The Parish of St Mary & St Paul

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SERVICES

Sun 26 Nov 8.00am No Service

9.30am Holy Communion

Wed 29 Nov 10.30am Holy Communion

Sun 03 Dec 8.00am Holy Communion traditional language

9.30am Family Communion

St Paul's

Sun 26 Nov 11.15am Holy Communion

Thu 30 Nov 9.30am Morning Prayer

Sun 03 Dec 11.15am All God's Family Service

(non eucharistic)

St Mary's Readers and Intercessor				
Readers Intercessor		Intercessor		
Today	Jenny Leslie	Richard Leslie		
	Emmeline Lambert			
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Next Week	Philip Barber	Clergy
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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 (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: 9.30am The Revd Canon Richard Leslie St Paul's: 11.15am Revd Dr Luke Geoghegan

CANON JOHN'S RETURN FROM ESL

Canon John returns from his Extended Study Leave on Advent Sunday. He will be holding two Advent evenings, one at each church, during December. Dates to follow.

Please note: Rectory/John's email and phone details have changed so please see the Bulletin and notices from next weekend for up to date details. Old number and email no longer apply.

ADVENT

The pre Christmas season- starts NEXT SUNDAY.

Our Advent theme this year is the Holy Family as we concentrate on the well known Crib/Nativity scene but dig a little deeper to see what is behind the traditional picture. From Advent Sunday we will be making Nativity scenes to display in church and in our homes. Jesus - at the centre of the scene - is the reason for the season.

ADVENT SUNDAY

The Old Town Market is in St Mary's from 11am. Stall set up will be hard on the heels of the 9.30 service. Do visit and support our friends at the market.

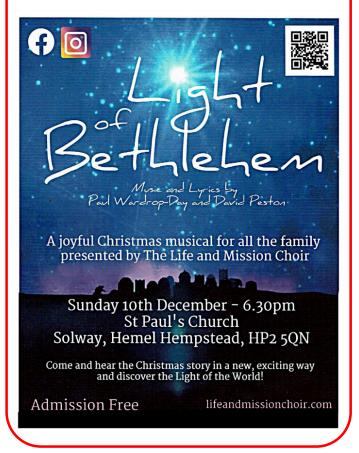
In the evening at 6.30pm at St John's Boxmoor everyone is invited to the Deanery Advent Service of Light. A lovely celebration and the traditional start to the Advent season.

ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SERVICES

The Advent and Christmas services flyer is now available, please take some to give out in the community.

NOT-TO-BE-MISSED CHRISTMAS MUSICAL AT ST PAUL'S

The Life and Mission Choir present their glorious and joyful Christmas musical, 'Light of Bethlehem' Written by their musical director, Paul Wardrop-Day alongside lyricist David Peston, this musical unwraps the Christmas story in a new way. Featuring a wealth of talent and a great band this is a Christmas show to bring all your friends along to. Don't miss out on what promises to be an entertaining and heartwarming evening.



DENS FOOD BANK HIGH NEEDS LIST

We have a good supply of many food, hygiene and household items, however there are some specific items that we are in need of. Please see our High Needs List for December below.

Food:

Tinned ham/corned beef Tinned fruit Long life milk Long life juice/squash Tinned potatoes Tinned vegetables Tinned sweetcorn Tinned fish
Christmas biscuits
Christmas selection packs
Custard
Nuts
Gravy (small)
Stuffing

Roasting trays (large) Men's toiletries gift sets Women's toiletries gift sets Deodorants

Kitchen and hygiene items:

Nappies sizes 6-8

Laundry liquid/tabs/ powder (small packs)

Services and Events Week Commencing 26 November 2023

Sun 26 Nov	8.00am 9.30am 11.15am	No service Holy Communion Holy Communion	StM StM StP	
Christ the King	g			
Mon 27 Nov				
Tue 28 Nov				
Wed 29 Nov	10.30am	Communion Service - said	StM	
DAY OF INTER	CESSION AND T	THANKSGIVING FOR THE MISSIONARY WORK OF THE CH	IURCH	
Thu	9.30am	Morning Prayer	StP	
30 Nov	8.00pm	Bellringing practice	StM	
Andrew the Apostle				
Fri 01 Dec	9.00am	Bell ringers	StM	
Sat 02 Dec	10.30	Craft Group	StM	
Sun	8.00am	Holy communion - traditional language	StM	
03 Dec	9.30am	Family Communion - preparing for Christmas	StM	
F:	11.15am	All God's Family Service - non eucharistic	StP	
First Sunday o	or Advent			

St Mary's Church is open for visitors every day from 10am - 5pm St Mary's Church www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk

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• The Revd Canon John Williams: On ESL

Acting Team Rector

 The Revd Pete Stevenson, Tel: 251897 rev_pete@onetel.com



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- St Mary's, Old Town: The Revd Canon Richard Leslie richardleslie63@gmail.com
- St Paul's, Solway: The Revd Dr Luke Geoghegan
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Bulletin deadline:

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Payments.

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