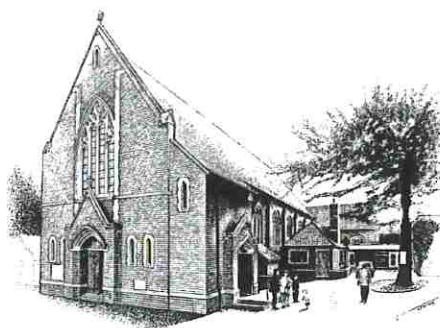


# St John the Baptist Catholic Church

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Purley

**SUNDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2020**

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**PSALTER: WEEK 1**

<b>Parish Priest</b>	Canon John Weatherill	johnweatherill@rcaos.org.uk
<b>Assistant Priest</b>	Fr Francis Murphy	francismurphy@rcaos.org.uk
	Canon Frank O'Sullivan	(retired)

<b>Parish Secretary</b>	Rebecca Roberts	purley@rcaos.org.uk	<b>PARISH OFFICE CLOSED during lockdown</b>
<b>Hall Bookings</b>	Barbara Baster	hallbookings@johnthebaptistpurley.org.uk	
<b>Gift Aid Co-ordinator</b>	Phil Strugnell	purleygac@rcaos.org.uk	

## Sacraments & Devotions:

See below & parish website for details.

## Regular Events and Activities:

Currently suspended.



**Please pray for those who have recently died including:** Philomena Cassin, Michael Stephen Hill, Philomena Bourke, and Tony Ockenden;  
**also for those whose anniversaries are at time:** Bridget MacMahon, Pauline Royle, Ann Roberts, Kathleen Ridgers, Patricia Webber, Marjorie McCallum, Ruth Horat, Bridget Prebble, Stuart Johncock, Kathleen Heath, Michael Long, Trevor Thompson, Mana Soas, Winifred Jones; **and for all deceased Catenian brothers of Purley and other Circles.**  
**and for those unwell:** David Coates, Toni Kowal, Theodora-Angelica Acha, Joanne Walker, Celine McGill, Anne Brownsell, Patrick Sullivan, Jane Pollon, Alan Griffiths, Eileen Delaney, Douglas Johnston, Paddy Doherty, Alan Watson, Derek Harris, Desmond Sheriff, Teresa Holmes, Ted Hoar, Catherine Josephine Fahy, Eilis Doc Tor, and Imelda McLoughlin.

**OUR CHURCH IS OPEN AGAIN FOR DAILY MASS  
FROM WEDNESDAY 2ND DECEMBER  
and for private individual prayer on Monday (30th November) and  
Tuesday (1st December) 9 a.m. - 12 Noon.**

**FOR SUNDAY MASSES FROM 5 / 6TH DECEMBER IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO  
REGISTER AS YOU DID BEFORE**



## Livestreaming of Mass at St. John the Baptist

This Sunday, **First Sunday of Advent** we are livestreaming **Mass at 10 a.m. without a congregation** as we will still be in "lockdown." Public and streamed Masses again from Wednesday 2nd December. **We will be at churchservices.tv/purley.**

To help us cover our fixed costs, if you wish you can make a direct bank transfer to the parish bank account:

*St. John the Baptist, Purley*


*Account No. 79116345 (60-50-01)*



## Next Sunday's Readings

Please refer to Universalis or the website of the Bishops' conference of England and Wales- Liturgy Office.



MASS INTENTIONS	PARISH NEWS
<p><b>Sunday 29th November</b> <i>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</i></p>	<p><b><u>LIVE STREAMING MASS</u></b> All parish Masses will be streamed from Wednesday 2nd December except for the Sunday 18:00 Mass each week to allow those who do not wish to be on screen to attend a Mass that is <u>not streamed</u>. Only the sanctuary will be captured on screen during Mass, as will those coming to receive Holy Communion.</p>
<p><b>10:00</b> <i>Livestreamed Concelebrated Mass (NO CONGREGATION)</i></p>	
<p>Mr. S M George RIP Tom Duffy RIP</p>	<p><i>A huge "thank you" to the two benefactors who have shared the cost of installing the streaming equipment and system, David Coates and Pat Cook, in memory of her dear husband John.</i></p>
<p><b>Monday 30th November</b> <i>St. Andrew, Apostle</i></p>	
<p>Don Hutcheon RIP Rita Putt RIP</p>	
<p><b>Tuesday 1st December</b></p>	<p><b><u>Margaret Roper School - Christmas Fayre?</u></b></p>
<p>Norman Luck RIP Int. Imelda McLoughlin</p>	<p>This Saturday would have been our parish school's Christmas Fayre. Sadly we cannot come together and celebrate as we normally do. So this year the PTA are doing things a little differently with <b>two online raffles</b> with great prizes to be won. The draw will be Friday 18 December at 9 am and prizes will be available at school pick up that day. Please think about how much you would usually spend at the Fayre and buy as many tickets as you possibly can to help raise money to go towards the children's class parties, gift bags, and the live streaming panto. So log on <a href="http://www.raffall.com/MargaretRoper">www.raffall.com/MargaretRoper</a> and get your friends, family, colleagues, neighbours, and anyone else too! Who wouldn't want to win some cash before Christmas?</p>
<p><b>Wednesday 2nd December</b></p>	<p></p>
<p><b>7:30</b> Sheila &amp; John Kennedy RIP <b>10:00</b> Patricia Pilkington RIP</p>	
<p><b>Thursday 3rd December</b> <i>St Francis Xavier</i></p>	<p><b><u>Mother Teresa Group</u></b></p>
<p><b>10:00</b> Tessa Stewart RIP</p>	<p>Thanks to the generosity and industry of parishioners we have managed to put together 63 Christmas parcels for the homeless, 51 fish and chip baby outfits, 29 knitted or crocheted blankets and 69 angels for Purley Churches Together. A truly magnificent effort. Thank you.</p>
<p><b>Friday 4th December</b></p>	<p><i>Christine Whitmarsh</i></p>
<p><b>7:30</b> Dominic &amp; Fr. Paul Ryan RIP <b>10:00</b> Int. Sol Perez</p>	
<p><b>Saturday 5th December</b></p>	<p><b><u>PRIMARY SCHOOL 2021 ADMISSIONS:</u></b></p>
<p><b>10:00</b> Peggy Hogan RIP</p> <p><b>Sunday 6th December</b> <i>Second Sunday of Advent</i></p> <p><b>18:00 (Sat)</b> Morgan &amp; Catherine Fahy RIP</p> <p><b>8:30</b> Frederic Vilain RIP <b>10:00</b> Mr P L Sixtus RIP <b>12:00</b> Owen Simon RIP <b>18:00</b> All parishioners</p>	<p>For intake September 2021: Please submit your child's "Parish Priest's Reference Form" to the office in the Presbytery <b>via the letterbox</b>. Please provide the child's baptism details, if at St. John the Baptist, or otherwise a photocopy of the baptism certificate. Canon John will contact you, if there are any queries. <b><u>Completed forms will be posted direct to the school, as the schools request.</u></b></p>