

LOOKING AHEAD

There will be no Daily Office this week.

Sunday 29 th December 10am	Mass for Christmas 1
Sunday 5 th January 10am	Mass for the Feast of the Epiphany
Sunday 12 th January 10am	Mass for the Baptism of Christ
Friday 17 th January 9.30am	Little Lights
Sunday 19 th January 10am	Mass for Epiphany 2
Friday 24 th January 9.30am	Little Lights
Sunday 26 th January 10am	Mass for the Conversion of St Paul
Friday 31 st January 9.30am	Little Lights
Sunday 2 February 10am	Mass for Candlemas
Friday 7 th February 9.30am	Little Lights
Sunday 9 th February 10am	Mass for 3 rd Sunday before Lent
Sunday 16 th February 10am	Mass for 2 nd Sunday before Lent
Sunday 23 rd February 10am	Mass for Sunday next before Lent
Wednesday 26 th February 10am	Mass for Ash Wednesday
Sunday 2 nd March 10am	Mass for Lent 1
Sunday 9 th March 10am	Mass for Lent 2
Sunday 16 th March 10am	Mass for Lent 3
Sunday 15 th March 10am	Mass for Lent 3
Sunday 22 nd March 10am	Mass for Lent 4 – Mothering Sunday
Sunday 29 th March 10am	Mass for Passion Sunday
Sunday 5 th April 10am	Mass for Palm Sunday
Monday 6 th April 6.30pm	Seder Meal
Tuesday 7 th April 6.30pm	Stations of the Cross
Wednesday 8 th April 6.30pm	Prayers around the Cross
Thursday 9 th April 7pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Friday 10 th April 1.30pm	Liturgy of the Cross
Saturday 11 th April 8pm	Easter Vigil
Sunday 12 th April 10am	Mass for Easter Day

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Next Sunday: 5th January 2020

Mass for the Feast of the Epiphany

Hymns: 36 25 3 30

Isaiah 60:1-6: Edward Ephesians 3:1-12: Hendrika

Psalm 72 Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Intercessions: Julian Chalice: Julian

Sidespeople: Edward & Hendrika

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BOW COMMON



Sunday 29th December 2019

Mass for the First Sunday of Christmas

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Isaiah 63:7-9: Boikanyo **Hebrews 2:10-18:** Mary

Psalms 148 Gospel: Matthew 2:13-23

Intercessions: Mthr. Bernadette **Chalice:** Mary

Sidespeople: Mary & Boikanyo

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Esther Christian, John Christian, Rachel Christian, Layo Olaniyan,
Florence Ebseye, Audrey Mameli, Tracy Deirki, Marek Mahoy, Oloade Oluhuga
Kayode Olunuga, Ernie Mitchell, Eleanora Baptiste, Simon Baptiste, Alison
Baptiste, Dawn Smith, Lesley Maynard, Lynda Smith, Ken Lambert,
Sarah Seymour, Tom Cantwell, Maria Roberts, Aderone, Taduxo, Kehinde,
Hames, Angela, Stephen.

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique

December Year's Mind: Fr. John Rowe, William Mc Crossan, Carl Clark,
Nojahan Hamid, Isabel Coates

This morning we celebrate the **1st Sunday of Christmas** and we have already entered into our 40-day celebration of the great Festival of Christmas which will end at the Feast of the **Presentation of Christ/Candlemas**.

Little Lights – takes a well-deserved over the Christmas school holidays. We start back again on Friday 10th January 2019.



For anyone who doesn't already know, Mary McKenzie has moved much nearer her beloved church and us. She is now in **Aspen Court Care Home, 17-21 Dodd St, E14**. Do make time to visit her as I know she would love to see you. We look forward to Mary joining us more frequently on Sundays as she now lives much nearer church.

Refreshing the Prayer list: Every so often our prayer list gets refreshed. What this means is that all the names of people for whom we have been asked to pray come off the list and a new list is created. Could you please let us have the names of people for whom you would like us to pray by completing the form at the back of church by **Sunday 5th January 2020**.

Highlights of our Christmas Services.





A big thank you to all who helped get the church ready for our Christmas celebrations.

All our services - the Christingle Service, the Carol Service, The School Christmas Service & Presentation, Carols by Candlelight, Midnight Mass and our Mass on Christmas Day all went splendidly.

I hope you had a peaceful Christmas and I wish you joy and hope in the year to come. **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

With every blessing
Mthr. Bernadette