



# Mary Immaculate & St Peter Catholic Church

PARISH UNDER THE CARE OF THE MISSIONARY CONGREGATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.  
**SPIRITANS** - Parish Clergy: Fr. Jude Ifezime CSSp, Fr. Jean Pascal Diame, CSSp.  
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## First Sunday of Advent

**Mass Times:** Monday - Wednesday at 10am  
 Thursday - 7pm, Friday & Saturday at 10am  
 Saturday Vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 9.30am, 11am and 6pm, Holy Days of Obligation - 7pm  
 Adoration - Fridays at 9.30am  
 Confession - 10.30am Saturdays or by request.  
**Fr. Jude is available every Wednesday after 10am Mass or by arrangement (except Mondays)**  
**Fr. Jean Pascal is available every Thursday from 4.30pm until evening Mass at 7pm.**

**30th November 2025**

### PARISH NOTICES

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** We welcome all new Parishioners to our community!

**LIVING SIMPLY:** In our first week of Advent, we ask you to think about the whole problem of waste of food, especially around Christmas time. Currently the UK wastes 9.5 billion tons of food every year and it happens along the food chain production line. So let us not overbuy, and if possible stick to the 'LOAF' principle, that is buy local, organic, animal friendly, and fairly traded. This is not always possible, but every small effort is worth making.

**ST CATHERINE'S NURSERY JANUARY 2026 INTAKE:** The Nursery is now welcoming applications for children who turn 2 or 3 years old by 31st Dec 2025 for the nursery for a January start. Please contact the school office: 0208440 4946 or email [admissions@stcatherines.barnetmail.net](mailto:admissions@stcatherines.barnetmail.net) for more information or to book for the tour.

**COLD WEATHER PACKS FROM SVP:** The SVP are distributing over 10,000 Vinnie Packs containing cold weather essentials to the homeless and those on the streets. Each pack contains thermal gloves, thermal hat, two pairs of socks, flannel, toothbrush, toothpaste, information sheet and pen. Please could you consider sponsoring packs at a suggested donation of £4.10 per pack? Donations can be sent to **Vinnie Packs, PO Box 72264, London SW1P 9EZ** with cheques made out to SVP or by bank transfer to Nat West sort code **60-60-04, account no. 4608 8237**. Thank you so much for your support.

**BOOK PRESENTATION:** The two volumes of Daily Homilies (Cycle 1 & 2), by Fr Jude Ifezime will be presented at next week's Sunday Masses (December 7th).



SPIRITAN YOUTH MINISTRY  
**ADVENT TALKS FOR YOUNG ADULTS**

hope peace joy love

please join us via zoom calls on Sundays 8:00 to 9:30pm

30 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER EMMET DOOLEY	7 <sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER FR EAMONN MULCAHY	14 <sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER BISHOP JOHN ARNOLD	21 <sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER FR DERMOTT O'GORMON

**ONLINE ADVENT TALK FOR YOUNG PEOPLE:** Please see details above including the QPR Code to join the talk.

**DIVINE MERCY ADVENT REFLECTION:** The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Divine Mercy Advent Reflection on Saturday 20 December 2025 from 1 pm to 4:30 pm at St Walburga Catholic Church, 81 Kirkgate, Shipley, Bradford BD18 3LU The Reflection will include the Holy Rosary, teachings on the Message of Mercy, Stations of the Cross, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All are welcome. Please call Millie on 07957594646 for more information.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS:** Christmas cards, Calendars and various other cards are available to purchase in the Repository card shop in the porch.

**FOODBANK SUPPORT:** Current shortages are Coffee, Toilet Rolls, Tinned Meat and Tinned Fish and Pasta Sauce. To donate money to the Foodbank, please visit <https://chippingbarnet.foodbank.org.uk/>.

LAST SUNDAY - 23rd November - CHURCH COLLECTION - £ 644.64

Second collection £423.71

Thank you for your offerings

**PARISH DATABASE:** The parish database contains current information of Parishioners. It is important that the information held on the database is correct, so please contact the Parish Secretary if your details have changed. New parishioners are asked to collect a census form from the Repository (card shop), once completed please return it to the Parish Office.

**PROTECTING YOUR PRIVACY:** The personal details of yourself and family members will be stored and used by the Parish for internal administrative and organisational purposes of the Parish. They will not be disclosed outside the Parish. Details of how we process your data, and your rights, are on the full Privacy Notice and can be found at: [rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy](http://rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy).

