

# Advent & Christmas Services Information

## DIVINE OFFICE (PRAYER OF THE CHURCH).

Morning Prayer: Monday to Friday at 6.30 a.m. (In the Blue Room/Lower Friary).

Evening Prayer and Benediction: Monday to Friday at 6.00 p.m. (In the Church).

**ALL ARE WELCOME – PLEASE JOIN US.**



## ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NATIVITY.

*Early Years & Key Stage 1 Nativity (in the school)*

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 2.00 p.m. and Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 2.00 p.m.

*Years 3 and 4 Productions Nativity (in the school)*

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 2.00 p.m. and Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 2.00 p.m.



## PARISH ADVENT RECOLLECTION SERVICE.

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 7.30 p.m.

With a talk by a Specially Invited Priest.



## CHRISTMAS CAROLS SERVICE FOR ALL CHURCHES AT PECKHAM PULSE

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 6.30 p.m.

Join the Parish and the other Christians in proclaiming the joyful news of the Birth of Christ.



## PARISH ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 at 7.30 p.m.

With the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession).



## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT.

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2018.

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2018

Mass - 6.30 p.m. (first Mass of Sunday).

Mass - 8.30 a.m. 10.00 a.m. 12.15 p.m.



## CHRISTMAS EVE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PLAY.

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December at 5.30 p.m.

The children of the parish will perform the Nativity Play before the Mass for Children to help themselves, and other children understand the message of Christmas.



## CHRISTMAS EVE MASS FOR CHILDREN.

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 6.30 p.m.

A special Mass for children to celebrate Christmas where the children will lead the readings.

**A great way to support our children and to start this Christmas.**



## MIDNIGHT MASS – CHRISTMAS EVE.

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

We will have a joyous singing of Carols from 11.00 p.m.

The Mass will start at 12 midnight.

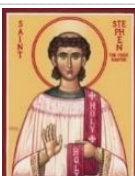
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## CHRISTMAS DAY.

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Mass - 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m.

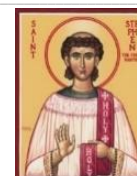


## BOXING DAY – FEAST OF ST. STEPHEN.

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Mass 10.00 a.m.

All Altar Servers need to attend the Mass to renew their promise to serve.





## ALTAR SERVERS GATHERING

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

There will be a gathering of the Altar Servers in the Marque at 11.00 a.m. (following the Mass).



## THURSDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018

Mass 9.30 a.m.

## FRIDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018.

Mass 9.30 a.m.



## SATURDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018.

Mass 10.30 a.m.



## THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH.

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Mass - 6.30 p.m. (First Mass of Sunday).

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Mass - 8.30 a.m. 10.00 a.m. 12.15 p.m.



## RITE OF PASSAGE FROM OLD YEAR **2018** TO THE NEW YEAR **2019**.

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 at 11.00 p.m.

Readings, Hymns, Reflections, and Prayers leading us to the New Year.



## NEW YEAR'S EVE VIGIL MASS.

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 - 12.00 midnight.

Let us come together in One Faith and as One Family to pray for PEACE and for the world.



## NEW YEAR'S DAY – TUESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2019 A.D.

Solemnity of Our Lady, Mother of God.

Mass - 9.00 a.m. and 11.00 a.m.

Please come and pray for PEACE and for the world.



## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD – THE ARRIVAL OF THE THREE KINGS

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2019 - 11.30 a.m.

The Three Kings will arrive and greet the children of the Parish.



## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD.

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

Mass - 6.30 p.m. (First Mass of Sunday).

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

Mass - 8.30 a.m. 10.00 a.m. 12.15 p.m.



## THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION.

The Sacrament for Forgiveness is normally available after the Morning Mass Monday to Saturday.

Please stay near the Confessional to let the priest know that you are waiting.

Also, any time on request when available.



## CHRISTMAS COLLECTION.

The Christmas Offerings are your gift for the support of your Priests. Please place offering in the envelopes provided or in the collection box.

*Thank you for your kind generosity.*



## May Christ be with you and your families.

Fr. Blaise, Fr. Vincent & Deacon Alfred would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May the Lord Bless you all.

Please note:

While every effort is made to keep the above information up to date.

At times certain Masses or Services may change dates or times occasionally.

Please check the weekly newsletter for any changes.