle, Mass 10.30 am

Tean, Mass 5.30 pm



Christmas

Christmas Eve Monday 24th December

4.00pm Christmas Family Mass & Carols, Tean

6.00pm Christmas Family Mass & Carols, Cheadle

8.00pm Christmas Midnight Mass & Carols, Cheadle

Christmas Day Tuesday 25th December

10.00am Christmas Mass & Carols, Cheadle

4.00pm Evening Prayer, Cheadle

Weekday Masses

Cheadle: Wed 26th 11.00am, Thurs 27th 10.00am
& Fri 28th 10.00am.

Tean: Wed 26th 10.00am, Thurs 27th 10.00am & Sat 29th 10.00am

A
Holy
and Blessed
Christmas



Christmas

Many of us write and receive Christmas letters; we catch up with news from family and friends. At this time, we often look back over the past year.

For some, it will have been a good year with many joys and blessings. For others it will have been a difficult and sorrowful year. Many will look back at a mixture of highs and lows along with the ordinary business of life.

At Christmas, we celebrate God coming to share human life. We see Mary and Joseph looking after Jesus, the baby of Bethlehem. He is Emmanuel, God with us.

The more we see God in Jesus, the more we will be able to know that God is with us in every aspect of our own lives.



Fr Eric Kemball