

# St Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

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Weekly Newsletter  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January  
Epiphany

8.30am Holy Communion  
*Celebrant* Fr. Martyn Hawkes

10.00am Parish Eucharist  
*Celebrant* Fr. Martyn Hawkes  
(Hymns in service book)

This Week

**Wednesday**

11am Holy Communion

**Morning & Evening Prayer**

## **Advance Date Update**

The 2020 Burns Night will be on the 18<sup>th</sup> January starting at 7.30pm. Please let Caroline Ferguson know if you would like to reserve a place. Tickets are £15 for adults and £5 for children.

## **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January Refugee Project.**

2.30pm. There will be another opportunity in church to learn more about the refugee project that St Gabriel's is supporting and to see if it's something you'd like to get involved with.

## **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January**

10am -1pm. A workshop entitled 'your church and the Environment' is happening at St Mary's Church, Wanstead.

There is a poster showing how you can register to attend or speak to Fr. Martyn.

## **Foodbank Update**

A massive thank you to everyone for all your contributions throughout the year! In the excitement of the Christmas collection we must not lose sight of those who give faithfully week on week. I hope that we might find out at some point how much St Gabriels has contributed over 2019, but the sad news is that the need is rising faster than we can imagine. Have a very happy Christmas - and then it all starts again! Best wishes, Helen and the team x.

*Items for weekly notices need to be submitted by Thursday evening.  
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## **Big Thank You**

Many thanks to everyone who contributed over the Advent season and towards preparing the church for Christmas.

A special thank you to Father Martyn not just for Christmas but also for leading us all the year round.

## **For Our Prayers**

### **Those who are sick:**

Madeleine Arnold, Mark Arnold, Frances Bonnick, Ann Brown, Victor Christie, Pauline Duncombe, Peter Ellis, Eileen Galer, Phyllis Lehreman, Jacqueline McNie, John Mitchell, Comfort Owusu Ansah, Christine Shannon, Bill Starling, Norma Stevenson, Revd Pat Wallson, Cynthia Williams, Jean Winstone & Johnno Woods

### **For the recently departed:**

David Doran

### **and those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time:**