

LOOKING AHEAD

Daily Office (short 15-minute prayer service) Monday-Wednesday, Friday & Saturday at 8.00am and 5.30pm

Sun 8 January 2017 10am	Mass for the Epiphany of the Lord
Sun 15 January 2017 10am	Mass for the Baptism of Christ
Wed 18 January 2017 6.45pm	PCC Meeting (Church Hall)
Sun 22 January 2017 10am	Mass for the Conversion of St Paul
Sun 29 January 2017 10am	Mass for the Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas)
Sun 5 February 2017 10am	Mass for the 4 th Sunday before Lent
Sun 12 February 2017 10am	Mass for the 3 rd Sunday before Lent
Sun 19 February 2017 10am	Mass for the 2 nd Sunday before Lent
Sun 26 February 2017 10 am	Mass for the Sunday before Lent
Wed 1 March 2017 7pm	Mass for Ash Wednesday
Sun 5 March 2017 10am	Mass for the 1 st Sunday in Lent
Sun 12 March 2017 10am	Mass for the 2 nd Sunday in Lent
Wed 15 March 2017 6.45pm	PCC Meeting (Church Hall)
Sun 19 March 2017 10am	Mass for the 3 rd Sunday in Lent
Sun 26 March 2017 10am	Mass for Mothering Sunday
Sun 2 April 2017 10am	Mass for Passion Sunday
Sun 9 April 2017 10am	Mass for Palm Sunday

THIS IS THE GATE OF HEAVEN

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Next Sunday: 15th January 2017

The Baptism of Christ

Hymns: 401 193 311 317

Isaiah 42:1-9 Mary Mc Acts 10:34-43 Arthur

Psalm 29 Gospel Matthew 3:13-end

Intercessions Mary Mc Chalice: Toni

Sides people: Helen & Laurie

Vicar Mother Bernadette Hegarty 020 3774 6833

Churchwarden: Julian Bream 020 7515 4938

Churchwarden: Safia Dimsdale



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Sunday 8 January 2017

The Feast of the Epiphany

Hymns: 537 394 41 395

Isaiah 60:1-6 Joanna **Ephesians 3:1-12** Julian

Psalm 72 Gospel Matthew 2:1-12

Intercessions Julian **Chalice:** Safia

Sides people: Mary S/Hendrika

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Edmond Brien, William Jarvis, Naomi Harris, Esther Christian, ,
Margaret Diss, John Christian, Rachel Christian, Isobel Coates,
Ray Williams, Charlie Berry, Dawn Smith, Sharni Josephine,
Nojahan Hamid, Mark Emmerson, Jane Keefe, Audrey Mameli,
Blesie Smith, Iyabode Kadhiri, John McLean, Pat Padmore, Baby Jack,
Kenneth Lambert

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique
January Year's Mind: Canon Amos Cole-Wilson, Patsy 'Roberts,
Peter Cook, Monica George

Today we continue our celebration of the 40 days of Christmas with the **Feast of the Epiphany**, which marks the coming of the Magi. We make another visit to the Christmas Crib at the end of the service and you will need the yellow Epiphany sheet for all that happens after Holy Communion.

Next week we celebrate the **Baptism of Christ** and we will also be renewing our baptism vows so do make a special effort to come.

Welcome back and Happy New Year to all who spent Christmas and New Year away from St Paul's. We hope you had a blessed time with family and friends.

Stitches
INTIME

Great courses starting in the new year: silk painting, animation for kids, pattern cutting and lots more.

Tel: **02079876161** for more information

The Tuesday Sale – Mary, Isabel and their team are taking a well-deserved break over Christmas and the New Year and will start again on **Tuesday 17 January 2017**.

New Step course starting next year. Open to anyone who wishes to explore their faith and their gifts, and to wonder what God might be calling them in to, is very welcome to join. It will take place weekly over two terms. If this is something which is of interest to you, then let Mthr. Bernadette know

Little Lights – takes a well-deserved over the Christmas school holidays.

We start back again on Friday 13th January 2017.





TRAIDCRAFT STALL today.

Just a reminder that the first Sunday of the month we each have the opportunity to make a small but important act to support Fair Trading.

Hendrika will have her stall set up in the church hall. Do visit it and buy many of the excellent items for sale.

Healthy Start to the New Year Event at Bromley By Bow Church, St Leonard's St, E3 3BT on Thursday 12 January 2017 1pm-4pm.

A fun filled day with lots of activities including yoga, refreshments, exercise, henna artists, blood pressure checks, face painting, information on preventing diabetes. For more information: thcc.meebbbhealth@nhs.net

Rotas: Thank you to all who ensure that our Sunday worship is the best it can be. I am drawing up a new rota from **Sunday 5 February – Sunday 26 March.**

Please let me know the dates you are unavailable by Sunday 23rd October by completing the green form at the back of church.

Farewell celebration for Bishop Richard at St Paul's Cathedral on Thursday 2nd February at 6pm.

The Diocese will bid farewell and Godspeed to Bishop Richard at St Paul's Cathedral on Candlemas, Thursday 2 February at 6pm. After 21 years at the helm, the Bishop's last public act will be to celebrate the Eucharist with the people and clergy of the Diocese. **All welcome.**

For more information, see the Diocese of London website.