



St James the Great Peckham Rye  
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*18<sup>th</sup> December to 24<sup>th</sup> December 2023*

## FR JACK

**"Make A Straight Way For The Lord."**

Then you will be in the light. This is the call of Christmas. Make a straight way for the Lord.

*How do I make the way straight?*

*What kind of person am I?*

*Is my life straight?*

*Am I gravitating towards Christ?*

Am I helpful, kind, generous, forgiving, understanding? Then when I straighten my life, I am making the way straight for the Lord. When I straighten my life, and you straighten your life and everyone else straightens their life. The kingdom will truly reign in our midst. We are not talking about mountains and valleys. But about you and I.

## CONFESSION

I will try to be available all week for confession. Just give me a call 07909 140867

## Christmas Collection

The collection at the Christmas Masses is your personal gift to Fr Jack, in appreciation. I intend to send it via CAFOD for the Holy Land since sadly there is no Christmas in Bethlehem this Christmas. Your generosity to the home of Christ is appreciated.  
Thank you.

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### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	10:00am	Holy Souls
Tuesday	10:00am	Elizabeth & George Baldwin FM
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
Thursday	10:00am	Int of Reginald Marlow
Friday	10:00am	Int of Ronald Palat
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent</b>		
Saturday	06:00pm	Private Intention
Sunday	08:30am	Friends and Family
	10:00am	Mick O'Connell RIP
	12:00noon	People of the Parish

### Christmas Programme

Sorry one Mass **will not do** for both days Sunday and Christmas.

**Sunday as usual: 8:30, 10:00, 12:00**

**Christmas Eve Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> Dec**

**Mass at 6.00pm and 8.00pm.**

### Christmas Day

**One Mass at 10.00am**

### Masses on Christmas Week

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> December 12:00 noon**

*Feast of St Stephen Mass*, with a special celebration for the Alter Servers. **Parents please encourage your children to attend.**

**Liturgy of the Word 10:00am on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday**

**Saturday 6:00pm Thanksgiving for 2023**

### Sunday

**8:30** Holy Father's Intentions

**10:00** Appreciation of the Emergency Services

**12:00** People of the parish.

**Happy Christmas and New Year to everyone from Father Jack.**