



# The Parish of Our Lady & Saint Wulstan, Southam

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Parish Priest: Father Bernard Garratt. Deacon: Rev Terry Hum (Retired)



December 16th	10.0 am 5.30 pm	<b>CHURCH CLEANING DAY</b> <i>Vigil of Advent 3</i>	Julie & Terry Hum Graham, Drakeford RIP
December 17th	10.0 am 6.0 pm	<b>Third Sunday in Advent</b> <b>Carols in the Courtyard</b>	Peter Hagan RIP
Monday	9.15 am	<i>School Mass</i>	Joan Ballinger (Birthday)
Tuesday	9.15 am <b>7.0 pm</b>	<b>ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE</b>	Pat Bigrave
Wednesday	7.0 pm		Helen Hudson (VB)
Thursday	9.15 am		Malcolm Norgate RIP (VB)
Friday	9.15 am		Edna Gilks
December 23rd	10.0 am 5.30 pm	<i>Vigil of Advent 4</i>	Tony Varney RIP Malcolm Norgate RIP
December 24th <b>Christmas Eve</b>	<b>10.0 am</b> <b>5.30 pm</b> <b>11.0 pm</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent</b> <b>First Mass of Christmas</b> <b>Midnight Mass (Carols from 10.30 pm)</b>	Expectant Mothers Douglas Peters RIP People of the Parish
<b>December 25th</b>	<b>10.0 am</b>	<b>CHRISTMAS DAY MASS &amp; CAROLS</b>	PCJ Sisters

**Giving Last Week** Gift Aid £61.50 Non Gift Aid £59.08 Second Collection for the Poor Parishes Fund £42.98 **This weekend** : special collection for Christmas flowers.

**Sanctuary Lamp** burns this week in loving memory of Graham Drakeford RIP

**Win a luxury Hamper** with bottle of Champagne in our Christmas Raffle Tickets on sale £1 only. **DRAW THIS SUNDAY!**



## GO TO CONFESSION BEFORE CHRISTMAS !

You are invited to a Penitential Service here on Tuesday this week at 7.0 pm. Visiting priests will be here for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

## THE LAST ADVENT LUNCHEAS 11.0 AM to 1.0 IN CHURCH HALL THIS TUESDAY

December 19th

Amount raised so far £295

Donations to Children with Cancer UK

## BUY A POINSETTIA £2.50

Please help us fill the church with colour for Christmas by buying a poinsettia. After the Christmas season it will be yours to take home. Plants cost only £2.50. Give your donation to Pat Woolston or hand to any of our flower arrangers.



**SUNDAY  
DECEMBER  
17th  
6.0 PM**

**CAROLS IN  
THE  
COURT-YARD  
FOLLOWED BY  
MULLED WINE  
& MINCE PIES**



**JANE PRICE WRITES** : We still have places for two new Foundation governors at St Mary's School. We are looking for one of these to have financial experience.. Contact Jane on 01926 812512

**Quote of the Week** : "I will honour Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year."  
*Charles Dickens*

**Have a Chuckle** Did you hear about the Grandma who knitted three socks for her grandson? She heard he'd grown a foot since last Christmas!



**PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN WITH YOU. GIVE ONE TO A FRIEND OR NEIGHBOUR**

### Cards and Rosaries

and other religious items are on sale in the Porch.

### Tea and coffee

will be in the hall after Sunday Mass. Stay & say hello..

### Finally... Welcome

to our Visitors and any new Parishioners.