



Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023  
All Saints' Sunday

## THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

[www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk](http://www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk)

### SERVICES

#### St Mary's

Sun 5 Nov 8.00am Holy Communion  
- traditional language  
9.30am Family Communion  
Wed 8 Nov 10.30am Holy Communion  
Sun 12 Nov 8.00am No Service  
9.30am Holy Communion

#### St Paul's

Sun 5 Nov 11.15am Morning Worship  
(non eucharistic)  
Thu 9 Nov 9.30am Morning Prayer  
Sun 12 Nov 11.15am Holy Communion

### St Mary's Readers and Intercessor

	Readers	Intercessor
Today	Jeff Wallis	Clergy

Next Week	Rosamund Russell Clare Darby	Emmeline Lambert
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#### 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](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7U_Q1B-URNJ06ToEZePyPg)

(*care with exact capitalisation*).

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

### PREACHING AND PRESIDING AT TODAY'S SERVICES

This morning we welcome:

St Mary's: 8.00am Revd Austin Janes  
9.30am Revd Austin Janes  
St Paul's: 11.15am Gordon & Rosina

### OLD TOWN MARKET

There will be a small number of stalls set out inside the church today in the South aisle. The setting-up will take place immediately after the 9.30am service.

## THANK YOU

Thank you to all who helped with the Halloween event in St Mary's church last Sunday, but especially to Rosamund, Mark, Emmeline and Sheila. It is good to get so many people into the church, reinforcing the idea that the church is a place for all to come. It takes a lot of hard work, but it is very worthwhile. *Norma P*

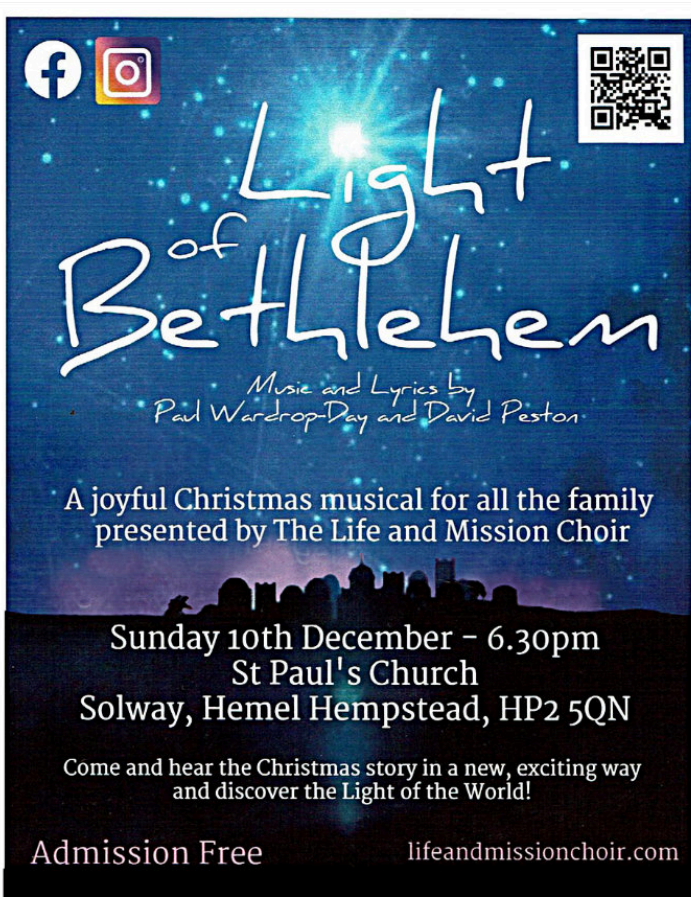
## SLEEP OUT FOR DENS



Step forward in Love and be a part of the action at the DENS Sleepout taking place at John F Kennedy School on Friday 24th November at 9pm, Morning Prayer will be held at St Marks following the event. Come together and brave a night under the stars to get a small glimpse of what life is like for rough sleepers during the harsh winter months, all funds raised will count towards helping those most vulnerable within our community. Please encourage anyone you might know to sign up.


