

St James the Great - Peckham Rye

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Mon 16th December to Sun 22nd December 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon 10:00am Thanksgiving
Tues 10:00am Dorothy Burgess FM
Weds 10:00am Liturgy of the Word
Thurs 10:00am Elizabeth & George Baldwin FM
Fri 10:00am Vocations
Sat 06:00pm Broken Families
Sun 08:30am People of the Parish
10:00 am Pilgrims of Hope
12:00noon John Foley RIP

Fr Jack

How can I do my part? Let us make a concrete commitment, even if small, that is adapted to our situation in life, and let us continue to do it to prepare ourselves for this Christmas. For example: I can call a person who is alone, visit that elderly person or that person who is ill, do something to serve a poor person, someone in need. Even still: maybe I need to ask forgiveness, grant forgiveness, clarify a situation, pay a debt. Perhaps I have neglected prayer and after a long time, it is time to draw near to the Lord's forgiveness. Brothers and sisters, let us find something concrete and do it!

Our School

Congratulations to all the staff of our school. In their RE inspection, they got Grade one which means exceptional. in all sixteen areas. We have good reason to be very proud of our school and staff. Congratulations again and parents make sure you help your children in building their faith here in the parish.

CONFESSSION

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

The world is changed by your example and not by your opinions

Nativity play

Wednesday 18th December at 6pm
Here in our own church the school nativity
Everybody is invited.

£200 benefit for pensioners

If you are in financial stress and not receiving pension credit:

Please ring Link Age Southwark on 020 8299 2623 who can help. The criteria are that the applicant needs to be 66 years old age or older, live within Southwark Council. The **deadline is 24 December**. When **ringing**, please ask for help with the **Pensioner Referral Pathway benefit**

THANK YOU, THANK YOU.

Sincere thanks to **Bernadine** and team for a fantastic day last Sunday. These are the events that make the parish go and progress. This is your parish. Thanks again.

Christmas Programme

Christmas Eve

Tuesday 24th December
Mass at 6pm and 8pm

Christmas Day

One Mass at 10:00am

Masses on Christmas Week

Thursday 26th December 12:00 noon

Feast of St Stephen Mass

With a special celebration for Alter Servers.
Parents please encourage your children to attend.

Friday 27th December 10:00am

Liturgy of the Word

Saturday 28th December 6pm

Thanksgiving for 2024

Sunday 29th December

8:30 am Holy Father's Intentions

10:00 am – Appreciation of the

Emergency Services

12:00 noon People of the Parish

SAFE FAMILIES

Eli Cushing from All Saints will talk to us next week about safe families. *Connecting with a child or parent as a Safe Families volunteer is an incredible way to make a difference to families overwhelmed by their circumstances. We provide all the training and support you need as you walk alongside a family. It could be as simple as going for a cup of coffee or giving someone a call when they are struggling*