# Looking Forward



11<sup>th</sup> December 2022 <sup>3<sup>rd</sup></sup> Sunday of Advent In Matthew's Gospel, Jesus teaches :

"Blessed is the one who takes no offence at me."



## Looking Forward in Love



### ✿ "I CONFESS ONE BAPTISM FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS." ♥

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St John the Evangelist was one of the sons of Zebedee who became one of the Twelve. He is held to be the beloved disciple of St John's Gospel, who was entrusted with the care of Christ's Mother at the Crucifixion.



St John's RC School in Woodford Green is a Roman Catholic special school named after the saint. Their mission is to create a community in which each pupil can live life to the full.

"Young people must say to the world : The message of Christ is good!" - Pope Francis, Palm Sunday 2013

#### Our Lady of Guadalupe : 12th December

12<sup>th</sup> December is the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The day commemorates her apparition to Saint Juan Diego in the hills of Tepeyac in 1531. She asked him to go to the bishop and tell him that the Ever Virgin Mary, Mother of God, sent him to ask for a church to be



built on top of the Tepayachill. The bishops of the United States affirm that "Mary embraces God's will and freely chooses to cooperate with God's grace, thereby fulfilling a crucial role in God's plan of salvation."



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