

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST PANCRAS, IPSWICH

Deum diligere et quæ sunt Dei

'To love God and the things of God'

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January is dedicated to
the Holy Name of Jesus

Sunday 7th January 2024

Transferred feast of the Epiphany

09:30 — Pro Populo

11:00 — Colleen Abbott

Monday 8th January

Baptism of the Lord

10am — Ida James RIP

Tuesday 9th January

Feria (Mass of 1st Sunday after Epiphany)

8am (TLM) — Margaret Kindred RIP

Wednesday 10th January

Feria

6pm — James Ball RIP

Thursday 11th January

Feria

12:15pm — Holy Souls

Friday 12th January

St Aelred of Rievaulx

10am — Holy Souls

Saturday 13th January

St Hilary

10am — Holy Souls

Vigil of Second Sunday of the Year

6pm — Holy Souls

CONFESSIONS:

Mon — Sat: 30 minutes before each Mass

& Sat: 5pm — 5:45pm

1st Friday: 6pm — 7pm

ADORATION: Sat: 5pm — 5:45pm

ROSARY: Mon — Fri: after Mass

DEVOTIONS TO O.L. OF IPSWICH &

S. PANCRAS: Sat after 10am Mass

TLM Masses: 2nd Sunday of the month at 8am. (Next 2nd Sunday Mass: 14th Jan.)

Traditional Latin Masses (TLM) are said according to the Missal used before the Second Vatican Council.

A very happy and blessed

Feast of the Epiphany

This year, once again, the Bishops of England & Wales have transferred the feast of the Epiphany (which traditionally falls on 6th January) to the nearest Sunday.

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Blessed Epiphany Chalk Even though we have not been able to hold our Epiphany procession this year there is still some blessed Epiphany Chalk. Please take one piece per household and inscribe the lintel of your front door with the traditional Epiphany blessing. The numbers denote the year, of course, and the letters stand for the names of the Three Wise Men, Caspar, Melchior, and Balthasar. The letters also stand for *Christus Mansionem Benedicat* which means May Christ Bless this House.

Parish Magazine January 2024 Copies of the latest edition of our parish magazine are now available at the back of church free. Please take a copy and enjoy reading it at your leisure. A big thank you to Tilly our editor.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

St Pancras Mothers' Group—Monday, 15th January at 11am

Tavern Evening—Saturday, 27th January at 7pm

Septuagesima Sunday—28th January

Candlemas—Friday, 2nd February: Mass at 8am, 12:15pm & 7pm

Parish Pancake Party—Tuesday, 13th February: 6pm

Ash Wednesday—14th February: Day of Fasting & Abstinence with Masses at 8am, 12:15pm & 7pm

Lenten Station Mass with the Bishop (Adoration 6pm; Mass 7pm) at St Mary's, Woodbridge Rd—Thursday, 29th February

Palm Sunday—24th March

Maundy Thursday—28th March: Mass at 8pm

Good Friday—29th March: Liturgy of the Passion at 3pm

Easter Sunday—31st March

Please plan your work and holiday schedules now to make sure that you can get to all of the important Masses, especially on Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, the Liturgy of the Passion on Good Friday, and Mass on Easter Sunday.

Another big Thank-you! Once again I should like to say thank you for so many generous good wishes and gifts over Christmas, and add my thanks, also, for so many good wishes, cakes, gifts, and cards on my birthday which fell earlier in the week. A renewed thanks as well to those who have continued to keep me supplied with foodstuffs and medicines, and to those who have helped in the parish whilst I have been unwell, especially with regard to opening up and locking the church morning and evening. Thank you, and may God bless you all.

Catholic Young Adults (18-35 year olds) will meet this Friday, 12th January, for a social gathering. For details, please call Maddie on 07766 650553 or call Marian on 07809 493271.

Please consider making a **STANDING ORDER** instead of a weekly cash contribution to the parish. Thank you.

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