

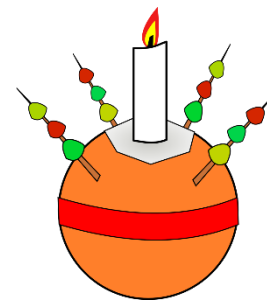
St Paul's Egham Hythe

St Paul's Church, Thorpe Road, Staines TW18 3HJ

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Sunday 5th December 2021

Second Sunday in Advent



Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds, that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and saviour, we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God.

This week at St Paul's

Sunday 5 th December 10am	10am Holy Communion (<i>streamed to Zoom and YouTube</i>) Readings Philippians 1: 3-11 , Luke 3: 1-6
3pm 	3pm Christingle service – a special ending to the Christmas Tree Festival.
Monday 10-12 and 2-4	Dismantling of Christmas Trees (<i>please note amended timings as we have an event in the evening. If you need to arrange to come at a different time please contact office</i>).
Wednesday 9.30 pm	Night Prayer on Zoom
Thursday 9.30am 10-11am 11am – 1pm 1pm – 2pm 2pm	Stepping Stones Small Service Stepping Stones Play Space Open Space Cornerstones Tea and Chat Cornerstones Communion
Saturday 9.30am 10am – 12 noon	Morning Prayer Open Space
Sunday 11 th 10am	Holy Communion (<i>streamed to Zoom and YouTube</i>)

Contact office@speh.org.uk for zoom joining codes or to sign up for news via email.

Visit our YouTube channel [St Paul's Egham Hythe](#) to catch up on Sunday services

For Prayer

- As we pray for the different parts of the parish this week we pray for those who live in Glebe Road, Goring Road, Harcourt Close, and Holbrook Meadows.
- We pray for those who are unwell or in need of our prayers including: Victoria, Edna, Les, Cliff, Sophie, Stamford, Trevor, Mabel, Mary, Gwen, Bob and Sue, David, Isabelle, Lesley and Margaret.
- We pray for the souls of those who have recently died and especially for Walter Kimber, and at their year's mind we remember Donald Dandridge, Susan Antill, Ann Cole and Lawrence Nelson.

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Christmas at St Pauls: Do join us to celebrate Christmas – here's what we've got planned.

Carols by Candlelight: Sunday 19th December - 6pm

Crib Services: Friday 24th December – 3pm and 4pm

Midnight Communion Service: Friday 24th December 11.30pm

Christmas Celebrations: Saturday 25th December 10am All Age

Sunday 26th December: 10am Zoom Service (*not in church*)

We've got lots of space in the building, are limiting capacity numbers and have covid secure measures in place including encouraging the use of face coverings. Please do not attend if you are feeling unwell and do keep an eye on the website and social media for any changes.

Angel Tree: We are supporting families in our local refuges run by Your Sanctuary. Please bring your gift tokens from a major supermarket or store to church by Sunday 12th December to enable Christmas distribution.

Eco Church Poster Competition: Congratulations to our winners: Neri, Annie, Rebecca, Zoe, Annabelle and Tommy. And thanks to Mark Adams of MRA Tax Services for donating the prizes. You can see the posters in church.

**Are you part of the story of St Paul's?
Like living stones we're being built into a
spiritual temple. Can you give to support
ministry today? Buy a virtual brick!**

Text BRICKS to 70460 to donate £20.

Or give via our JustGiving page or website.

Please pray that God will meet our needs in this challenging year.



<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/StPaulsLivingBricks>

Stepping-Stones for pre-school children: On Thursday 9th we have our final Stepping-Stones of the term with a Christmas themed Toddler Service at 9.30am in church, followed by Play Space also in church from 10am – 11am.

Cornerstones on Thursday Afternoons: Join us between 1 and 2pm on Thursday 9th for tea and chat, followed by a short Communion service at 2pm for those who'd like to stay. Please note that we will not be meeting on Thursdays 16th or 23rd.