

PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY - THANET

The God who Speaks - Parish Bible Study

Our Bible study evening continued this week and it was once again an enjoyable and informative gathering of parishioners of all different ages. Please come along even if you missed these early sessions as all are welcome any week; it remains your space. We will continue to meet every Thursday in the parish hall at 7:15pm.

Carols around the Christmas Tree - Saturday, 14th December

Following the success of last year's event, we will be welcoming you once again to join us for an informal afternoon singing carols in the parish hall at 3pm. To go along with our festive singsong we will be serving mince pies, cakes and hot drinks. Please invite family and friends.

Christmas Family Fest - Thank You!

Our Christmas Fest was enjoyable and raised £1,261.98. It could not have been achieved without the hard work and commitment of some of our Parishioners. The Parish and I as the Parish Priest would like to express our gratitude and appreciation for all their hard work . Thank you for supporting this event and making it a success.

Father Joe.

Flyers for Family and Friends

Please find flyers for both the upcoming Carols around the Christmas Tree and for our Christmas Mass times at the back of the church. We encourage you to pass these along to your friends and families and to anyone you feel may wish to attend.

Holy Family Christmas Events & Mass Times 2025 Saturday 14th December

3pm - Carols Around the Christmas Tree (in Parish Hall)

Christmas Eve - Wednesday 24th December

4pm - Mass with Christingle with young children Midnight - Mass (with Carols from 11.30pm)

Christmas Day - Thursday 25th December

8.30am - Mass 10.30am - Mass

Collections Last Weekend

Collection Plate: £332.09 of which £217.09 was

Gift Aided

Digital Collection Plate: £45.00 of which £30.00

was Gift Aided

Standing Orders: £140.00 of which £100.00 was

Gift Aided

Maintenance Collection: £161.20

Confession

(Sacrament of Reconciliation)

Sundays 8.00 am - 8.25 am &

9.30 am - 10.10 am

Please speak to the priest in person or email/phone the office to make an arrangement outside of these times.

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SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Vigil 6pm

Sister Hannah Buckley (DJ), RIP

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Mass 8.30am

Holy Souls

Mass 10.30am

Margaret Coverdale, RIP

Tuesday 9th December

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Mass 6pm

Holy Souls

Wednesday 10th December

Feria

Mass 10am

Friends and Family of the Gibbons Family Intentions

Thursday 11th December

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Mass 8am

People of the Parish

Friday 12th December

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Mass 10am

Holy Souls

Saturday 13th December
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Vigil 6pm

Holy Souls

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Sunday 14th December

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Mass 8.30am

Bernard John Clements, RIP

Mass 10.30am

Richard Dickinson - Wellbeing