

St Saviour's Church, Brockley Rise: an inclusive church

**Sunday 5th January 2025
The Epiphany**

Welcome to St Saviour's

Today: 10am Parish Eucharist
Warden: Connie
Sidespeople: Sandie
Reader: Dee
Intercessor: Elizabeth
Server: Kathryn
Chalice Assistant: Yvette

Hymns: 94, 95, 103, 96, see below, 86.

Second Communion Hymn

Little Jesus sweetly sleep, do not stir;
we will lend a coat of fur;
we will rock you, rock you, rock you,
we will rock you, rock you, rock you;
see the fur to keep you warm,
snugly round your tiny form.

Mary's little baby, sleep, sweetly sleep,
sleep in comfort, slumber deep;
we will rock you, rock you, rock you,
we will rock you, rock you, rock you;
we will serve you all we can,
darling, darling little man.

*Traditional Czech carol
trans. Percy Dearmer (1876-1936)*

We remember in our prayers:

The 11th Forest Hill Scout Group, the Beavers, Cubs,
Scouts and Explorers and their leaders

Those who are housebound.

Those who are unwell, or otherwise in need.

Those who have died.

Epiphany Gift Day: As has become our custom, we are marking today's Feast of Epiphany with our Annual Gift Day. Fr David and Kathryn will be available after the Eucharist to answer any questions you may have about giving or the church's finances, and they will have a list of regular supplies you might like to fund or special things you might like to donate money for, perhaps in thanksgiving or in memory of someone. Any items funded will be blessed at Candlemas.

Congregational Giving: A collection for the work of the church will be taken during the service. If you would prefer to give electronically, you can use the contactless card device or scan this QR code with a phone. Many thanks for your generosity.



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This week:

Tuesday	9:30am Morning Prayer 5:30pm Evening Prayer
Wednesday	9:30am Morning Prayer 5:30pm Evening Prayer
Thursday	9:30am Morning Prayer 10:30am Said Eucharist 5:30pm Evening Prayer
Friday	9:30am Morning Prayer 2:30pm Memorial Eucharist for Adeline Cole
Saturday	9:30am Morning Prayer NO Vestry Hour 10:30am PCC Away Day at St Philip's Church, Sydenham

Next Sunday: 10am Parish Eucharist

Warden:	Kathleen
Sidespeople:	Emanuel
Reader:	Chris
Intercessor:	Sandie
Server:	Denise
Chalice Assistant:	Shaun

Funeral of Adeline Cole RIP: Adeline's funeral will take place on Friday 10th January at 2:30pm in Freetown, Sierra Leone. There will be a **concurrent service here at St Saviour's** at the same time, **2:30pm on 10th January** (not 3pm as previously advertised). You are warmly invited to attend to give thanks for Adeline's life and ministry and to support her family. A reception will follow at The Nehemiah's Palace, 118-120 Malham Road, SE23 1AN

PCC Away Day: The PCC Away Day on **11th January**, will take place at **St Philip's Church, Sydenham starting at 10:30am**. We will aim to finish by 3pm. Members of the PCC are encouraged to make attendance a priority. Please confirm your availability of make your apologies to Andrew Crawsham, PCC Secretary. This will help with catering arrangements.

Pub Club: will meet next on Sunday 12th January from 7:30pm in The Honor Oak. Come and have a pint with Fr David! All are most welcome.

Concert in Church: Kathryn Mosley (who used to play the organ here) and David Aspin will be giving a concert of **English Music for Viola and Piano** here at **4pm on 19th January**. Do please come along and support them. Tickets £10, available on the door.

Memorial Service for Marion Parsons RIP: Marion was clear that she did not want a funeral service and her family have honoured that request. They have arranged for a Memorial Service, to celebrate Marion's life to take place at St. Saviour's on **Saturday 1st March 2025 at 2:30pm**.

URGENT HELP NEEDED FOR UKRAINIAN REFUGEES: A Mother and Daughter who have been living in the parish for the last 2.5 years urgently need to find new accommodation as their current hosts, who have been very happy hosting them, now need the space for elderly parents. The council would pay £700 per month to the hosts. If you are interested or know someone who might be, please speak to Fr David for more information.

We continue to support LEWCAS. Please see the list at the back of church for their current needs if you are able to add some to your shopping and bring into church. This is a really simple way to put our faith into practice and help Asylum Seekers, if we can afford to do so.

Dates for your diaries:

18th January: The Deptford Wives are performing in the General Napier and proceeds will generously be donated to support our Linking Lives project.

25th January 2025: Lay Ministry Taster Day —see the poster at the back of Church

5th April 2025: Woolwich Area Lay Conference—see the poster at the back of Church

PCC Away Day: All members of the PCC are asked to make sure Saturday 11th January is in their diaries for our PCC away day which will be held at St Philip's, Sydenham. Further details to follow.

Vestry Hour: Each Saturday the church is open after Morning Prayer until 11am and a church member is available to help with enquires about baptisms, banns and marriage, etc.

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