



St James the Great Peckham Rye
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11th December to 17th December 2023

FR JACK

"O come, O come Emmanuel," this hymn is a great Christian prayer. It is a call on God to come and save, rescue me. In the fifth century there was a heresy which was condemned by the council of Ephesus. This was the heresy known as Pelagianism which says I can save myself and don't need Christ. Sadly there are people today who still think they can save themselves. To the point whereby I say, "some people do not need Christ or his saving work." They believe they are getting to heaven by their own efforts. The AA (alcoholic anonymous) talk about the need of a greater power outside themselves. They have got it right. For us it is Christ.

Wednesday 13th December 7pm
School/Parish Carol Service. Followed by mince pies and mulled wine.
Please mince pies ASAP.

Family Fun Day
17th December after 12:00 noon Mass
Family Ticket £1.00
Limited spaces available

HAMPERS

40 Christmas hampers are now available. Don't be greedy if you are not really in need. Compliments of STAC
Thanks

SVP

Apart from your waist line the coffers of the SVP have also increased since last week, They made £275 on the cake sale. Thank you for your efforts..

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	10:00am	Peace
Tuesday	10:00am	Int of Reginald Marlow
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
Thursday	10:00am	Holy Souls
Friday	10:00am	Int of Reginald Palat
3rd Sunday of Advent		
Saturday	06:00pm	James Walsh RIP
Sunday	08:30am	People of the Parish
	10:00am	Dorothy Burgess FM
	12:00noon	Mary Taylor RIP

8:30am Mass Next Sunday

Bacon butties will be available after this Mass only. All welcome. Please let us have your order. We are doing this not because you are hungry but we want you to talk to each other. Please give it time.

CHRISTMAS DAY

If you are on your own and would like to share the Christmas dinner please **let me know ASAP**

BELLENDEN ENTRANCE

When the tarmacking is being done the entrance will be closed. Please enter from the Bellenden Rd Side.

HALL ROOF

Sadly after patching up for many years the roof has seen better days. Just the section over the kitchens and toilets. So we are having the roof replaced for £23K ouch. Thanks, however to hall income last year was £28k so not too bad We also need to have the section of the car park by the garages tarmacked. Cost £27k . All the concrete will have to be dug up and carted away.