

ST GEORGE, BICKLEY

NEWSLETTER 14th DECEMBER 2025

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS this Saturday at 6pm. Mince pies and mulled wine afterwards. Come along for a feast of Christmas music. Donations of mince pies requested!

DONATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS FLOWERS, PLEASE - donation basket at the back of church.

MONICA INVITES YOU to a pre-Christmas drink and nibbles at 6 Wythes Close from 12.00 - 2.00 today. All welcome.

CAROLS AT THE STATION Come and sing with our choir at Bickley Station from 6pm to 7pm on Thursday 18th for Churches Together.

SING FOR WELCARE in The Glades, on Thursday 18th from 11 to 12.30pm. They will be at the top of the escalators at the Boots end of The Glades, near Zara.

CONFESSIONS AT 6.30pm THIS TUESDAY rather than Friday, due to a concert in church. Fr Henry and Fr Owen are always happy to make appointments to hear your confession at convenient times.

MONICA SENDS CHRISTMAS GREETINGS to everyone. She is not sending individual cards but has made a donation to Church funds.

CLAIRE AND FAMILY thank you for your Christmas cards and wish you all a very happy and peaceful Christmas. Claire has donated to church funds.

CHRISTMAS WISHES FROM THE WALTON FAMILY. They have donated to St George's.

CHRISTMAS FLYERS now available. Please take some and give them to your friends and neighbours. Leave piles in strategic places, give them to your friendly shopkeepers. Get the word out about our Christmas services!

NEW ST GEORGE'S PARISH MUGS. We are selling our elegant new parish mugs for £5, to help finance the purchase of a new set for the Hall. Get your mugs today from Beverley.

BROMLEY FOODBANK were delighted with all the donations which were taken along on Monday. Thank you to everyone who brought Christmas goodies along. Should you wish to donate please do so online to Bromley Foodbank. Bromley Borough Foodbank 60-16-03. Account 77879007.

SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK:

- Monday 15th 2.30pm Bromley High Senior Carol Service
- Tuesday 16th 9.30 Mass
 Zephaniah 3; 1-2, 9-13. Matthew 21; 28-32.
 11.00 St George's School KS2 Carol Service
 2.30pm St George's School KS1 Christingle Service
 6.30pm Confessions.
- Wednesday 17th 9.30 Mass (O Sapientia)
 Genesis 49; 2, 8-10. Matthew 1; 1-17.
- Thursday 18th 9.30 Mass (O Adonai)
 Jeremiah 23; 5-8. Matthew 1; 18-24.
 6-7pm Carol Singing at Bickley Station
- Friday 19th 9.30 Parish Requiem Mass (O Radix Jesse)
 Judges 13; 2-7, 24-25. Luke 1; 5-25.
- Saturday 20th 9.30 Mass and Rosary (O Clavis David)
 Isaiah 7; 10-14. Luke 1; 26-38.
 6pm Nine Lessons and Carols

NEXT SUNDAY: THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8.00 Mass (traditional rite)

10.30 Sung Mass with Children's Church

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

THOSE IN NEED: HM The King, Keith Bowley, Sylvia Braybrooke, Chris Brennan, Sue Byers, Jim & Janet Connor, Fr David Cossar, Julie Couldridge, Beatrice Dadson, Sandra Donohue, Roger Edwards, Stuart Esk, Matthew Fairweather, Ahmed & Asma Farid, Jan Good, Norman Good, Elaine Greasley, Alison Hadfield, Caroline Houston, Mary Huggins, Kim James, Maxine Johnson, Catherine Jones, Ralph Jones, Marie Kerrigan, James Lofthouse, Margaret McKensie, Joseph Milad, Nelly Oakeshott, Lee Ramsey, Lyn Ramsey, Scott Ramsey, David Richards, Ray Shaw, Joan Turpin, Norman Vaughton, Elaine Warner & family, Laila Williams.

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Howard Finn.

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Please note: there is no answering machine on the Vicarage landline.