

The Fourth Sunday of Advent

# Welcome to the Parish Church of St Mary-the-Virgin, Kenton



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St Mary the Virgin

## Week Beginning 22 December

#### Saturday 21 (O Oriens)

1000			
1700	Evening Prayer	1715	Confessions
0930	Mass (Int. Peace in Ukraine)		
0900	Morning Prayer and Add	oration	

**1800 Vigil Mass** (Int. Bishop Jonathan)

### Sunday 22 (ADVENT IV)

0945 Morning Prayer

1030 Parish Mass (Int. Our Parish) (followed by a glass of vin santo, and church cleaning)

#### Monday 23 (O Emmanuel)

(no public services) (Int. Preparations for Christmas)

#### **Tuesday 24 (CHRISTMAS EVE)**

0945 Morning Prayer

1745 Evening Prayer

2330 Midnight Mass (Int. Thanksgiving for Christ's Birth)

Wednesday 25 (CHRISTMAS DAY) 0945 Morning Prayer

1030 Mass of Christmas Day (Int. Our Parish)

#### Thursday 26 (St Stephen)

- 0945 Morning Prayer
- 1745 Evening Prayer
- 1800 Mass (Int. The Persecuted Church)

### Friday 27 (St John the Evangelist)

- 0900 Morning Prayer
- 0930 Mass (Int. Teachers of the Faith)

#### Saturday 28 (The Holy Innocents)

1800	Vigil Mass (Int. Bishop Jonathan)		
1700	Evening Prayer	1715	Confessions
0930	Mass (Int. Unborn Children)		
0900	Morning Prayer and Adoration		

# Sunday 29 (THE HOLY FAMILY)

# 0945 Morning Prayer

**1030** Parish Mass (Int. Our Parish)

**31 Jan to 2 Feb** Men's Pilgrimage to Walsingham (see the poster on the board, and/or ask Fr Richard for more info.)

**Sunday 2 February (Candlemas)** guest celebrant and preacher: the Rt Rev'd Norman Banks

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## Join us on YouTube for daily offices and Mass

## **For Your Prayers**

*In Need*: Katherine & Fr Edward Lewis; Pat Edwards; Helen Johns; Alan Anyon; Val Howell; Corine Farmer; Edward Huntley; Stephen Crane; Dawn; Judy King; Winslow Maloney; Joyce; Ioan Tinca; Matthew; Mark Rose; Bernadette Labastide; Jackie De Roy; Carmin Paul; Philomena Lal; Ira Bailey; Sylvia Ramdial; Ian Taitt; Judith Bailey; Mano & Indira; Dunia Farley; Mayuri Patel; James; Ingrid Newton; John Donovan; Gloria Cowans; Rory Gelardi; baby Jason; Theresa Labastide; Rebecca Goulding

Recently Departed: Saroja Rajan; Ann Neely; Shirley Reece; Samuel Benjamin; Clive Thomas; Richard Valler; George ("Beau") Knapp; James Elliott

Year's Mind: Daisy Oliver, Harriett Barnes, Ethel Underwood, Ernest Leonard, William Metcalf, Leslie Herbert (2 *I st*); Hannah Brooks, Ada Mitchell, Millicent Fisher, Florie Thorogood, David Hamlett, Doreen Windridge, Dorothy Dawn (22*nd*); John Wheeler, Clarice Rooney (23*rd*); George Day, Lillie Marks, Iris Maitland (24*th*); Ethel Clarkson, Fanny Crosbie, Norah Ward, William Cotterill, James Thompson, David Altman, Lydia Taylor, Peter Carter (25*th*); Elizabeth Tautz, Henry Montgomery-Campbell, Irene Harmer (26*th*); Willie Moss, Lizzie Huntington, David Morris, Edith Windsor (27*th*); Florence Foxcroft, Alice Dawn (28*th*); Laura Cocker, Charlotte Johnson, James Onions (*priest*), Lewis Ford (*priest*), Charles Davis, Herbert Faux, Dawn Binskin (29*th*)

## Notices

**Thank you** to all who have delivered Christmas invitations, and helped decorate the church for Christmas etc.

We are upgrading our **contactless donations** system, and would welcome any sponsorship of the new equipment (£330) Please speak to Fr Richard to arrange a New Year **house blessing** 

Our external giving this month is for **Crisis UK** - please use the basket at the back, and an envelope

The 2025 Freewill Offering Envelopes are available at the back - thank you for your support; see Fr Richard to sign up

## **Dates for your Diary**

**Thursday 26 December** Patronal Festival, I Iam (St Stephen, Gloucester Road)

Wednesday I January 2025 (Mary, Mother of God) Sung Mass, 12pm - followed by a raffle, and bring-and-share lunch: see Pat to contribute a dish

## Sunday 5 January (Epiphany) Sung Mass, 10.30am

Friday 24 January Service of Prayer for Christian Unity, 7pm (St Anselm, Belmont) - readers and refreshments required

Sunday 26 January (Sunday of the Word of God) guest preacher: the Rev'd Alexander McGregor

**Monday 27 January** Induction of Fr Charles Card-Reynolds as Vicar, 7.30pm (All Saints, Notting Hill)