



Sunday 15 December 2024
Third Sunday of Advent

THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

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SERVICES

St Mary's

Sun 15 Dec	9.30am	Sung Eucharist
Wed 18 Dec	10.30am	Holy Communion
Sun 22 Dec	9.30am	Sung Eucharist
	4.00pm	Carols by Candlelight

St Paul's

Sun 15 Dec	11.15am	Holy Communion
	6.00pm	Service of Nine Lessons and Carols
Thu 19 Dec	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Sun 22 Dec	11.15am	Holy Communion

St Mary's Readers and Intercessor		
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Today	Andrew Darby Theo Godwin	Emmeline Lambert
Next Week	Lynne Sygrave Clare Debenham	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-URNJ06ToEZePyPg

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ST PAUL'S PATRONAL SERVICE

We are delighted that the Rt Revd Dr Jane Mainwaring, Bishop of Hertford, will be the preacher at **St Paul's Patronal Festival at 4pm on Sunday 19th Jan.** This annual service in celebration of St Paul is held in the afternoon to enable all our friends from the Team churches to attend. Please put this event in your diary now.



HEMEL COMMUNITY FRIDGE

St Paul's are collecting Christmas food goodies for the Hemel Hempstead Community Fridge. If you wish to give please get to Rosina, Malcolm or Gordon or to the Church for Sunday 15 December.

SERVICE OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS

Join us tonight at St Paul's at 6pm for the traditional service of 9 lessons and carols with mulled wine and minced pies to follow. The service is a wonderful start to the Christmas period.

CHRISTMAS MARKET

The Christmas Market takes place today inside St Mary's church and hall, 12-4pm. Come and meet Santa and have a glass of mulled wine as well as taking the opportunity to find that special item or gift to make Christmas extra special.

THANK YOU

Thank you to those who made the Christingles and helped out at the service last week. An exciting time was had by all. A big thank you to Danny and all at Fifty5 barbers, in the Old Town, who were our sponsors and provided the 100 oranges for the event.

A big thank you to Danny and all at Changes Hair Salon, in the Old Town who donated the magnificent Christmas tree which is at the back of church. Thanks also to Michael and Louise who decorated it!

Services and Events Week Commencing 15 December 2024

Sun 15 Dec	9.30am 11.15am 12 - 4pm 6.00pm	Sung Eucharist Holy Communion Old Town Christmas Market Service of Nine Lessons and Carols	StM StP StM StP
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Mon 16 Dec	1.45pm	Holtsmere End Junior School Christmas concert	StM
Tue 17 Dec			
Wed 18 Dec	10.30am	Holy Communion	StM
Thu 19 Dec	9.30am 10.00am 8.00pm	Morning prayer The Collett School Christmas Service Bellingring practice	StP StM StM
Fri 20 Dec			
Sat 21 Dec			
Sun 22 Dec	9.30am 11.15am 4.00pm	Sung Eucharist Holy Communion Carols by Candlelight	StM StP STM
Fourth Sunday of Advent			

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

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Payments:

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