



# St Mary's Newsletter

## 22<sup>nd</sup> January: Epiphany 3

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On the appointment of the new Bishop of Kingston, Martin Gainsborough, on 2<sup>nd</sup> February, we offer this prayer:

*Loving living God we thank you for the appointment of your servant, Martin Gainsborough, as bishop designate of Kingston. May your Holy Spirit give him your gifts of wisdom and strength, gentleness and compassion, as he prepares to take up his role as our pastor and teacher. As Bishop designate Martin gets ready to make his home among us, may we welcome him joyfully into our Diocesan community, and together bear witness to Christ and the building up of your kingdom. We ask this through your Son Jesus Christ, Amen*

### Sunday

10am Parish Eucharist with Children and Young people Mid Service Groups

6pm Caritas

**Weekday Morning Prayer at St Mary's** 9am Tuesdays – Fridays

**Tuesdays** 10am St Mary's Toddler Group. *Termtime only.*

**Wednesdays** 12.30pm Parish Eucharist.

**Thursdays** 10am Toddler Eucharist, All Saints.' *Termtime only*

### St Mary's Bingo Social 4<sup>th</sup> Feb!

Please read ① for more information including ticketing!

### ABC Course for young people in Y3+ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please read ② for more info about how you can help.

### CRUTCHES FOR UKRAINE

Please read ③ for more info about items needed.

### Greener Church!

Please read the message at ④.

① **St Mary's Bingo Evening Sat 04/02, 6.30pm!** Welcome to a super, old-fashioned evening of fun, raising funds for Parish Action charities! **Tickets £10 adults/£5 kids.** Download this QR code to buy tickets and then email [Julie.Craig@parishofputney.co.uk](mailto:Julie.Craig@parishofputney.co.uk) confirming the number and types of tickets bought (eg adult/ kids)



② **The Parish's Admission of the Baptised to Communion Course started on 8<sup>th</sup> January.** The course runs through January for children in Year 3 and above with the children being admitted to communion at their respective churches on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February. **Please pray for the children and their families as they journey towards being admitted.**

**Volunteers needed!** Please contact Nikki ([nikki.cornfield@parishofputney.co.uk](mailto:nikki.cornfield@parishofputney.co.uk)) if you can help. We will have a small party with cake after the admission services on Sunday **5<sup>th</sup> February at both churches.** We are looking for people to **bake cake** to help us celebrate.

③ **CRUTCHES WANTED FOR UKRAINE!** In many instances UK hospitals and clinics do not accept returned crutches so many people keep them because it seems wasteful to throw them away but there is no obvious destination for them. Rosie Taylor-Davies has received a request from a hospital and rehabilitation centre in Lviv to see if we can supply **any style** crutches at all as their stocks have virtually run out. Please bring any spare crutches to **St Mary's or Oasis Academy Putney, 184 Lower Richmond Road, SW15 1LY by 3<sup>rd</sup> February.**

④ We have found a **company** that **recycles all types of candles** (including tea lights, candles in jars, scented...the lot!). If you would like to bring in your used candles to be recycled, please drop at the **office/ vestry clearly marked** and we can include them with church candles when the company makes their regular collection.

⑤ **Cafe Theology** is a Christian theology discussion group meeting on Monday evenings in Putney Pantry, St Mary's Church. All welcome. Contact [jennyclive@gmail.com](mailto:jennyclive@gmail.com) or 07772 512907. **On 23<sup>rd</sup> January 8pm: Was Jesus a Socialist?**

⑥ **Fulham & Hammersmith Choral Society** will be holding a **Come & Sing** event on **4<sup>th</sup> February.** Download this QR code for more info.



## **People to remember in our prayers**

Sebby and his parents, Tory Millar, Martin Murphy, Rosemary Lester, Gabrielle Adjei, Graham Hallett, Brian Bull, Sam Smith, Sheena Stacey, Carey, Artemis Davenport, Ian and Margaret Yearsley, Gwen Miles.

## **Those preparing for Admission to Holy Communion and their families:**

**St Mary's:** Alexander, Alice, Anae, Ben, Ciaran, David, Emily D, Emily M, Micky, Olive, Oliver, Toby, William **and all the children from All Saints'**

## **Banns of Marriage (Third Time of Reading)**

Ben Lockwood and Georgina Morley, Tamara Savile and Edward Fry, Robert Reeds and Elizabeth Vincent.

## **Baptism**

Atticus Mrozek-Dixon.

## **Anniversaries of death**

Peter Corneille, Karin Grey, Peter Rowe, Sheila Floyd, Paul Grocott, Alex Smith, Janet Brearley, Peter Harrison, David Daniell, Helen Moon, Frances Stevenson, Sue Barnes.

## **RIP**

Helen Iremiren, Viatcheslav Orlovskiy.

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