

Sunday 7 February 2021 2nd Sunday before Lent

THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

New Parish Web Site www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk

The Second Sunday before Lent

Today's service is zoomed from St Paul's.

Shrove Tuesday

Zoom pancake cooking and gin tasting (in aid of church funds) at 7pm. Please book a delivery of gin - if you would like a tasting sample delivered to your door - by email (teamrector@hotmail.com)

Ash Wednesday

17th February. Service with imposition of ashes at 7.30pm on zoom. If you have any old palm crosses to return, they can be posted through the office or Rectory door.

Lent and Holy Week (for adults)

There will be a series of talks/meditations followed by discussion and Compline on Tuesday evenings in Lent as well as on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Holy Week all at 7.30pm. These will all be held on zoom regardless of changes to the Covid restrictions.

Lent (for everyone)

Everyone can have a Lent package delivered to their door! This pack for children and adults alike will include 'Lent in a Bag' and 'Bake your Way through Holy Week' amongst other things. It is meant for everyone and our team of deliveroos will be out and about next week delivering. You do need to book your delivery, one pack per household, by letting us know that it's okay to deliver. Just like the Christmas service bookings send an email to pcc@stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk or message me via WhatsApp.

The WhatsApp Group

This is a great way to keep in touch. If you are not on it yet and have a mobile phone capable of supporting WhatsApp then send me your mobile number by email and I will add you to the crowd.



Note for joining Zoom meetings

If you are joining from here by clicking on the blue link you will not need the meeting ID or Passcode. You will only need these if you join direct from the Zoom app. You can verify the link is valid at any time by clicking anywhere on the blue link and you will get a window confirming the topic and time of the upcoming meeting.

9.30am Sunday Zoom Services

Topic: 9.30am Parish Worship Feb 7, 2021 09:30 AM

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/

89906327900?pwd=OUh3MlBPRlBVQlpHeDFDZk9sVklydz09

Meeting ID: 899 0632 7900

Passcode: 404969

Sunday after worship Zoom Socials

(Note: you won't be able to access these sessions until the service

has concluded which may be later than 10.30)

Topic: Sunday after church 'catch-up'

Feb 7, 2021 10:30 AM

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/

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Meeting ID: 831 3635 5630

Passcode: 705340

The Salisbury Bequest

Thanks to the acumen of various financial administrators, there is still a sizeable amount left in this fund. So far, it has paid for a number of excellent projects and building works, and it is now time to decide what to do with the remainder, always remembering Richard Salisbury's wish that it be spent on large projects that would otherwise unachievable, and which build up the Church (in both the physical and spiritual sense). We are now asking all parishioners to let us know their ideas and preferences on how the money should be spent. Please think and pray about this, discuss it with others, consult our MAP and then let Norma Podmore know what your recommendations would be before the end of January. A committee reflecting various interests will be formed to make the final decision. We won't please everybody, but we do want to make the best possible choice for the parish.

DENS Foodbank While there are no live services at either church, I am happy to come round to people's houses and collect from the doorstep anything you might want to donate to the foodbank. Just ring or text me on: 07763 932792 and I will fix a collection time.

The food bank would particularly welcome tinned potatoes, tinned ham and corned beef, tinned fruit, tinned fish, rice puddings, custard, long life fruit juices and hot chocolate.

Norma

100 Club The winning ticket drawn for February was No 59 Su Gambling

StoMP Magazine

The Winter edition of StoMP Magazine will be published before Easter. Our letters page will continue and we will be pleased to receive contributions for this or for a 'stand alone' article or perhaps a captioned photograp you would like to share. Please send your contribution to Gordon before the end of February.

gordon.gaddes@btinternet.com or phone him on 257920

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Bulletin deadline:

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