



# St Mary's Catholic Church Clapham

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Sunday Mass Times: 5.30pm (Sat Vigil), 8am, 10am, 12 noon  
Weekday Masses: 7am and 12.30pm Saturday Masses: 9.30am and 12.30pm  
Confessions on Saturday 10am-10.30am, 4.45-5.15pm, 6.30-7pm, 7.30pm  
Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Succour (Help) every Saturday at 7pm  
Portuguese Mass: Sunday 5.30pm. Chaplain 020 7587 0881

## Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord 2017



# **HODIE CHRISTUS NATUS EST**

I hope that this is truly a day for you to celebrate with your families and loved ones. Enjoy this wonderful day!

Let us also be mindful of those for whom today will not be a day of celebration - the sick, the bereaved, the lonely, the persecuted, and the homeless - let us keep them in our prayers.

**On behalf of the Redemptorist Community, I wish you all  
a blessed, peaceful and very happy CHRISTmas.**

Fr Richard Reid CSsR and the all Redemptorists in the Monastery.

What you give in the collection today will be your gift to the Redemptorist Community.  
We thank you in advance!

## **KALENDRA**

"In the five thousandth one hundred and ninety-ninth year of the creation from the time when God in the beginning made the heavens and the earth out of nothing.

In the two thousandth nine hundred and fifty-seventh year after the flood.

In the two thousandth and fifteenth year from the birth of Abraham.

In the one thousandth five hundred and tenth year from Moses and the exodus of the people of Israel from Egypt.

In the one thousandth and thirty-second year from the anointing of David king.

In the sixty-fifth week according to the prophecy of Daniel. In the one hundredth ninety-fourth Olympiad.

In the seven hundredth and fifty-second year from the foundation of the city of Rome.

In the forty-second year of the rule of Octavian Augustus, all the earth being at peace, in the sixth age of the world:

Jesus Christ, the eternal God and Son of the eternal Father, willing to consecrate the world by His most merciful coming, being conceived by the Holy Spirit and nine months having passed since His conception, was born in Bethlehem of Judah of the Virgin Mary, being made man.

**THIS IS THE BIRTHDAY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ACCORDING TO THE FLESH."**