# St Peter's Christmas Jingle and Fundraiser

Live music from the St. Peter's Music Group

Join us for mulled wine and mince pies, and  
sing along to some Christmas classics.

Friday 19th December, 7pm, Parish Hall

Adults £5, Children free.



Please Come to the  
**Christmas Fayre TODAY**  
Sunday 30th November 10.30am – 2pm

Enjoy a:

- Hot meal

- Irish Coffee

- Father Christmas

And various Tombolas



**HAVE FUN!**

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY 29 November - Feria

10.00am - Joan Rodrigues – RIP RD

6.00pm - Seamus Malone - RIP Anniversary

6.00pm - Anna & Danny Culligan RIP

### SUNDAY 30th November - First Sunday of Advent

9.30am - God be with the husband and children of Late Sakiratu Oladokun

11.00am - Tom & Thelma Gallagher –RIP Anniversary

6.00pm - Teresa, Piera, Antonietta, Rosalino & Luciano Omini - RIP

6.00 pm - Gerry O'Donnell - RIP Anniversary

### MONDAY 1st December – Advent Feria

10.00am - Culligan & McArdle Families - RIP

### TUESDAY 2nd December - Advent Feria

10.00am - Benny Preece– RIP RD

### WEDNESDAY 3rd December - Saint Francis Xavier

10.00am - Marion Firth - Special Intentions

10.00 am - Holy Souls

### THURSDAY 4th December - Advent Feria

7.00pm - The Families of Williams and Doyle - For the Holy Souls

### FRIDAY 5th December - Advent Feria

10.00am - Martin Leonard - RIP RD

10.00 AM - Mass for the Sick

### SATURDAY 6th December - Advent Feria

10.00am - Eileen Carroll - Birthday Blessings

6.00pm - Alice Camozzi - RIP Anniversary

### SUNDAY 7th December - 2nd Sunday of Advent

9.30am - Mathias Family - Thanksgiving

11.00am - Agnes Ferrari - RIP

11.00 AM - Marie Ryan - For Restoration to Health

6.00pm - Private Intentions

## Tickets for the Christmas Jingle

Tickets are available after Mass, and at the  
Christmas Fayre (at the bar) or at the Parish Office

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Caterina Fusco, Rose-Ann Phillip, Frances Lobo,  
Christine Screene, Jacqueline Jameer, Danny Lusby,  
Stephen Giffin, Eileen Shea, Julia Riordan,  
Anne Cullen, Darren Hughes, Ray Corry, Sheila Garside,  
Paul Farrell, Bernadette Hardy



### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

Elizabeth Kiely, Jack Joseph Hennessy, Martin Leonard  
Ann Gay, Marie Forker, Anne Tansey and Jacques Cyril Leroy

### ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR IN NOVEMBER:

John Austin Coleman, Jarlath Burke, Millicent Cassettari,  
Mary Josephine Condon,  
Sister Veronica Condon, Lily Curran, Mary Desmond,  
Cathy Donlon, Gerald Dunworth, Sr. Lisetta Ferrari FMA,  
Peggy Filby, Alison Fishenden, Jim Foley,  
Tom & Thelma Gallagher, Don Gallagher, Elizabeth Gavaghan,  
Charlie Hardy, Pat Haren, Catherine Hallahan, Anna Haly,  
Ben Keogh, Patrick Kilcoyne, Eileen King, Annie Leppard,  
Margaret Marchodej, Leslie McGuinness, Maurice McGowen,  
Seamus Malone, George Mills, Angela O'Toole, Chris Pratsis,  
Madge Ribet, Emily Taylor, Ger Jones and Gary Woolfe, Peter Coyle

**May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed  
through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**

THIS SUNDAY	6pm Vigil	9.30am	11am	6pm
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Malcolm Cussell	Katharine Howson	Paul Ruocco	Harrold Williams
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ann Brady	Ann Horn	Sam Ratnasamy	TBA
Ex.ordinary Ministers	John Thornton	Arlette Jennings	Rose Antoinette	TBA
Minister of The Word	Carmen Edwards	Children's Liturgy	Ochuko Otiotio	Charles Igbokwe
NEXT SUNDAY	6pm Vigil	9.30am	11am	6pm
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ann Brady	Belinder Goder	Aoife Hayes	Harrold Williams
Ex.ordinary Ministers	John Thornton	Clare Barre	Ese Akhere	Tony Galvin
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Malcolm Cussell	Seb Barre	Paul Ruocco	Joe McCraith
Minister of The Word	TBA	Peter McMahon	Catherine McNamara	Confirmation Group