



# Parish of the Holy Trinity, East Ham

St Mary Magdalene

St Bartholomew

St Edmund

18 January

Year A

Second Sunday of Epiphany

## IN OUR PRAYERS

**In our Deanery:** East Ham, Holy Trinity: St Edmund King & Martyr

**In the Diocese:** Cranham Park (St Luke) James Rigby (V), Ken Perkins (AC). LLM: Christine Rose.

**In the Anglican Communion:** The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain – (Extra Provincial)

**In the world:** for Christian unity

**With USPG:** for the Anglican Church in South Africa. Strengthen its leaders and communities as they serve you and act as bold witnesses to your love. Also, keep in your prayers the work of Christian Aid and Mildmay.

**In the Parish:** Mitcham Road, Monega Road, Monmouth Road

**Those who have asked our prayers:**

**Particular need:** Adiba Haque, Ethel King, Laurine & Ancil Griffith, Andrew West

**Continuing need:** Lorraine Ashton, Zareen Choudary, Graham Davis, Doris Goodchild, Cassandra Gosai, Caroline Grisely, Emily Jones, Rose Joynes, Paul Gillard, Maggie Holder, Terry Hooker, Cassie Martin, Dennis Pridmore, Mary Skerritt, Eutal Spence, Canon Colin Westbrook

**In the Year's Mind:** Thomas Kay. *May he rest in peace and rise in glory*

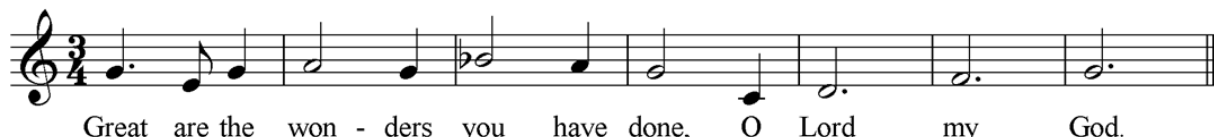


## Hymns & Psalm

**St Bart's:** 489, 45, 374, 419

**St Mary's:** 105, 552, 374, 33

**Response to the Psalm:**



**Morning Prayer this week:** Tuesday 9am at St Mary's; Wednesday 8.50am at St Bart's.

**Eucharist this week:** Tuesday 12.15pm at St Edmund's, Wednesday 6.30pm at St Mary's, Thursday 12.15pm at St Bart's.

**Eucharist next Sunday (25th January) Conversion of Paul:** 8am & 10am at St Mary's; 10am at St Bart's; 10am at St Edmund's

**Licensing of the new Team Rector** Fr Paul will be licensed on 29 January at 7pm at St Bart's. He would be delighted if members of the parish would be present to support him at the beginning of this new stage in his ministry.

**Congratulations to Grace and Balu on becoming grandparents!** Baby Ursula was born on 2 January. Please pray for Ursula, her parents and family at this special time.

**Young Makers Market at The Market Place, East Ham** Saturday 31st January (trading time 1pm-5pm). This special event is dedicated entirely to under-18s, giving young creatives the chance to showcase their talents, sell their products, and experience running a real market stall in a supportive and fun environment. There are a few spaces available if your children are interested in taking part; simply contact Aisha Small, Centre Manager: 07539827775  
[Aisha.Small@landmanagementltd.co.uk](mailto:Aisha.Small@landmanagementltd.co.uk)

**Youth Sleepover** for secondary school aged young people from our Newham churches, free of charge. We have plenty of fun, food and activities planned, as well as an opportunity to think about Lent and how we can bless others. *Tuesday 17th February until 2pm on Wednesday 18th February at St Luke's, Canning Town. Please contact Fr Paul if you are interested*

**Confirmations by Bishop Guli in the parish on 26 April.** If you are interested in confirmation (for adults and young people approximately age 11 or over) or simply want to know more please contact Fr Paul or any of the clergy or pastoral assistants.

**Youthscape Summer Camp 'Satellites' 6-10 August 2026 Bath & West Showground, Somerset.** If you are interested whether attending, as an adult helper or just curious, please contact Fr Paul.

**St Bart's Intercessory Prayer** will follow the service Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January.

**A message from the Eco Church group** - a new venture for families in half-term! Something to entertain and amaze, learn about the wonderful nature all around us.

**What: Family Nature Club.** Spend two hours exploring the Nature Reserve and finding out about how wildlife copes in winter. Nature-inspired craft activities - make something to take home.

**Who:** children with a parent / guardian

**When: Monday 16th February, 10am and 1.30pm.** Choose either the morning or afternoon session.

**How:** book your place with the parish office by calling **020 8470 0011** or email [info@easthamparish.org.uk](mailto:info@easthamparish.org.uk). Don't delay - places are limited!

**More information:** speak to one of the Eco Church Group

Please note children must be accompanied!

We're looking forward to seeing you there.

### **Meetings.**

Sun 18 Jan – St Edmund's DCC at 11am

Sun 25 Jan – St Bart's DCC at 11.15am

**NOTE REVISED DATE:** Sun 1 Feb – St Mary's DCC at 11.30am in the Parish Room

Tue 3 Feb – PCC meeting at St Bart's 7pm

Tue 24 Mar – Deanery Synod at St Matthias at 7.15 for 7.45pm

Tues 10 Mar – Standing Committee at St Bart's at 3pm

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Rev. Canon Ann Easter

Rev. Sandra Eldridge

**Acting Team Rector/**

**Team Vicar:**

**Associate Clergy:**

**Honorary Associate**

**Clergy:**

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## **Lunchtime Concert**

### **Piano & Cello Recital @ St Bart's**

## **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2026 at 1.30pm**

#### **Performers:**

Stefan Rogers - Cello

Mihaly Gyorfi - Piano

#### **Programme:**

Brahms Cello Sonata No. 1 in E minor

Beethoven 7 Variations on a theme from 'The Magic Flute'

+ additional pieces announced from the stage



ST MARY MAGDALENE  
ECO CHURCH GROUP

# FAMILY NATURE CLUB

**MONDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**  
**AT EAST HAM NATURE**  
**RESERVE**

**MORNING**  
**SESSION**  
**10AM-12PM**

**OR**

**AFTERNOON**  
**SESSION**  
**1:30PM-3:30PM**

**EXPLORE OUR NATURE RESERVE AND FIND  
OUT ABOUT HOW WILDLIFE COPE IN  
WINTER.**



**EAST HAM NATURE RESERVE**  
**ST MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH HALL,**  
**NORMAN ROAD, E6 6HN**



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