



## St Mary's Sanderstead *with* St James' & St Edmund's Riddlesdown

4<sup>th</sup> February 2024

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple - Candlemas

**9:45am** Parish Eucharist @ St Mary's  
**11:15am** Parish Eucharist @ St James'  
**6pm** Chrome

Processional Hymn: NEH 263 / STJ NEH 33\*

Readings:

Gradual hymn: NEH 265 / STJ NEH 44

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

Offertory hymn: NEH 397/ SJ NEH 157

Anthem: Ave Verum Corpus, Edward Elgar

Recessional Hymn: NEH 377/ STJ NEH 187

Voluntary



**Today's Psalm: 24** (*We respond with the words in bold print*)

<sup>1</sup> The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it;

<sup>2</sup> **for he founded it on the seas and established it on the waters.**

<sup>3</sup> Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place?

<sup>4</sup> **The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god.**

<sup>5</sup> They will receive blessing from the Lord and vindication from God their Saviour.

<sup>6</sup> **Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face, God of Jacob.**

<sup>7</sup> Lift up your heads, you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>8</sup> **Who is this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.**

<sup>9</sup> Lift up your heads, you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>10</sup> **Who is he, this King of glory? The Lord Almighty— he is the King of glory.**

### **Morning Prayer on Zoom**

If you are not on the church mailing list and would like to receive the daily link for Morning Prayer, then please speak to the Churchwardens.  
The order of service can now be found on the websites.

### **Midweek Eucharist @ St. Edmund's**

3pm Every Tuesday followed by refreshments.

### **Midweek Eucharist @ St Mary's**

10am Every Thursday followed by refreshments.

### **Church Deep Clean**

Will be on the 10th of February from 9am. There will be a sign-up sheet at the back of Church. Refreshments will be provided.

### **Children's Society Box opening**

The annual Children's Society box opening will take place on Saturday 10th February between 10am and 12 noon in All Saints Hall. This is an ideal opportunity to have your box counted while enjoying a cup of coffee and a cake. Even if you do not have a box, please come along to meet your friends and neighbours while having a coffee and cake.

*Richard Wragg*

### **Lent Lunches at St James's**

On the Wednesdays of Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday (14th February), there will be a said Eucharist at St James's at 12.30pm, followed by a Lent Lunch, with donations requested for Christian Aid. All welcome.

### **Seder Meal @ 6pm on Maundy Thursday**

There is a sign-up sheet on the Wardens pew. **£7.50 Adults, £5 children**

### **Christingle Marmalade in aid of The Children's Society**

Please help our three churches raise more money for The Children's Society by purchasing some of the 100 x 1lb jars of marmalade Fr Peter has made from the oranges left after the Christingle Service on Christmas Eve.

Cost: - £5.00 each. Multi Buy prices: - Buy 2 for £9.00, or Buy 5 for £20.00

At Church or from Fr Peter.

### **St Edmund's Toddler Group**

9.30-11.30 Mondays - In the Main Hall at St Edmund's.

**The Bridge** Copies of the latest bridge are available at the back of church.

You can also access it online via the link:

<https://southwark.anglican.org/thebridge>



Are you aged between 8 and 16? 'Chrome' youth club meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month 6pm - 7.30pm.

### **Messy Church**

If you are interested in joining the team, please speak to Fr Grant (*St Mary's*) or Joanne Gerwat (*St James*) Our next service is on 30<sup>th</sup> March @ 11:30am in St Edmund's.

### **APCM Dates:**

**St James' 17<sup>th</sup> March. St Mary's 14<sup>th</sup> April**

Fr Grant will shortly be in touch regarding reports. If you are not currently on the electoral roll and would like to be, please get a form from the wardens, or speak to Fr Grant for more info.

### **Craft and Chatter @ St Mary's**

We were able to send £20.60 to the Salvation Army for their Christmas Appeal and thank all those who supported the sale of the 'nativity figures' from the decorated Christmas tree. (***Next Meeting 12<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:30pm***)

### **We pray for those who are unwell**

*Margaret Farrel, Mark Moulding, Robert Radley, Rose Burtwell, Kim Brown, Alison Brewster, Brian Barton, Margaret Walker, Trish Dilley.*

### **We remember those who have recently died**

*Kathleen Davies, Daphne Stewart, Nicholas Forde, Marguerita de Heer, Edgar de Sa, John O Leary, Colin McGregor, Mike Willey, Barry Woods.*

### **This week**

#### **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

9:30am Toddler Group @ St Edmund's  
8pm Way of the Spirit Bible Study  
(*Details from Kim Brown @ St Mary's*)

#### **Tuesday**

9:30am Morning Prayer on Zoom  
3pm Eucharist @ St Edmund's

#### **Wednesday**

9:30am Morning Prayer on Zoom

#### **Thursday**

10am Eucharist @ St Mary's

#### **Friday**

7:10pm – 9pm Choir Practice

#### **Saturday**

9am Church Clean @ St Mary's

### **Looking ahead**

#### **14<sup>th</sup> February**

#### **Ash Wednesday**

#### **15<sup>th</sup> February**

Lent Course begins @ St Mary's  
*This will run on Thursday mornings  
and Monday evenings - Details to follow*

#### **28<sup>th</sup> March**

6pm Seder Meal @ St Mary's

#### **30<sup>th</sup> March**

Messy Church @ St Edmund's

## **Next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February – Sunday before Lent**

**9:45am Parish Eucharist @ St Mary's**  
**11:15am Parish Eucharist @ St James'**

### **Websites**

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**St Edmund's Church & Halls:** *Contact Parish Administrator.*

**Parish Administrator:** Mr Paul Shipley Mon–Fri 2-5pm. Tel. 020 8657 9232.

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