St. Botolph's, Northfleet & St. Mark's, Rosherville The Second Sunday of Epiphany 19th January 2025

Services today - St Botolph's 9.30am, St Mark's 11.15am

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

At the beginning of this New Year forms and information sheets are available from both churches of how to set up standing orders for giving monthly donations and, where applicable, register for Gift Aid

The Hive Hope Food Bank at St Botolph's Church every Wednesday 11am-1pm

The Well-Being Group every Monday at 10am in St Botolph's Hall. Cost £7 per session The monthly meeting of the South East Lego Club 5.30-7pm at St Botolph's Hall on 31st January See posters and website for details.

> The Tuesday Tea — January 21st 2-3.15pm Selection of cakes and bottomless tea and coffee! £2.50 per person, no need to book, details from Marion



The Wednesday Eucharist at St Mark's 10.30am followed by Bible Study The Tuesday Evening Bible Study Group, 7.30pm at St Botolph's Vicarage

The 'Just Missing Out' scheme, for Kent pensioners, is open to "Pension-aged residents on lower incomes who are not eligible for Pension Credit or the government's Winter Fuel Payment"

email: <u>kcc-hsffoodandenergysupport@kent.gov.uk</u> call: <u>03000 412424</u> (Monday to Friday, 10am - 3pm)

The High Altar oil-filled candles at St Botolph's Church are unusable and we would like to replace them. Please speak to Gordon or Marion if you would like to sponsor towards the purchase of some new ones, at a cost of £56 each.

Dates for your new 2025 diary!

Sunday 2nd February – Candlemas Sunday 9th February Eucharist with Baptism Sunday 16th February 4pm Confirmation Service at St Botolph's with the Bishop of Rochester **this is in addition to the usual Sunday morning services**

ASH WEDNESDAY 5th March

LENT QUIET DAY at St Botolph's Saturday 8th March 10am-2.30pm, details to follow

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 The box for donations is on the candle stand ***

Please pray for: Stephen, Bella, Friend J, Judith, David, Teresa & Dave, Paul, D&JH, a beloved daughter, Pat, Mick & Val. Andy, sister S. Prayers of thanks for the recovery of Kevin Coveney following surgery.

/ Contact Gordon or Marion to add names to this list

Those who have died: + Fred Aldridge + Marie McKay +

At the Anniversary of their death: + Karen Gale + Elsie Usherwood +

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Priest-in-Charge Revd Gordon MacBean

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DAY OF REST: Thursday

For St Botolph's Churchwardens: Pauline – 07732 653358 // Wendy – 07948 095109 Lay Minister: Marion Fielder-White 01474 823381 fwmarionfw@gmail.com For St Mark's Hall bookings: Sarah – 07890 157054

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Look at our website and Facebook pages for updates and photos

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