

OUR LADY OF LORETO & ST WINEFRIDE
Archdiocese of Southwark CIO

From Sunday 30th December There Will Be No Sunday 6pm Mass

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16th December 2018 Third Sunday of Advent (C)

Morning Prayer

Mon, Wed, Thurs & Fri at 9.15am in the church

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sat. 10.00-10.30am; 5.15-5.45pm & upon request

Please pray for those who are sick, especially Mary Birch, Christopher Browne, Juliet Daly, Fiona Duffy, Josephine & Lorraine Edwards, Carmella Harris, Thomas Holden, Fiona Hopwood, Kathleen Hughes, Pat McCaig, Joanna Nuttall, Fr David Peck, Rosa Santos, Valerie Somerset, Melanie Thomas, Trieu Tran, Mary Wallace, Susan Wrixton.

Mass of The Day p.87

Priest: *The Mystery of Faith*

Response: *We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.*

Hymn Book References (pages 212-215)

Gloria 481 Holy Holy 482 Lamb of God 487

Offertory 09/12/18 £1,124.35 S/O £265.00

16th December, Third Sunday of Advent (C)

Readings: Zephaniah 3:14-18 Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:10-18

Readers: 6pm Dagmara Slusarcayk-Nelson 9.30am Theresa Allen
11am Margaret Chittick 6pm Loretta Prentice

23rd December, Fourth Sunday of Advent (C)

Readings: Micah 5:1-4 Hebrews 10:5-10
Luke 1:39-45

Readers: 6pm James Flynn 9.30am Paul Fondie
11am Martin Wonfor 6pm Sally Durant

Masses & Intentions

Sat 15th

6.00pm

Our Lady

Frederick Key & Kathleen Moore

Sun 16th

9.30am

Third Sunday of Advent (C) Gaudete Sunday

11.00am

People of the Parish

6.00pm

Ada Mary Bisgood

Mon 17th

Feria

No morning Mass today

2pm

Funeral Mass for Helen Thomas

Tues 18th

Feria

9.30am

Ingrida's Intention

7.30pm

Advent Service of Readings & Carols

Wed 19th

Feria

7.00pm

Benedict Ball RIP

Geoff Gibson RIP

Thurs 20th

Feria

9:30am

Barbara Wood In Thanksgiving

Fri 21st

St Peter Canisius

9:30am

Deceased Friends of Ed & Joan Rundle

Sat 22nd

Feria

6.00pm

Deceased Relatives of Ed & Joan Rundle

Sun 23rd

Fourth Sunday of Advent (C)

Day of Prayer for Expectant Mothers

9.30am

People of the Parish

11.00am

The Intentions of Fr Tom

6.00pm

Margot Gibson RIP

Next Week in the Parish

This Sunday, 16th December

- Please bring your Advent Angel gifts (note below)
- Second Collection for church Christmas Flowers (note below)

Monday, 17th December

- There will be no morning Mass today. There will be a funeral Mass for Helen Thomas at 2pm.

Tuesday, 18th December

- Mass will be at 9.30am today.
- Advent Service at 7.30pm followed by mulled wine & mince pies

Wednesday, 19th December

- Mass will be at 7pm today.

General Parish Notices

Christmas Mass Times

Monday, 24th December, Christmas Eve

- 6pm Mass of the Vigil of Christmas

Tuesday, 25th December, Christmas Day

- Midnight - Preceded by carols at 11.30pm
- 10am Mass
- NO EVENING MASS

Church Flowers at Christmas There will be a retiring collection this weekend towards the cost of Christmas Flowers for the church.

Advent Angel Tree A reminder to those who took an Angel – please return the UNWRAPPED gift to the church porch by the 6pm Mass this Sunday evening, 16th December. Please note that it will not be possible to collect gifts that arrive after that time. Thank you for your understanding. Due to maintenance problems with our Hall, **your gifts will be wrapped in the Hall at St Margaret's Church in East Twickenham** on Monday 17th from 6.30pm to 9pm. **All are welcome to come along and help wrap.**

Junior Church has now finished for the Christmas holiday and will return with the infant group (3-6 years) only on 13 January 2019. If you would like to be a junior church team member please email liz@tpg-design.com. Thanks to all our team members for their continued help and support.

Christmas Offering Envelopes are now available on the tables in the Narthex. While these envelopes are widely used in other parishes in the diocese, several parishioners have asked me about them as they are new to St Winefride's. As you know the collection on Christmas Day (and Easter) is traditionally your gift to the priest. For those who have Gift Aid envelopes please use them as usual. The Christmas Offering envelopes are there for those who might be away on Christmas Day and would still like to contribute, and for those who would simply like to use an envelope on Christmas Day. *Fr Francis*

Baptism Course There will be a Baptism Course held at St Winefride's on Saturday 19th January. Please speak to Fr Francis if you have a child who you would like to have Baptised in the New Year and if you would like to join this course.

First Friday Community Lunch Our last lunch of 2018 was a successful festive occasion at which £385 was raised for SPEAR. Over the year £2,767 has been raised for nine different charities. Our next lunch will be held on Friday 1st February 2019, raising money for the charity Glass Door. We would like to thank you all for your support throughout the year and wish you all a Happy Christmas and New Year.

The Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP) in the parish exists to help those in need by providing companionship, transport, practical assistance and modest financial help. If you or someone you know needs help, please ask Father Francis to let us know and we will be in touch.

Other Notices

'Thank you from Chestertons Kew for supporting this year's coat drive. Chestertons branches, including the Kew branch, have collected a total of nearly **3000 coats** - an amazing, record-breaking result which will help many vulnerable Londoners stay warm this winter. Thank you again for helping and we wish you all a very merry Christmas.'