

The News Sheet

Sunday 23rd December 2018
4th Sunday of Advent (C) Psalter Week 4

The Parish of the Holy Trinity,
Stroud Green



with
Holy Innocents, Hornsey

WELCOME TO CHURCH - 2018 - A Year of Invitation

Today's hymns are: 375, 522, 686 and 373. Please stay for refreshments and decorating after Mass.

A very Happy and Peaceful Christmas to everyone

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Christmas Eve 24th December at 4.00 pm

Christmas Eve 24th December at 8.00 pm

Christmas Day 25th December at 10.00 am

Friday 28th December at 12 noon

Sunday 30th December at 11.30 am

Children's Crib Service

Candlelit First Mass of
Christmas

Family Mass with Carols

Sung Mass for the Feast of the
Holy Innocents at Holy Innocents

Sung Sunday Mass at Holy Trinity



After Mass today

In his poem 'Christmas', John Betjeman writes *'The holly in the windy hedge and round the manor house the yew will soon be stripped to deck the ledge, the altar, font, and arch and pew, so that the villages can say "The church looks nice" on Christmas Day.'* Here at Holy Trinity we may not have many windy hedges or arches, but **we do need people to help clean and decorate today after Mass.** The transformation of the church doesn't happen by accident. Our small but dedicated band of cleaners has already been hard at work, and very much need others to help, so that the church does indeed look nice on Christmas Day.

Advent Prayer Tree

An 'Advent tree' has been placed at the back of church with small labels are available for people to write the names of the people or the things they will be praying for at this time (anonymously if liked). These can be hung on the tree.

Christmas Day Meal

Union Church in Weston Park are again hosting their Christmas Lunch from 12.30 pm on Christmas Day. Please phone 020 8341 3918 directly or see Fr. Patrick if you would like to know more. Transport to and from the venue can be arranged.

Morning and Evening Prayer

There are no public 'offices' of Morning or Evening Prayer over the Christmas period. These will resume on Monday 7th January.

The Groves Room Redecoration

The Groves Room is being prepared for redecoration by the nursery over the Christmas period, and it is unlikely to be available for use after Mass next Sunday.

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