

The Catholic Parish of the Annunciation and St. Edmund Campion

**3RD - 16TH DECEMBER
(2 WEEKS) 2023
1ST & 2ND SUNDAY IN
ADVENT**

AN- ANNUNCIATION
EC- ST. EDMUND CAMPION
SW- ST. WALBURGA'S

**THE PARISH OFFICE IS
CLOSED NEXT WEEK.**

MON 11TH: CLOSED
TUES 12TH: 8.30AM - 4.30PM
WED 13TH: 8.30AM - 4.30PM
THUR 14TH: 8.30AM - 4.30PM
FRI 15TH: 8.30AM - 4.30PM
(Phones are answered 9am-4pm)

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PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ONLY 11AM MASS EACH SUNDAY IS LIVE STREAMED THROUGH YouTube. (For more information, please speak to the Clergy.)

Sunday 3rd December 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

EC 9.00am Mass: Judith Collett- Simpson RIP
AN 11.00am Mass: for the people of the parish
AN 6.30pm Mass:

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EC 11.30am Polish Mass
EC 6.00pm Polish Mass

Monday 4th December 1ST WEEK OF ADVENT

EC 9.30am Mass:

Tuesday 5th December

AN 7.00pm Mass:

Wednesday 6th December

EC 9.30am Mass:

Thursday 7th December

AN 9.30am Mass: Bruno Quaglia RIP

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Friday 8th December THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

EC 9.30am Mass: 11th Birthday of Mariyam Sebastian

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Saturday 9th December

AN 10.00am Mass: Martha Devine RIP



1st Sunday of advent

THE POWER OF HOPE - In the first week of advent, we meditate on hope. Hope reminds us of the assurance we have that God will fulfil all His promises through the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. Jeremiah 29:11 'says I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you. Plans to give you hope and a future'. Everything is possible with God. So, keep hope alive knowing that there is light and laughter at the end. Come Lord Jesus do not delay.

PRAYER - Lord cleans us of every trace of doubt in our minds and heart, help to see your promise come to light every day. Create in us a desire for a world transformed to reflect your glory.

PLEASE RETAIN THIS NEWSLETTER UNTIL 17TH DECEMBER 2023

Sunday 10th December 2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

EC 9.00am Mass: for the people of the parish
 AN 11.00am Mass:
 AN 6.30pm Mass:

AN 9.00am Polish Mass
 EC 11.30am Polish Mass
 EC 6.00pm Polish Mass

Monday 11th December 2ND WEEK OF ADVENT

EC 9.30am Mass:

Tuesday 12th December

AN 7.00pm Mass: Mariano Romero Montalvo RIP

Wednesday 13th December

EC 9.30am Mass: Josephine Alvarez RIP

Thursday 14th December

AN 9.30am Mass: Leny's intention

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Friday 15th December

EC 9.30am Mass:

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Saturday 16th December

AN 10.00am Mass: Jonathan Sullivan RIP
 In thanksgiving for Ryan's 18th Birthday

Grateful thanks to the Kerelan Community for a lovely evening last Saturday. The total of £221.27 will go straight into church funds. Thank you to everyone who supported this event.



2nd Sunday of Advent.

THE POWER OF FAITH - As we celebrate our second week in Advent, we light our second purple candle symbolising FAITH. As we meditate on the faith, let us grow stronger in the faith we have in the gift of our Lord Jesus, grant us unwavering faith in you Lord. The other name for this second purple candle is 'Bethlehem' The candle's name has its origins in the prophet Micah who prophesied Jesus would be born in Bethlehem.

PRAYER - God our father, help us to see clearly through the eyes of faith the purpose for which you have created us. Help us also recognise the times we have offended you and teach us humbly to ask forgiveness and forgive us through your merciful love.

READERS FOR SUNDAY 10TH DECEMBER:

9AM - MARIYAM, ELIZABETH, ISAAC
 11AM - SEKAV, TONIOLA, DORIS
 6.30PM - MARGARET, MICHELLE, ANDY



READERS FOR SUNDAY 17TH DECEMBER:

9AM - PEGGY, RIANNA, ALVIN
 11AM - GLORIA, SEKAV, DORIS
 6.30PM - ADORN, CHRISTOPHER, ANDY

ANNUNCIATION WORKING PARTY SATURDAY 9TH DECEMBER 11AM-12.30PM.

We are looking for volunteers to tidy the grounds but also the inside of the church. Please bring gardening tools or a duster! This bi-monthly event will help so much in cutting costs to gardening and cleaning services.

CHRISTMAS CAROL'S, ENGLISH, AFRICAN, LATIN AMERICAN - FRIDAY 29TH DECEMBER 2023, 7.00PM (DOORS OPEN 6.30PM) - In the Annunciation Church.

Song sheets, audience participation & music from our youth ensemble. Voluntary contributions of £5.00 to go towards church funds will be collected either by cash or via our card machine. Everyone welcome.

ALL ENQUIRIES FOR THE FOLLOWING (EXCEPT WHERE STATED) CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TEL: 01202 513369

PARISH OFFICE	TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY 8.30AM - 4.30PM
CHURCH HALLS bookings & info.	PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE
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