

**Week Commencing 28th December 2025**  
**Week Commencing 4th January 2026**

## **PARISH BULLETIN**

### **Christmas Office Hours**

***The Office will close  
at 2pm on Tuesday the  
23rd of December and  
will re-open at 9am on  
Tuesday 6th January.***

***Wishing you all a  
Merry Christmas and  
a Happy and Peaceful  
New Year***

***Linda***

### **Stitch Knit or Natter**

**Start up again 6th Jan  
2026**

### **Games Club**

**Start up again 8th Jan  
2026**



***Subscriptions are now due  
for the 100 club monthly  
draw.***

***Just 12.00 per number and  
you could be one of the 3  
lucky winners each month  
Pop into the office to make  
your payment.***

### **The Beacon**

**Keep up to date with  
everything that is happening  
in our Parish.**

**For just £7.00 a year you can  
receive a copy of our  
magazine each month with  
all the up to date news and  
messages and articles from  
Fr. David.**

**Pop into the Office to make a  
payment.**

**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

## **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.***

## CALENDAR

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

Games Club will be back on the 8th January.

THE BEACON MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE NOW DUE.  
PLEASE POP INTO THE OFFICE OR SEND A BANK TRANSFER

## WALSINGHAM 2026



We now have the final cost  
for next years pilgrimage to  
Walsingham and  
the good news is it will be  
the same as 2025.

Adult Price including coach  
will be £225.00

Child Price including coach  
will be £130.00



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**Sunday - 28th December - The First Sunday of Christmas -  
The Holy Family**

8.00am Low Mass : (101) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Ecclus 3: 3-7 & 14-17 Col 3:12-21 Mt 2-13-15 & 19-23**

**Sunday 4th January - Epiphany of the Lord**

8.00am Low Mass : (101) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Isa 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a & 5-6 Mt 2:1-12**

**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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A Church Near You:

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

Holy Evangelists':

**Please note : Readings Lists are at the back of the Church.**