



Sunday 23 November
Christ the King

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THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

SERVICES

St Mary's

Sun 23 Nov	8.00am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Sung Eucharist
Wed 26 Nov	10.30am	Holy Communion
Sun 30 Nov	8.00am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	Sung Eucharist

St Paul's

Sun 23 Nov	11.15am	Holy Communion
Thu 27 Nov	9.30am	Morning Prayer
Sun 30 Nov	11.15am	Holy Communion

St Mary's Readers and Intercessor		
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Today	Lynne Sygrave	Rosamund Russell
Next Week	Emmeline Lambert	Emmeline Lambert

SATURDAY 6 DECEMBER

Pray Hemel (breakfast and morning prayer) at St Mary's 8-9.30am.

Then 10.30-12.30 Penny's Craft Morning at St Mary's supporting Cancer Research (more details below).

A MESSAGE FROM PENNY.

On Saturday December 6th I am raising money for Cancer Research by having a craft and coffee morning in St Mary's Church from 10am-12 noon (and following on from Pray Hemel). There will be a selection of crafts available suitable for all ages and abilities, plus a selection of delicious cakes! Thanks to everyone who has kindly offered to bake a cake for the event. If you prefer then do bring along your own craft to do. It will be a lovely way for us all to get together, give a donation and do some crafting whilst enjoying tea, coffee and cake. I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible on the day but if you can't be with us then you can donate via the link below:

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/penelopes-giving-page-10>

FINAL Bulletin!

This is Jeff's final Bulletin with a new slimmed down single notices and reading sheet being produced by John from the start of the new church year, Advent Sunday. Thanks to Jeff for his many years of faithfully producing these for us.

As the replacement will be half the size of this Bulletin please keep any notices very SHORT or they will be edited for you! Send any notices to the Rector's email address below by close of play on Wednesday. Late copy will not be able to be included.

If you think YOU might be able to write, produce and copy the sheet then let us know as keen volunteers are always welcome.

St Mary's Church, Old Town

CHRISTINGLE

Sunday 14th December 4.30pm



A SERVICE
WITH FUN
FOR ALL THE
FAMILY



In aid of
**The Children's
Society**

making childhood better

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THE PARISH OF STMARY AND ST PAUL
HEMEL HEMPSTEAD

2025 CHRISTMAS – SPECIAL SERVICES AND EVENTS

Sunday 30th November – Advent Sunday

6.30pm Deanery Churches Service of Light, St John's, Boxmoor

Saturday 13th December

10.30am-3pm Mayor's charity event, St Mary's, 'Write your letter to Father Christmas'

Sunday 14th December

11-3pm Old Town Christmas Market, St Mary's

4.30pm Christingle Service in aid of the Children's Society, St Mary's

6.30pm Carols by Candlelight, St Mary's

Sunday 21st December

4pm Service of 9 Lessons and Carols, St Paul's

CHRISTMAS EVE

4pm Crib Service, St Mary's

(children are encouraged to dress up as shepherds, sheep, wise people, Joseph, Mary etc)

*8pm 'Early bird' Midnight Mass, St Paul's

11.30pm Midnight Mass, St Mary's

CHRISTMAS DAY

*9.30am Family Mass, St Mary's

Notes *Services usually available on our YouTube channel

THE SECRET SUPPER CLUB

invites you to

Trattoria Santa Maria

Fri 12 Dec 7pm

Tickets £40

includes three course ITALIAN meal,
drink upon arrival ,
live music,
and secret cinema

**Strictly No Admittance
without a valid ticket and code**

For more information or to book tickets :
hotsecretssupperclub@gmail.com

UNIQUE DINING ENVIRONMENT

SECRET SUPPER CLUB.

Apologies that last month's proposed event had to be cancelled. The great food, live music and a mystery film choice, all in one night in St Mary's church will, however, go ahead on Friday 12th December.

Book via John or Joe. These monthly events are not primarily for our church family but you are encouraged to attend and support this initiative if possible.

THE 100 CLUB

The 100 club was drawn last week and the winner was number 26, Foluke Omoboya of St Paul's.

Services and Events Week Commencing 23 November 2025

Sun 23 Nov	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am	Holy Communion Sung Eucharist Holy Communion	StM StM StP
Christ the King			
Mon 24 Nov			
Tue 25 Nov			
Wed 26 Nov	10.30am	Holy Communion	StM
Thu 27 Nov	9.30am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer Bellingring Practice	StP StM
Fri 28 Nov	6 -10pm	Verso Vineyard	StM
Sat 29 Nov			
Sun 30 Nov	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am	Holy Communion Sung Eucharist Holy Communion	StM StM StP
Advent Sunday			
St Mary's Church is open to visitors each day from 10am - 5pm www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk			

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Bulletin deadline:

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Payments:

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

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