# NEWSLETTER

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## Monday 2nd December – Sunday 8th December 2019

MondayTuesday10:00am Carmelita Teng R.I.PTonny Dinnegan R.I.P

7:30pm Penitential Service

Wednesday 10:00am In Thanksgiving

7:00pm Holy Souls

Thursday 10:00am Leo Appah

FridaySaturday10:00am Int. of William & Helen6:00pm People of the Parish

Sunday Second Sunday of Advent

8:30am Betty Russell R.I.P 10:00am Peace in the World 12 noon Pope's Intention

Confessions 2 – 4pm every Saturday, but can be organised anytime, text 07909 140867

# Penitential Service

This Tuesday at 7.30pm there will be a penitential service here in our own church. A number of priests will be available for confession. Please use the opportunity to prepare for Advent, Christmas and Death.

## PARTY FOR MATURE PEOPLE.

The SVP are organising a Christmas party for our older parishioners on **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December.**Beginning with mass and anointing of the sick at 11am, followed by a party in the hall.

We need food, drink and music.

Please talk to any member of the SVP about your contribution.

## Please let people know and bring them along.

And please remember this is not an exclusive Catholic party. Cars will also be available, let Fr Jack know what you need.

If there are any school children who would like work experience, or anyone who would like to know more about work in the Parish office, please let Fr Jack know.

# Fr Jack

Last Sunday I talked about Jesus raising humanity to a new level: Being faithful to his calling/commitment. Paul today gives us a similar idea: "Throw off the works of darkness and put on the armour of light. Let us walk becomingly as in the day." Allow God's vision of peace to inspire you: Positivity, honesty and integrity. Be vigilant, be prepared, be attentive and invite Christ into your life. This is as much about here as hereafter. At the time of Noah people were immersed in the things of life. They did not notice, they did not listen to what was going on around them. The Flood came.. A Thought -----Are environmentalists teaching us a lesson today?

# For Advent may we listen..

# **Funeral of Father Tom Creagh-Fuller**

Tuesday 17th December at 7pm, reception of body followed by Requiem Mass.

St William of York Church, 4 Brockley Park, Forest Hill, SE23 1PS.

Wednesday 18th December at 12 noon Funeral Mass. St Edmund of Canterbury Church, 20 Village Way, Beckenham, BR3 3NP.

#### **SCHOOL NATIVITY PLAY**

7pm Wednesday 18.12.2019.

We need mince pies and mulled wine, please. All contributions very welcome.

Does anyone have an **urn** (to heat the wine) we could borrow?

Thanks to Ashling who did it for years but sadly has left us.

## FOR SALE

1. Photocopier
TOSHIBA Studio 203 SB
In good working order / smaller volume.

2. PRINTER, as new.
HP ENVY4527
Print, scan, copy, web photos.
See Fr. Jack