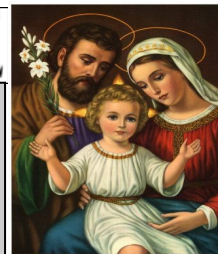




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**Sunday Masses:** Saturday Evening:6pm; Sunday:10am & 5pm. **Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 5.15pm-5.45pm or by request.

**Parish Office Opening:** The office is not always covered so if your call is not answered, please leave a message and we will get back to you asap.

## THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH: YEAR C: 30 DECEMBER 2018

*Happy Birthday to all those celebrating their birthday this week.*

<b>30 Dec, Sunday</b>	6.00pm	<b>Teresa McGowan RIP</b>	(Terence McGowan)
	10.00am	<b>In Thanksgiving and for a Special Intention</b>	(Cordelia Douglas)
	5.00pm	<b>People of the Parish</b>	
<b>31 Dec, Monday</b>	9.30am	<b>Maria Uchuno RIP</b>	(Cordelia Douglas)
	<i>Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity</i>		
	<b>10.15pm</b>	<b>Adoration and Benediction, Praises, Prayers &amp; Bible reflections followed by Mass</b>	
	<b>11.15pm</b>	<b>Norah Sheehan RIP</b>	(Tim & Ellen Cott)
<b>1 Jan, Tuesday</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Rev Bill Keogh's Well Being</b>	(Sr Augustine)
	<i>Feast of Mary, the Holy Mother of God</i>		
	<b>PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF MASS TIME FOR THIS TUESDAY ONLY</b>		
<b>2 Jan, Wednesday</b>	9.30am	<b>Mrs Pat Burke RIP</b>	(Sisters of Mercy, Eltham)
	<i>Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctor of the Church, Memorial</i>		
<b>3 Jan, Thursday</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Divine Mercy prayers</b>	
	9.30am	<b>Frank Cott RIP - anniversary</b>	(Tim & Ellen Cott)
	<i>Feria of Christmas Time or The Most Holy Name of Jesus ??</i>		
<b>4 Jan, Friday</b>	9.30am	<b>Rui De Lima and family</b>	
	<i>Feria of Christmas Time</i>		
<b>7.00pm - 8.00pm</b>	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction</b>		
<b>5 Jan, Saturday</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Adoration &amp; Rosary then Mass</b>	
	9.30am	<b>Frederick and Sylvia Pittard RIP</b>	(Laurence & Celia Hayward)
	<i>Feria of Christmas Time</i>		

## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD: YEAR C: 6 JANUARY 2019

<b>6 Jan, Sunday</b>	6.00pm	<b>Well being of Helen Everest</b>	(Maureen McGlynn)
	10.00am	<b>Sr Francis McPartlin's intentions</b>	(The Greenfield Family)
	5.00pm	<b>People of the Parish</b>	

**Please Remember to Pray for the Sick and the Housebound:** Karon Phillips-Allen, Bob Driscoll, Monica Whitaker, Rachel Camozzi-Jones, Jackie Rennie, Paul Foley, Joe Grandy, Agnes Parker, Alan Fitzsimons, Trixie Durey, Sandra Newman, Margaret Bondarenko, Lucas Lekule, Mary Coughlan, Mike Harris, Catherine Leeper, Joanna Connors, Annette Bain, Angelita (Lili) Mendoza, Gerard Quirke, Emily and Amy Longua, Vera Molloy, Camillo Atampugre, Joseph Many, Doreen Grandon, Anthony O'Doherty, Thelma Harnett, Anna Mellon, Michael Needham, Maria Mottau, Danielle Papie, Rod Feeney, Mary Grace Cruz, Callistus Iwu, Tom & Margot Nimmo, Gwendoline Phillips, Tina Borland, Chris Bakelmun, Sadie Felton, Barbara Hills, Seán Needham, Jinny Needham and all those not listed here.

