

**Week Commencing 7th December 2025**

# **PARISH BULLETIN**

## **DRESSING OUR CHURCH**



If you would like to help with the Christmas Decorations, we will be in Church on

9th December 10-1

12th December 10-1

**ALL WELCOME**

## **Stitch Knit or Natter**

Last one this year 9th Dec

Start up again 6th Jan 2026

## **Games Club**

Last one this year 11th Dec

Start up again 8th Jan 2026



## **BURNS NIGHT**



**24TH JANUARY 2026**

**TICKETS NOW  
AVAILABLE.**

**7pm sitting.**

**£30.00 EACH**

**Soup**

**Haggis**

**Roast Beef**

**Shortbread Cream**

**Coffee/Tea - mint.**

**Bring your own  
Drinks and Glasses.**

**Tartan Dress**

**Optional**

**Join us for coffee at the back of the church  
after the 9.30am Mass**

• **Social Committee trips etc** [https://assets.msn.com/staticsb/statics/latest/fluent-icons/caret\\_left\\_24\\_filled.svg](https://assets.msn.com/staticsb/statics/latest/fluent-icons/caret_left_24_filled.svg) Please contact Yvonne  
• 07443 562148 or  
• see her at church.

• Any payments can be made to Yvonne but if possible please  
• pay directly into the Church bank account (Church bank  
• details available from Yvonne or the office or Julie our Treasurer)

• Raffle prizes are urgently needed, if you can help please

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **9 LESSONS AND CAROLS**

Sunday 14th December 6.30 pm

Sherry and Mince Pies



## CALENDAR

Dec 9th            Stitch Knit or Natter: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm

Young at heart : St. Francis', 1.30 - 4.00pm

Dec 11th           Games Club: St. Francis', 1.30-3-30

Dec 14th           9 Lessons and Carols, 6.30-8.30pm

Stitch Knit and Natter will be back on the 6th January

Games Club will be back on the 8th January.

## WALSINGHAM 2026



We do appear to have a few outstanding additional deposits, please for those who have not paid their £40.00, can you let us have them asap.

Once we have all monies in I can calculate the costs and post final figure hopefully mid December.

Thank you - Linda

## **MOTHERS** **UNION**

***Supporting the  
GingerBread  
Centre.***

***If any one can  
help by donating  
selection  
boxes,***

***Wrapping Paper  
or Cellotape we  
would be so  
grateful.***

***See  
Sue Goodwin.***

**Sunday - 7th December - The Second Sunday of Advent**

8.00am Low Mass : (89) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Isa 11:1-10 Rom 15:4-9 Mt 3:1-12**

**Sunday - 14th December - The Third Sunday of Advent.**

8.00am Low Mass : (91) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Isa 35:1-6a & 10 Jas 5: 5:7-10 Mt 11:2-11**

**USUAL WEEKDAY TIMES: (please see front page of Bulletin for any changes)**

**Holy Evangelists:** Mass on Thursday at 10.00am **CANCELLED**

**St Francis:** Mass on Tuesday at 9.30am in Lady Chapel  
Mass on Thursday at 7.30pm in Lady Chapel

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St Francis: <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4396/>

Holy Evangelists':

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