PARISH OF THE HOLY TRINITY



COMMUNITY BULLETIN

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Monthly News & Announcements

Prayers & Services

See the parish website for all upcoming services

- Please pray for the newly departed Jean, and the sick Paul, Richard and Monica.
- Saints' days in Greek and English
- Bilingual texts and music for <u>all services by date</u>
- ❖ Archdiocesan Sunday Bulletin and Services (Holy Wisdom Cathedral, London)

Events & Announcements

Please see our parish website for a full community calendar

A full schedule for the upcoming feasts of Christmas, St Basil's Day & Theophany is on the page below

Sunday 18 December, the Archdiocese will host a **Christmas Concert** at the historic Cathedral of the Divine Wisdom, followed by the **Archdiocesan Christmas open house** at Thyateira House. Further information on the flyer below.

Tuesday 27 December, the next **Enlightened Evening for Young Adults** will be held in Bayswater. To make the event more affordable, tickets have been substantially subsidised by generous donors. Please see the attached poster.

Kontakion, The Nativity of Christ

Today the Virgin gives birth to Him who is above all being, And the earth offers a cave to Him Whom no one can approach; Angels with Shepherds give glory, and Magi journey with a star; For to us has been born a little Child: God before the ages.

Christmas at One Canterbury

Sunday 18 December & Children's activities during coffee hour Friday 23 December & 9am Royal Hours Saturday 24 December & 5.30pm Vespers Sunday 25 December & 10am Matins, 11am Liturgy

St Basil's Day & Mulled wine & vasilopita during coffee hour Saturday 31 December & 5.30pm Vespers Sunday 1 January & 10am Matins, 11am Liturgy & 12.45pm Doxology & Blessing of the Vasilopita

Theophany ❖ Please bring a suitable container for blessed water

Thursday 5 January ❖ 9am Royal Hours

Friday 6 January ❖ 8am Matins, 9am Liturgy & 10.45 Blessing of Waters



Happy Christmas! « Καλά Χριστούγεννα! C Рождеством! « Crăciun fericit! « عيد ميلاد مجيد Gëzuar Krishtlindjet! « Boldog Karácsonyt!



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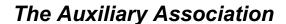
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Christmas activities for children of all ages this Sunday!

Please join us this Sunday, December 18, during coffee hour for Christmas activities for children of all ages. We will be talking about the true meaning of Christmas, and there will be Christmas decorations, fast-friendly traditional Christmas sweets, impromptu carol singing and many more activities to keep little hands occupied. Looking forward to getting in the spirit of Christmas with all of you who can join!





Archdiocesan Christmas Concert In the Joy of the Incarnation



Archdiocesan Cathedral of Hagia Sophia (the Divine Wisdom), Bayswater, W2 4LQ

Followed by Archdiocesan Christmas Open-house

at 5-7.30pm | Thyateira House, 5 Craven Hill, W2 3EN















The concert is **FREE**

CHRISTMAS CONCERT CHOIRS

The Archdiocesan School of Byzantine Music Choir
Holy Orthodox Archdiocese of Thyateira and Great Britain
Directed by The Rev. Protopresbyter Joseph Paliouras

Protection of the Virgin Mary Ukrainian Orthodox Parish Choir Holy Orthodox Archdiocese of Thyateira and Great Britain Directed by Ivan Bilanyuk

The Mosaic Choir Directed by Ms Margaret Haig

Sponsored by Christos Lazari Foundation

The Choir of St James's Sussex Gardens Directed by George de Voil

Archdiocesan Event for Young Adults