[www.dens.org.uk/sleepout](http://www.dens.org.uk/sleepout) or call the fundraising team on 01442 800268.

## CANON JOHN'S ESL

During John's absence from the parish on study leave there is a cascade of responsibility to cover his usual duties. As a first point of contact, the Churchwardens will be in charge at each church, our own clergy and members of the Team will be taking the services and occasional offices. More details and contact numbers are displayed in the vestries.





# Light of Bethlehem

*Music and Lyrics by  
Paul Wardrop-Day and David Peston*

A joyful Christmas musical for all the family  
presented by The Life and Mission Choir

Sunday 10th December – 6.30pm  
St Paul's Church  
Solway, Hemel Hempstead, HP2 5QN

Come and hear the Christmas story in a new, exciting way  
and discover the Light of the World!

Admission Free [lifeandmissionchoir.com](http://lifeandmissionchoir.com)

## CHURCH AUTUMN CLEAN

We are planning to have an Autumn cleaning morning next Sunday Saturday 11th November, starting at 9.30am and finishing by 12.30 pm at the latest, with a coffee break of course! All welcome and the more the merrier!

## SOUTH PORCH

The work to tidy up the lime plaster in the South Porch started on Tuesday 17th October with the removal of the untidy old plaster. The plan now is to leave the walls bare for a few weeks to let them dry out, before replastering. It will look untidy, but 'it has to get worse to get better!'

## THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

'Protect every childhood' – young people's voices are at the heart of all the Children's Society does. They always listen to young peoples views to help them design a new service, more working one-on-one with a young person especially as they struggle with the pressure of the cost of living crisis.

Our donations help young teams to help youngsters to gain confidence, learn to lead and use their voices to change and inspire others as they gain employment and security.

Please can you bring me your collecting boxes or donations .

Last year we raised £432.90. Thank you.

*Sheila Barton*

## COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY CHURCH AT ST MARY'S

Ever since the 1970's we have had 6-8 teams of helpers willing to serve tea/coffee after the 9.30 Sunday service. It is an opportunity for us to chat, catch- up with refreshments. Much support has been given, new ideas discussed as well as a chance to question the service content.

Sadly we are losing a few teams this year so I would be grateful if you can think about joining us. It involves 2 people serving the refreshments once every 5-6 weeks. Please get in touch with me if you would like to help.

Thank you

*Sheila Barton*



**CHURCHES  
TOGETHER IN HEMEL HEMPSTEAD**

**TUESDAY 7th NOVEMBER 7.30PM**  
(doors open from 7pm)  
**AT ST BENEDICT'S CHURCH  
BENNETTS END**

It's not Christmas yet!  
But it is time for Churches to get ready.  
Come and swap ideas and resources  
and invite others to your events.



We hope there will be a stalls on the night  
for Christmas gifts and Church resources.  
Email [secretary@cthh.org.uk](mailto:secretary@cthh.org.uk) if you wish to have  
a table to sell resources.  
Bring your money for food and gifts.

## Services and Events Week Commencing 29 October 2023

Sun 05 Nov	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am	Holy Communion - traditional language Family Communion Morning Worship - non eucharistic	StM StM StP
All Saints Sunday			
Mon 06 Nov			
Tue 07 Nov	<i>Willibrord of York, Bishop, Apostle of Frisia, 739</i>		
Wed 08 Nov	10.30am	Communion Service - said	StM
<i>The Saints and Martyrs of England</i>			
Thu 09 Nov	9.30am 8.00pm	Morning Prayer Bellringing practice	StP StM
Fri 10 Nov	<i>Leo the Great, Bishop of Rome, Teacher of the Faith, 461</i>		
Sat 11 Nov	9.30am - 12pm	Autumn clean	StM
<i>Martin, Bishop of Tours, c.397</i>			
Sun 12 Nov	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am	Holy Communion - traditional language Holy Communion Holy Communion	StM StM StP
Remembrance Sunday			

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

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### Team Rector:

- The Revd Canon John Williams: On ESL

### Acting Team Rector

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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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