



Catholic Church of Saint Peter Dagenham

Fourth Sunday of Advent (C)

22nd December 2024

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Day	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 21st December	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Thanksgiving to God Gloria & Declan McCambridge RIP
<i>Fourth Sunday of Advent (C), 22nd December</i>	9.00 am 11.00 am	Angelina (Thanksgiving) Marek Szymański (RIP / Anniversary)
Monday 23rd December	9.00 am 9.00 am	McKenna & Lillis Families & Matthew O'Halloran RIP Breda Kearns RIP
<i>Vigil of the Nativity of the Lord Tuesday 24th December</i> <i>The Nativity of the Lord Wednesday 25th December</i>	9.00 am 9.00 am 9.30 am 6.00 pm 11.30 pm 12 midnight 9.00 am 11.00 am	Harry Geary & Family (Special Intention) Meg Bennett (Special Intention) Devotion to Our Lady of La Salette Vigil Mass with the Nativity Play Carol Singing Midnight Mass (People of the Parish) Mass during the Day (Mr & Mrs David Geary & Family) Mass during the Day (Christmas Bouquet Mass)
Thursday 26th December <i>St Stephen, the First Martyr</i>	9.00 am 9.00 am	Mr & Mrs Geary & Family Biddy Lawlor
Friday 27th December <i>St John, Apostle</i>	9.00 am 9.00 am	Prasad Baby RIP Susan Geary & Tommy (Special Intention)
Saturday 28th December <i>The Holy Innocents, Mm</i>	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Helen Charles (RIP / Anniversary) Patrick Ligane (Remembrance / RIP)
<i>The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph (C), 29th December</i>	9.00 am 11.00 am	Family Intentions & Thanksgiving / People of the Parish Skye Tolentino (RIP / Anniversary)

Masses: Monday – Saturday 9.00am; Saturday 6.00pm; Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday – Friday 8:30am; Wednesday: after the Morning Mass until 10am

Confessions: Saturday 8.30 – 9.00am, 5.30pm – 6.00pm or by appointment

Parish office hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 10.00 – 11.00am & 5.30 – 6.30pm

Parish of Saint Peter served by: Fr Marek Pabis MS (Parish Priest); Fr Adam Cyran MS (Assistant Priest)

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St Peter's Parish News



CHRISTMAS 2024 AT ST PETER'S CHURCH:

CHRISTMAS EVE & CHRISTMAS DAY

(Tuesday/Wednesday, 24th / 25th December)

6.00 pm – Vigil Mass

11.30 pm – Carol Singing

12 midnight – Midnight Mass

Masses during the Day at **9.00 am** & **11.00 am**

ST STEPHEN'S DAY

(Thursday, 26th December)

9.00 am – Mass

WE REMEMBER in our prayers those who are sick and housebound: Elizabeth O'Callaghan, Muireann Carbery, Bernadette Asser, Gary Bennett, Steve Sutherland, Eileen Ronan, Sheila Betson, Baby Liam Ezema, Martha Buckley, Liz O'Callaghan, Ann Sullivan, Charlie Hannell, Adora Garcia, Dee Duster, Valerie Brown, Baby Edward, Frances Duggan, Christopher Bone, Michael Moffat, Henry Moffat, J. Radford, L. Stuchfield, Sean Murphy, Marie Merrett, Myra Jarrett, Terry Hooker, Martina Murray, Deborah Woldron, Baby Valentina Vizcaino, Ann O'Sullivan, Eliza Brinkus, Phil McManus, Emerald Lawrance, Biddy Lawlor, Lee Suzanne Ives, Irene Quirke, Anne O'Sullivan, Eileen Ronan (nee Healy), Christina Carter, Bridget Nsofor, Jayne Gilbert.

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WE PRAY FOR those whose anniversary occur around this time: Marek Szymański, Helen Charles, Skye Tolentino.

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CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATION this Sunday (22nd December) after 11am Mass. Each pair of hands welcomed.

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THE NATIVITY PLAY REHEARSAL for children this Sunday after the Mass at 11am.

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CHRISTMAS BOUQUET MASS will be said on Christmas Day (25th December) at 11am. If you would like to have your loved ones included in this particular Mass see one of the Priest, please.

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ST STEPHEN'S DAY & SECOND DAY OF CHRISTMAS: During the Mass at 9am some of our altar servers will be presented with St Stephen's medals and join the Guild.

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HOLY FAMILY SUNDAY (29TH DECEMBER): Each Mass will be finished with a special Blessing for the Families.

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASS OF THANKSGIVING on New Year's Eve starting at 11pm with singing and Mass at 11.30pm. All welcome to thank for the graces received in 2024 and ask for God's blessing and protection on 2025.

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COFFEE MORNING after 11am Mass in the Liturgy Room. Everyone welcome.

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CHILDREN'S LITURGY SUNDAY 10.45am in the meeting room. If your child had not previously registered, you will need to fill in a registry form before they can join the group. This is in line with the Safeguarding Regulations. Please see the Catechists on the day for a form.

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MASS INTENTIONS: There are hardly any Mass Intentions booked for the nearest future. If you would like to book a Mass Intention for the living or the dead or any other occasion or reason, please see the priest or collect the Mass Booking Envelope from the back of the church.

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NEW SOUND SYSTEM FOR CHURCH: It is planned to change our outdated *sound system* in the church. *Building Fund Collection* taken on Sunday after the Masses goes towards this Parish project. Thank you for your understanding and generosity.

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PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS: While contacting the Parish Office use: dagenhamstp@brcdt.org as the only email address used by the Parish, please.

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RED BOXES (MISSIO): Please return your Red Boxes to the Parish Office or the Red Boxes Coordinator for yearly collection submission. There has been £301 already collected. Thank you for your cooperation and generosity.

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LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: Thank you very much for your last Sunday's collection of £1091.70 (envelopes £450.80; loose £490.90; contactless £150) & Building Fund 163.30.

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CHRISTMAS COLLECTION: We would like to remind you that collection taken during Christmas Masses is your personal gift of appreciation to the priest working in St Peter's Parish. Thank you for your generosity.

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SECOND COLLECTION this and next weekend is for *Building Fund (Sound System)*.

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LET GOD SPEAK TO YOU: When coming to church refrain from unnecessary talks, keep silent and let God speak to you instead. Use the time before the Mass to prepare yourself for the encounter with the Loving God in the Liturgy and respect others who may wish to do so. Also make sure your mobile phone is either switched off or on silent mode, please.

Payments or Standing Orders to Our Parish account:

St Peter's R.C. Parish, Sort Code 40-13-22, Acc. No. 61280856. (Gift Aid Declaration and Standing order Mandate forms can be collected from our Parish Office or downloaded from our Parish Website).