

Third Sunday of Advent: Gaudete Sunday

Sunday 17th December 2017

WELCOME TO CHURCH

The service begins with the 'Great O' Antiphon, O Wisdom.



Hymns: 11, 55, 6, 9

All Hymns are in the New English Hymnal

Tea and coffee are served after Mass
Please take this sheet home with you



THE PARISH OF HOLY INNOCENTS HORNSEY

with

Holy Trinity Stroud Green
and St Paul's Harringay

ADVENT COURSE

Today we will be looking at reviewing the day with God, with Fr Ben, in the annexe after mass. The session will last for half an hour. The Pilgrim Course will continue on Wednesday.

CHURCH DECORATING: We will be decorating the church after mass. Do stay and help if you can

NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS

Come and join us tonight at 6 and bring your friends. Singers, please come at 3.30. All welcome! We would welcome donations of mince pies.

We will be celebrating our Crib Service (with a real donkey, and possibly sheep!) at 4.00pm on **Christmas Eve**, **Midnight Mass** at 11.30pm and **Christmas Day** at 10.00am.

WINE TASTING EVENING

Thanks to Marcel and all involved for a brilliant evening!

CHRISTMAS CARD DISTRIBUTION

If you can deliver some cards, please pick them up from the back of church.

CHRISTMAS DRINK

All are welcome for a Christmas Drink at the vicarage from 7.30pm on Friday 22nd December.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

Christmas cards will be on sale at the back of church. £2.80 for 5 cards. Please speak to Brenda to purchase any cards. There are also cards and calendars available from Tilly's stall.

PATRONAL FESTIVAL: Holy Innocents Day

If you would like to join us for dinner on **Thursday 28th December**, please can you put your name on the sign-up sheet.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Yvonne Spence, Jeri Badejo, Maloma McKone, Wilburn Jackson, Valerie Peart, Joy Elliott, Icilda Cope, Veronica Jackson, Lorraine and Jennifer Gayle, Wilna Aglay, Elizabeth Baugh, Sally Quashie, Lynette Todd, Sydney Shave, Joyce and the Arhin family, Clarice, Davis and Derek Bernard, Mr John & Elijah.

THE WEEK AHEAD

All services are at Holy Innocents unless stated

Monday 18th December: *O Adonai*

9.30am Mass
5.15pm Evening Prayer

Tuesday 19th December: *O Radix Jesse*

10.00am Mass *St Paul's*
7.30pm Mass *Holy Trinity*

Wednesday 20th December: *O Clavis David*

9.30am Mass
10.15am Pilgrim Course

Thursday 21st December: *O Oriens*

9.30am Morning Prayer
6.00pm Evening Prayer
6.30pm Mass

Friday 22nd December: *O Rex Gentium*

7.30pm Wine Tasting Evening

Saturday 23rd December: *O Emmanuel*

12.00pm Mass

Sunday 24th December: Advent 4/Christmas Eve

9.15am Morning Prayer
10.00am Parish Mass
4.00pm Crib Service
11.30pm Midnight Mass

Monday 25th December: Christmas Day

10.00pm Parish Mass

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