



# St. Botolph's, Northfleet & St. Mark's, Rosherville



## Second Sunday of Advent 7<sup>th</sup> December 2025

**TODAY - 7<sup>th</sup> December Christingle Eucharist: St Botolph's 9.30am,  
St Mark's 11.15am**

**Please return the Children's Society collection tubes at these services**

### Our Parish Bible verse...

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world." John 16v33

Some of the extra services and events in **DECEMBER** –full details on 'What's On' leaflet

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 'Advent Angel Afternoon'** 2.30-4pm, St Botolph's Church

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> December** 7pm at St Botolph's Carols with the Church Choir, David Scott and the Salvation Army

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December** Eucharist with Readings and Carols 9.30am at St Botolph's, 11.15am at St Mark's

**Christmas Eve** 2pm Crib, Carols and Cake at St Mark's

**Christmas Eve** 4pm 'Christmas Starts Here' at St Botolph's

**Christmas Eve** 11.30pm Midnight Mass at St Botolph's (no service at St Mark's)

**Christmas Day** – Said Eucharist at St Botolph's 9.30am and St Mark's 11am

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> January** Epiphany Eucharist at St Botolph's 9.30am and St Mark's 11.15am

*The Wednesday Eucharist - 10.30am at St Mark's. \*NOT on 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> December\**

*The Thursday Eucharist -10.30am at St Botolph's \*NOT on 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> December, 1<sup>st</sup> January\**

**Please place your Christmas Offering for St Botolph's in the baubles and hang on the Chancel tree.**

**ST BOTOLPH'S CHRISTMAS RAFFLE £2 per ticket for the Elliott Holmes Memorial Fund –**

**On sale 7<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> December (draw). See poster for details of this charity**

**Hive Hope Foodbank at St Botolph's, Wednesdays 11am-1pm including 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> December**

**THE TUESDAY CHRISTMAS LUNCH 9<sup>th</sup> December 12.30 only for those who have booked.**

**The Tuesday Christmas Tea 16<sup>th</sup> December 2-3.30 no need to book-details from Marion**

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 5-7pm the Mayor of Gravesend invites everyone to 'Carols Around the Christmas Tree' in the Kent Room at the Woodville Halls, with Rosherville School Choir.**

**Free entry, donations to the Mayor's Charities.**

**SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER Advent Angel Afternoon 2.30-4pm in St Botolph's Church**

**Arts, Crafts, Carols, angel items to buy! Everything Angel!**

**Bring all the family – no unaccompanied children please**

**Alone on Christmas Day and in need of a meal? Contact Marion for details of how to apply.**

**Wreath-making Workshop from 11am, Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December in The Secret Garden**

*Baptisms at St Botolph's take place on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 12noon.*

*Please read the details on our website before contacting Revd Gordon MacBean*

**There is a Prayer Tree in the Lady Chapel at St Botolph's where you can use the labels to write names of people, places or situations which need our prayers**



**Please pray for:** Jean Allen, Friend J, Stephen F, D&JH, a beloved daughter, Dave Young, Mum V, Paul B, Mick & Val, Harriet, Bethany & Orla, Teresa Lee, J, Alan S, Barbara O, V's Grandma,, JRJ, Dawood & family, Kevin C, Leila & Reza, Ghazal, Pariya and their families, Andrew H, Jon G, P&E, 'C', Danny, Angus & family, MN, Lizzie, Ronwyn, Debi's husband, Michael Donovan, Mum S, I & J, Carole Smith, Mum P, 'sister L', Toni, Steve F, Brenda Lawrence, Gail's Dad, Nicholas, 'J', Ellen, JR, Kay, 'A', Florence, Martin Wheeler, Kevin B, Sharon, Sue

*Contact Gordon/Marion to add names*

**Those who have died:** + Margaret Snitter + Marie Marshall + Violet Thompson +

**At the Anniversary of their death:** + Iris Campbell + Joe Dunn + Rosemary Banks + George Burchfield + Elaine Aram +



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**Priest-in-Charge Revd Gordon MacBean**

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**Revd Gordon Mac Bean takes Mondays as a day of rest**

**For St Botolph's Churchwardens:** Pauline – 07732 653358 // Wendy – 07948 095109

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**St Botolph's Hall bookings** – 07732 653358 only

**St Mark's Hall bookings:** – 07890 157054 only

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**Anne Dennis is the Parish Safeguarding Officer for St. Botolph's and St. Mark's. For Safeguarding concerns contact Revd Gordon MacBean, Marion Fielder-White or Seye Adetunmbi**