

# **THE LADBROKE GROVE EVANGELIST**

**THE PARISH NEWSLETTER FOR ALL SAINTS NOTTING  
HILL, ST MICHAEL'S NORTH KENSINGTON, AND THE  
LAFILCOM COMMUNITY.**

**FEBRUARY 2024**



**FEBRUARY IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY FAMILY**

## **ASH WEDNESDAY 2024**

**ASH WEDNESDAY FALLS ON WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**10AM MASS WITH IMPOSITION OF ASHES AT ALL SAINTS**

**12.30PM MASS WITH IMPOSITION OF ASHES AT STMICHAEL'S**

**7PM SUNG MASS WITH IMPOSITION OF ASHES ATR ALL SAINTS**

**11AM – 3.30PM THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION OFFICE WILL HOLD THEIR  
LENT QUIET DAY AT ALL SAINTS CELEBRATED BY BISHOP ANTHONY  
POGGO THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION**

## **MINISTRIES AT THE SUNDAY MASS**

**EACH SUNDAY IN LENT WE WILL CELEBRATE A DIFFERENT ACT OF  
MERCY, A GIFT FROM GOD. THESE ARE:**

**LENT 1 – GENERAL ABSOLUTION**

**LENT 2 – LAYING ON OF HANDS**

**LENT 3 – ANOINTING FOR THE SICK**

**LENT 4 – SPRINKLING WITH HOLY WATER**

**EACH OF THESE WILL HELP US TO FOCUS ON GOD'S LOVE AND MERCY  
FOR US**

**SUNDAY MASSES IN FEBRUARY**

9.30am Parish Mass at St Michael's  
10.30am Morning Prayer at All Saints  
11am Parish Mass at All Saints  
11.30am Tagalog Mass at St Michael's

**SHROVE TUESDAY**

Join us on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February at All Saints to get church prepared for Lent. 6pm – 8pm – Pancakes will be served. Many hands make light work as we prepare for the Lenten Fast.

**LENT CHARITY**

Our Lent Charity this year is the Friends of the Holy Land. The charity supports the life and work of Christians in the Holy Land, and particularly at this time in Palestine where the churches are places of refuge and support to all in need regardless of faith. Please give all you can and we suggest £1 per week. There will be collection boxes in church.

**LENT LECTURE**

**Christians in the Holy Land: The Legacy of the Past and Prospects for the Future**

**A Lecture given by Bishop Michael Langrish, a Patron of our Lent Charity, the Friends of the Holy Land**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm in All Saints Church**

**ECUMENICAL LENT COURSE**

**Each Wednesday in Lent with Churches Together in Notting Hill and Kensington ay Chelsea with gather together for the Ecumenical Lent Course:**

**Act on Poverty - Wednesdays at 7.30pm**

**Wednesday, February 21st:**

**St John's Notting Hill, Lansdowne Crescent, W11 2NN**

**Wednesday, February 28th**

**:Sisters of Sion, 34 Chepstow Villas, London, W11 2QZ**

**Wednesday, March 6th**

**St Sarkis Armenian Church, Iverna Gardens, W8 6TP**

**Wednesday, March 13th**

**Kensington United Reformed Church, Allen Street, W8 6BL**

**Wednesday, March 20th**

**All Saints Church, Clydesdale Road, W11 1JE**

## **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

**Fr Philip is helping to organise this year's World Day of Prayer with Churches Together in Notting Hill:**

**'I beg you bear with one another' – Prayers from the Women of Palestine**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 3pm at St John's Notting Hill**

## **LENT BOOK CLUB**

**We are encouraged this Lent to read the Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book:**

**Tarry Awhile: Wisdom from Black Spirituality for People of Faith  
by Selina Stone**

**We will discuss the book after the 10am Mass on each Tuesday in Lent and Fr Philip will talk about the book at March's School of Faith  
Copies are available in Church costing £12**

## **HEALING MINISTRIES**

**These will take place after Mass on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February. Come to Mass that day to receive God's healing love in this sacrament.**

## **SCHOOL OF FAITH**

**Will take place this month on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February when Fr Philip will talk about the Titles of Jesus.**

## **SERMONS IN LENT**

**During Lent on four Sundays we will have reflections on the Gospel from members of the congregation. To prepare for this a group will do a Bible Study looking at the Sunday Gospel and reflecting on what the text might be saying to us, to the church and to the world. Please do come along and join in these reflections - you won't be made to stand up in front of the congregation to speak! It is an opportunity for us to think more deeply about our faith and develop our mission.**

## **ALL SAINTS FOODBANK**

**Foodbank will meet on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February (Please note not last Friday, but the Friday before Christmas) 10am-11am.**

**Do please bring items along for the Foodbank and leave them in the basket. This month we particularly ask for tinned fruit and tinned hot dogs.**

**Thank you to everyone who supports our Foodbank!**

## **WAND Foodbank**

**Tuesdays 11am-3pm at St Michael's Ladbroke Grove. This project feeds around 200 families per week.**

## **PEPPER POT CENTRE WORSHIP**

**This worshipping community meets at the Pepper Pot Centre each Thursday at 2pm for Bible Study, hymn singing and prayer.**

## **PALM CROSSES**

**Please return your palm crosses by Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February so that they can be burnt ahead of Ash Wednesday.**

## **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Stations of the Cross will be celebrated during Lent at the following times:**

**Tuesdays after the 10am Mass at All Saints**

**Wednesdays 12 noon at St Michael's**

**Fridays 6.30pm at All Saints**

## **THANK YOU FROM MARY'S MEALS**

**Mary's Meals would like to thank everyone in the parish for their generosity. We spoke at the end of Mass last weekend and were delighted by the total given – £97.73. This will feed 5 children one good meal every school day for a whole year. Please continue to pray for the work of Mary's Meals. God bless you all.**

## **PARISH SAFEGUARDING OFFICER**

**The Parish Safeguarding Officer is Liz Aschenbrenner**

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## **CONTACTLESS PAYMENT**

**A new contactless  
has now been placed  
can take collections  
the need for cash.  
donate to church**



**payment machine  
in church so that we  
and money without  
You can also now  
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