



Sunday 03 November 2024
All Saints Day

THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL
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SERVICES

St Mary's

- Sun 03 Nov 8.00am Holy Communion
Trad. language
- 9.30am Family Communion
- 4.00pm Commemoration of All Souls
- Wed 06 Nov 10.30am Holy Communion
- Sun 10 Nov 9.30am Sung Eucharist

St Paul's

- Sun 03 Nov 11.15am All God's Family service
Non-eucharistic
- Thu 07 Nov 9.30am Morning Prayer
- Sun 10 Nov 11.15am Holy Communion
- 4.00pm Commemoration of All Souls

| St Mary's Readers and Intercessor | | |
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| | Readers | Intercessor |
| | Jenny MCDermott | Clergy |
| Next Week | Norma Podmore Rosamund Russell | Rosamund Russell |

Parish Services on YouTube

To find this, visit our website or search for "St Mary and St Paul Hemel Hempstead" in YouTube and subscribe to the channel. Alternatively you can find the channel by using this link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7U_Q1B-URNJ06ToEZPyPg
(care with exact capitalisation).

In the email version of this bulletin and on the website this link is clickable.

ALL SOULS SERVICES

All Souls (The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed) is celebrated at St Mary's today at 4pm and at St Paul's next Sunday at 4pm.

This is a chance to remember our departed loved ones with prayers and the lighting of candles.

COMMUNION IN THE WINTER SEASON

As we once again enter the seasons of coughs, colds and covid, this is just a gentle reminder that it helps everyone if you DO NOT receive the chalice (the wine) if you have any cold or flu like symptoms.

Intincture (the dipping of the bread wafer into the cup) is also not permitted.

Remember that when we receive Communion in one kind (the bread only in this instant) the church teaches that we still receive the fullness of Holy Communion. God doesn't short change us for being thoughtful. Speak to the clergy for more information.

TRAINING FOR INVOLVEMENT IN SERVICES

The Confirmation course and the last session of the training for our existing lay leaders of worship, lay leaders in training and Churchwardens who lead services will NOW take place at 6.30pm on Wednesday 6th November in St Mary's. See Canon John for more details.

CONFIRMATION SERVICE

On Sunday 24th November, the Feast of Christ the King, we have a service of Confirmation at St Mary's for six regular members of the congregation. This will be followed with a shared lunch and party afterwards, more details to follow soon. Please put this date in your diaries and come along to support our candidates.

Please pray for our Confirmation candidates: Robyn, Phoebe, Layla-Grace, Matthew, Emerson & Joshua.

AUTUMN CLEAN

We are having the Autumn Clean next Saturday morning 9th November between 9.30am and 12 noon. It is always both worthwhile and fun, so do come along and clean brass, polish pews, Hoover or dust. The more the merrier and seeing the end product is always a joy!

PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH

We have booked 14 places at the Plough in Leverstock Green for Friday 6 December meeting at 12.30pm.

Two courses, Prosecco and gratuity £35

Three courses £40

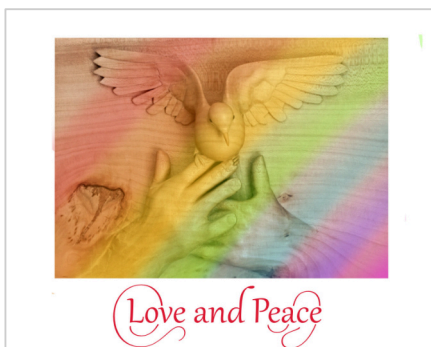
The Plough has an excellent menu. Contact Rosina or Gordon to register and for menu choices asap. (Contact details on page 4).

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

It's time to collect in our donations for the Children's Society, a very worthwhile charity. Our church community raised over £500 last year & there are so many young people who continue to need our support. This year we are particularly focussing on our young carers who have to balance their family caring responsibilities with their schoolwork, friendships & growing up in these challenging times.

Please bring me your collecting boxes or individual donations over the next few weeks.

LANGA TRUST CHRISTMAS CARDS



Inside: Wood carving in Chapel of Holy Spirit, St Mary's Church Hemel Hempstead.

Christmas and New Year Greetings in English, Xhosa and Afrikaans

Back cover: Aims of UK Langa Township Pre-School Trust

Price: Pack of 10 £3.50, UK postage free.

DENS HIGH NEEDS LIST

Food:

Tinned ham
Tinned corned beef
Jars of cooking sauces
Sponge puddings
Custard
Tinned rice pudding
Tinned fruit
200ml juices/drinks
Tinned vegetables
Cereal bars
Biscuits
Tea bags

Kitchen and hygiene items:

2-in-1 shampoo
Washing up liquid
Laundry liquid/powder/tabs
Men's and women's
deodorants
Size 4-8 nappies
75 litre black sacks

HALL CAR PARK REVISED

Hall car park users: please be aware that the outer (to the High Street) gates under the Rectory arch are now being locked on most Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights from 8pm-8am. Hall and church users can be supplied with the key code but others risk being locked in. Signs have been put up and flyers placed on windscreens. This scheme is being run by the residents and businesses and NOT the church.

Services and Events Week Commencing 03 November 2024

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| Sun 03 Nov | 8.00am | Holy Communion - traditional language | StM |
| | 9.30am | Family Communion Service | StM |
| | 11.15am | All God's Family Service - non eucharistic | StP |
| | 4.00pm | Commemoration of All Souls (Requiem Mass) | StM |
| All Saints Day | | | |
| Mon 04 Nov | | | |
| Tue 05 Nov | | | |
| Wed 06 Nov | 10.30am | Holy Communion | StM |
| | 4.30pm | Confirmation course | STM |
| | 6.30pm | Training for lay people who lead services | StM |
| Thu 07 Nov | 9.30am | Morning prayer | StP |
| | 8.00pm | Bellringing practice | StM |
| <i>Willibrord of York, Bishop, Apostle of Frisia, 739</i> | | | |
| Fri 08 Nov | <i>The Saints and Martyrs of England</i> | | |
| Sat 09 Nov | | | |
| Sun 10 Nov | 8.00am | 8.00am Communion will be held on the first Sunday of the month ONLY for the remainder of this year. | StM |
| | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist | StM |
| | 11.15am | Holy Communion | StP |
| | 4.00pm | Commemoration of All Souls | StP |
| Remembrance Sunday | | | |

St Mary's Church is open for visitors each day from 10am - 5pm

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Bulletin deadline:

Preceding Thursday noon

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Payments:

Cheques should be made payable to "St Mary and St Paul PCC".

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