



Events for 175 Anniversary Celebrations 2025

Sat 4th Jan 7pm	New Year Supper and Quiz Night Launch of Start of search for recipes for the Village Cookbook
Sun 26th Jan 6.30pm	Choir perform excerpts from Mendelssohn's St Paul for Patronal festival
Sat 22nd Feb 9am – 9pm	Sponsored Anthem sing by choir – Fundraising for their tour later in the year 100 anthems over the whole day culminating with Zadok the Priest
Sat 22nd March 6.30pm	Choir concert French Music for Lent
Sat 19th April 10am – 1 pm	Church Youth Council are organising a Car wash at Parish Church
Sat 19th April 7pm	Quiz night at Church Centre
Sun 20th April Easter Sunday	Special Floral displays. Easter egg hunt after joint 10am service at Parish Church Readings and music for Passiontide and Easter
Mon 21st April	Plant Sale, Treasure hunt on the common and cream tea at the church centre
Sun 27th April 10am	CYC serve egg and bacon rolls before Joint service at Church Centre including unveiling of 175 Banner on outside of the Church Centre
Mon 5th May	Parish Walk
Sun 18th May 4pm	Confirmation service with the bishop at the Parish Church including the blessing of the embroidered banner made for the 175 celebrations.



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Sat 24th May	Launch of Summer Art exhibition.
Sat 24th May 6.30pm	Summer Choir concert at the Parish Church
Sat 7th June	Flower Festival
Sun 8th June Pentecost	Jazz Eucharist at 10am service followed by Teddy Bear drop from Church tower BBQ food available Flower Festival continues
Mon 23rd June	Pilgrimage to walk the Martyr's way London
Sat 28th June	Rusthall Village Fete – including stalls from St Paul's
Fri 4th July	Poetry evening at the church Centre
Sun 6th July	CYC serve egg and bacon rolls before 10 am Joint Service at Church Centre followed by Parish Picnic/BBQ with games on the common.
Sun 6th July 6.30pm	Hymns and Pimms at Parish Church
Sat 12th July 6.30pm	Choir tour music concert
Mon- Wed 4th - 6th Aug	Choir Camp
Thur – Sun 7th -10th Aug	Choir tour to Normandy
23/24/25/Aug	Bank Holiday weekend community Art show
Sat 13th Sep 6.30pm	Son et Lumière Choir concert with supper



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Sat 4th October	Harvest Lunch or Supper with entertainment
Sun 5th Oct 10am	Joint Harvest Festival service with historical pageant (Guides brownies and Rainbows) Special decoration of the church
Sun 12th Oct 6.30pm	Choral evensong followed by musical soiree and refreshments
Sat 15th Nov 10am – 2pm	Autumn Fayre at Church Centre
Sun 30th Nov 6.30pm	Choir – Music for Advent
Sat 13th Dec	Quiz night with 100 club mega draw
Sat 20th Dec	Decorating the church for Christmas. Christmas tree decorating competition for organisations and families
Sat 21st Dec 6.30pm	9 lessons and carols at the Parish Church

There will be a Thanksgiving Celebration for the parish but we are awaiting confirmation of the date. The weekend of this event will include an exhibition which will include service memorabilia and wedding dresses, flower displays and other historical artifacts celebrating 175 years of the Parish.