

St. Mary-the-Virgin

All for Jesus, to the Glory of God the Father, in the power of the Holy Spirit.

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Rosary of Our Lady
Rosary is said at
6.00pm on Tuesday
join us on the webcam



Live Streaming

Join us online for all of the offices and Daily Mass live streamed from the parish church.



Quick Giving

You can donate to St. Mary's using PayPal Giving (excellent for us) on our website. Just search 'make a donation'.

**A very happy Christmas
to you from
St Mary's, Kenton**

**Sunday 25th December
Christmas Day
The Nativity of The Lord
10.30am Parish Mass**

Notices

Funeral arrangements for **Canon John Metivier**, are as follows: Fr John will be received into St Mary's at **4pm** on Thursday, 29 December (and a Mass of Requiem will be celebrated at 6pm): all welcome. His funeral will take place at 12 noon on Friday, 30 December at St Michael's Church, Tokyngton. May he rest in peace.

Support St Mary's when you play the **Harrow Wins** lottery:
<https://www.harrowwins.co.uk/support/st-mary-the-virgin-kenton>

Dates for your diary

Friday 23 December Mass at 9.30am, followed by Christmas cleaning and decorating - please join us to prepare the church for Christmas!

Saturday 24 December, Christmas Eve 4pm Christingle for Families and Children.
Volunteers requested to prepare resources at 2pm, please.

Saturday 24 December, Christmas Eve 11.30pm Midnight Mass by Candlelight

Sunday 25 December, Christmas Day 10.30am Parish Mass with Carols

2023 "Happy New Year" – please see Fr Richard if you would like him to visit to bless your house

Sunday 1 January, 10.30am Parish Mass: **Mary, Holy Mother of God** followed by *New Year's Day Parish Lunch (please sign up on list)*

Friday 6 January, 9.30am Epiphany

Sunday 8 January, 10.30am Parish Mass: **Baptism of the Lord** (including the blessing of water and chalk) followed by *festive refreshments*

Saturday 21 January, 9.30am-4pm Parochial Church Council Mission Planning Day followed by **Safeguarding Training (2pm)**

Sunday 22 January, 10.30am Parish Mass: **Sunday of the Word of God** Guest Preacher: Canon Gary Jenkins

Sunday 22 January, 6pm (Kenton Baptist Church) Kenton Group of Churches Joint Celebration

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For Our Prayers

Please pray for Fr Richard and his Ministry as Vicar of St. Mary's.

We pray for the Holy Catholic Church and our Parish: Pope **Francis**; Our Bishop **Jonathan**; The Archdeacon of Northolt **Catherine**

Our Churchwardens, **Ken, Johnette** and PCC Members.

For all with Corona Virus. For all persecuted Christians, 70,000 in N Korea alone. Christians in Egypt and people of the Ukraine.

Pray for Wang Yi jailed in China for "inciting subversion", and Pastor Youcef Nadarkhani in Iran, and those in communist/Marxist/fascist 're-education' camps.

We pray daily for the elderly, infirm, those in need; for those being nursed in hospitals or at home; those who have asked for prayers: Christine Smith; Del Carter; John Capper; James Scott; Margarita; Brian Foy; Georgina; Debbie DeSouza; Mark; Ivan Cowans; Anthony Thomas; Edward Huntley; Valerie D'Souza; Corine Farmer; Mark Taylor; Karl Liechti; Penny; Maureen; Andrew McAlister; Julie; Alison, Khial, Blaise, Vera & family; Velma Cameron; Mary Haines; Becky Keating; Pat Turret; Marian Botos; Ronald Dunn; Geoffrey; Heather Gifford; John Langton; Avalon Afriye; Hamedan Khan; Annie Ocane; David Lawrie; Tashan; Maya Fernandes; Patricia Franco; Marian Belgrove; Shirley Joseph; Lauraine Braithwaite; Jayne & Michael; Rachel Newby; Christian Labak; Andrew & Eileen Doherty; Neave Mercuris; Louise; Oliver Joseph; Maria Gonzales; Vicky Wilson; Katherine and Fr Edward Lewis; Ashif; Tresa Labastide; Doreen; Errol; Lizz Coppin; Renu; Sheila Mitchell; Carmin Paul; Heather; Fr Michael Bedford; Erma; Pastor Andrew; Peter Coe; Baptista; Olga; Donna Bull; Anise Coppin-Browne; Frances Bradford; Marie Anann; Raymond Mitchell; Courtney Luton; Pat & Philip Edwards; Baby Freddie Wilson & Danielle Wilson; Hazel Mitchell; Maxine Lee; Vance Webber

