

# St James the Great - Peckham Rye

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Mon 17<sup>th</sup> March to Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2025

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Mon 11:00 Requiem Susan O'Sullivan**

Tues 10:00am Holy Souls

Weds 10:00am Personal Intention

**4:00pm Benediction All Welcome**

Thurs 10:00am World Leaders

Fri 10:00am Peace in the World

**Followed by Stations of the Cross**

Sat 06:00pm Those who are unwell

Sun 08:30am People of the Parish

10:00 am Thanksgiving

12:00noon Compassion

## AYLESFORD.

**Servers Annual Rally 5<sup>th</sup> May**  
**Diocesan Jubilee Celebration 7<sup>th</sup> June**  
Both days will be approx. from **9am-5pm**  
**Please let us know if your interested.**

## A Place at my Table

**This Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March**  
**10:30 am to 1:30pm in our hall**

Refreshments and lunch provided  
We will be joined by Healthwatch Southwark that helps residents access the best possible health and social services appropriate for our diverse communities.

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## Fr Jack

Jesus had been teaching, "*Whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it*" (Lk 9:24).

This is challenging talk and Jesus knew the apostles would need some encouragement, so He took them up the mountain to have an after resurrection experience. Jesus also Himself had an encounter with his Father similar to his baptism. "You are my beloved Son."

An apostle said, "*It is good to be here.*" I hope you have, now and again and out of world experience of just being close to God and can equally say yes "It is good." This sustains us when things are not so bright. This Gospel vision reminds us that we too are meant to be "seeing things" as we move through our Lenten journey.

*Often it is a change of self that is needed more than a change of scene.*

## KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA

Will be giving out Easter posters next week and collecting for the Manna Centre

## FOUNDATION GOVERNORS

We are in great need for foundation governors for our school and schools across the dioceses. Would you be willing to help. Please let me or Mr. O Regan know. If you would like to find out more check the Zoom meeting:-  
Details: **Thursday 27 March 2025 @ 5.30-6.30pm Zoom:** For more details and to book, go to:

<https://www.rcaoseducation.org.uk/aspiring-to-governance/>

## Care Not Killing Petition

**Please consider signing the Care Not Killy petition** which calls on MPs to vote against legalising assisted suicide in England and Wales. The Terminally ill Adults (End of Life) Bill would make vulnerable people – including the elderly and disabled – feel a burden on family or carers resulting in pressure to end their lives. **You can sign the petition at the back of church** or on line at:

[www.carenotkilling.org.uk](http://www.carenotkilling.org.uk)

Fast from hurting words and say kind words