### Prayer for the sick and housebound

*"Father, we thank you for the gift of your Son in this Eucharist. We now place before you all the sick and housebound of the Parish. As they share in this Eucharist with us, we pray that they may come to know the depth of your love for them, and the joy, peace and healing of your presence. Through Christ our Lord. Amen."*

**Pope Francis's Tweet:** "Looking at Jesus we see the face of the God who is Love, and we learn to recognize Him in the faces of our brothers and sisters."

The **Holy Father's universal prayer intention for December** is: "That the scandal of child soldiers may be eliminated the world over".



## **At a Glance**

- **Choir practice** - 15 minutes before 10am Mass on Sunday.

- **Dates for your diary:**

**Baptism Course: every 1st Sunday of the month at 12 Noon** followed by Baptism on the **last Sunday of each month at 12 Noon** (unless exceptionally agreed with Fr Anton).

**8 January 2019: 7pm: Meeting of the Social Committee**

### ***Parish Finances:***

**Offering: for the upkeep of the Parish: w/e 23/12/18: Total collection: £669.58 including £159 in Standing orders.**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

**Gift Aid:** If you wish to sign up for Gift Aid or donate by Standing Order, please complete a relevant form from the porch.

**Rosary:** please join us for the rosary at **9am every Saturday before the morning Mass.**

The **first Saturday** of each month is devoted to the **Fatima Rosary** which is a special devotion to Our Lady of Fatima.

**Church Flowers:** Please post any requests and/or donations through the box in the porch.

**Tea and coffee is available in the Parish Hall after the 10am Mass every Sunday.** All welcome.

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Check out easyfundraising on the website: [www.sjfkcc.org.uk](http://www.sjfkcc.org.uk). If you shop online, please sign up and support the Parish.

It won't cost you a penny but for every £ you spend at a number of retailers, the Parish will receive a small percentage.

## **Message from Fr Anton:**

**T**hank you for the cards, gifts, Christmas offerings and good wishes I received this Christmas. Thank you also to everyone who helped in anyway to prepare the church and the masses for Christmas and who participated in the masses to make it a blessed time for us all. I am sorry I cannot thank you individually but please be assured that I very much appreciated it all. I would also like to take this opportunity to wish you and your families the very best for 2019 and why not make it a point to start each day with a prayer - it works wonders!

I look forward to getting to know all of you better as together we continue to build our Parish.

**New Year's Eve Vigil and Party:** there will be **Adoration and Benediction at 10.15pm followed by Mass at 11.15pm.** After Mass we will be welcoming the New Year in the Church hall. **Please bring nibbles and drinks to share.**

**E**xtra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - the next Commissioning Day for Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will at the Metropolitan Cathedral Church of St George on **Saturday, 2nd February 2019.**

**We need more parishioners** to undertake this vital Ministry. If you are interested, please provide your details to Fr Anton, Geraldine Bakelmun or email the office.

**A**ll catechists are invited to attend a meeting on **10 January at 7pm in the Presbytery to discuss the First Communion and Confirmation Programmes for 2019. Please do your best to be at this meeting.** If anyone is interested in becoming a catechist, they too are invited to attend.

**N**ew Hymn Books - please note that we have a number of copies of the new hymn books in large print on the top of the shelves.

**RCIA** programme; if you are not a Catholic, have never been confirmed or would like to study more about the Catholic faith, please speak to Fr Anton or

call the Parish Office. The Programme is underway but it is still not too late to join. Application forms are also available in the porch. The next session is **on Wednesday, 14 January at 7pm in the Presbytery.** The theme will be **"Pentateuch"**.

**Blessed Sacrament Adoration:** Each Friday at 7pm there will be an hour of Exposition followed by Benediction. Please come and spend an hour before the Blessed Sacrament.

**Stewardship in the Parish:** Thank you to everyone who has completed a form. We are in the process of evaluating them and will be in contact shortly. It is still not too late to submit your form. Copies are available in the porch.

**M**ass Intentions: Why not offer a mass for yourself, a loved one or a friend or indeed for the repose of the soul of a loved one. **Brown Mass intention envelopes** can be found in the Church porch.

**C**hildren's Liturgy: There will be no children's liturgy until **Sunday, 13 January 2019.**