

# St. Botolph's, Northfleet & St. Mark's, Rosherville First Sunday of Christmas 29<sup>th</sup> December 2024

## Our Parish Bible verse...

1 John 3 v1 'See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!'

**\*\*\*\*\*This pew sheet is for you to take home, more copies are available at the church door for neighbours, family or friends\*\*\*\*\***

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> December – Benefice Eucharist at 9.30am at St Botolph's  
No service at St Mark's today**

**PLEASE NOTE - The Hive Hope Food Bank at St Botolph's Church is NOT open on New Year's Day; next open on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 11am-1pm**

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2025 Epiphany Sunday  
9.30am First Sunday Eucharist at St Botolph's  
11.15am Eucharist at St Mark's**

*There is no 10.30am Wednesday Eucharist at St Mark's until 8<sup>th</sup> January*

*The Tuesday Bible Study Group at St Botolph's Vicarage is taking a break until January 2025*

***Our thanks to Matthew, Steve and Ross at Horlocks Funerals who donated chocolate selection boxes to Rosherville School at the end of term***

***Not long left to see Horlocks windows, decorated for Christmas by the pupils at Rosherville School***

***Children's Society Christingle – raised £282.77 at St Botolph's and £74.46 at St Mark's (total £357.23)  
£260 raised for 'Slide Away', Children's Bereavement Charity, from the St Botolph's Christmas Lunch Raffle and the Advent Angel Afternoon at St Botolph's – THANK YOU to everyone***

*Look at our website and facebook pages for updates and photos of all our Christmas activities*

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 note safety instructions for lighting votive candles at St Botolph's Church \*\*\***

*in our thoughts  
and prayers*



**Please pray for:** Stephen & Peter U, Stephen & Mark, Jon Graves, Barbara O, Marilyn, Angela and 'JR&J,' Linda, Eileen, Mary & Mick, S&S, Natalie, Mick & Val Lamb, Amy Chitty, Rob, Jean Allen, Leila & Reza and Pariya, Mum Val, Joan Plumb, JK, Mum MN, Derek Ellis, Bella, Jane, Harriet, Orlaith, 'my Mum A', A&D, Diane, Bella, Kevin Coveney, Becky, 'L', Steve W, Sophie, Bev, John's Dad, T&D and their son, Mushi, Judith, Friend J, M&N, Pam B, Laura, a 'beloved daughter', David Showers, Alison, Elaine C, Samantha & Cathy. AS,

**Those who have died:** + Fred Aldridge +

**At the Anniversary of their death:** + Philip John Roots + Joyce Kittredge + Cyril Bagshaw + Alfred Hickmott+ Amy Relf + Colin Spellar +

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**DAY OF REST: Thursday**

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