We pray for the souls of the departed:

Sylvan; John Metivier, priest; Sylvia Lesley
All who have died suddenly, without priest or sacraments...
Brothers & Sisters murdered in the Middle East & all those torn from the womb. **Jesu mercy Mary pray**

We pray for our Nation and the World:

for **His Majesty King Charles** and all members of the Royal Family. For our Prime Minister, the Cabinet and Government. Our MP **Bob**, The mayor and local councillors. Chaplains to the Armed Forces, Universities, Prisons and NHS; **and an end to acts of terrorism and riot. People of The Ukraine, Lebanon, Afghanistan, victims of all terror & natural disaster**

Years Mind

24	George Day, Lillie Blanche Marks, Iris Maitland
25	Ethel Clarkson, Fanny Crosbie, Norah Ward, William Cotterill, James Thompson
26	Elizabeth Tautz, Henry Colville Montgomery-Campbell, Irene Harmer
27	Willie Moss, Lizzie Huntington, David Morris, Edith Windsor
28	Florence Christabel Foxcroft, Alice Dorothy Dawn
29	Laura Cocker, Charlotte Johnson, Dawn Binskin, James Bernard Onions, pr., Lewis Eustace Ford, pr., Charles Henry Davis, Herbert John Faux
30	Reginald Windsor, George Arnold Abbott, Winifrede Page
31	Sarah Strickland, Albert Stanley Howard, John Lee Haselden, Vivienne Wackett
1	Edith Smith, Dulcie Rosina Narroway, Jessie Hoskins

Week Beginning 25th December 2022

Please follow the daily readings and offices using the website www.universalis.com

Divine Office Week 1

Saturday 24th Advent Feria

9:00 Morning Prayer & Adoration

9:30 Mass

4:00 Christingle Service

11:30 Midnight Mass

Intention: Thanking God for the Gift of Jesus

Sunday 25th The Nativity of The Lord

9:45 Morning Prayer

10.30 Parish Mass

Intention: Our Parish

Bank Holiday Monday 26th S Stephen**No public services on Monday**

Intention: Christians who have celebrated Our Lord's Nativity in countries where their faith is challenged or forbidden

Bank Holiday Tuesday 27th S John

9:45 Morning Prayer

5:45 Evening Prayer | **6:00** Rosary

6:30 Mass

Intention: The Parish of S John the Evangelist Stanmore and S John's Church of England School

Wednesday 28th Holy Innocents

9:00 Morning Prayer | **9:30** Mass

Evening Prayer said privately

Intention: Children who are at risk

Thursday 29th S Thomas Becket

9:45 Morning Prayer

5:45 Evening Prayer

4:00 Reception of John Metivier into St Mary's

6:00 Mass of Requiem

Intention: The repose of the soul of John Metivier

Friday 30th The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

9:00 Morning Prayer | **9:30** Mass of Requiem

12:00 Funeral of John Metivier (*St Michael Tokyngton*)

Evening Prayer said privately

Intention: Caregivers and Carers (paid and unpaid)

Saturday 31st Christmas Octave

9:00 Morning Prayer & Adoration

9:30 Mass

5:00 Evening Prayer | **5:15** Confessions

6:00 First Mass of Sunday

Intention: Bishop Jonathan

Sunday 1st January The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

9:45 Morning Prayer

10.30 Parish Mass

followed by Parish New Year's Day Lunch

Intention: Our Parish