



Sunday 24th October 2021
Last Sunday after Trinity

THE PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PAUL

New Parish Web Site www.stmaryandstpaulhemel.org.uk

Services

St Mary's

Sun 24 Oct 8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion
Tue 26 Oct 8.00am Holy Communion
Wed 27 Oct 10.30am Holy Communion
Sun 31 Oct 8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Holy Communion

St Paul's

Sun 24 Oct 9.30am Holy Communion
Sun 31 Oct 9.30am Holy
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	Readers	Intercessor
Today	Lynne Sygrave Rosamund Russell	Richard Leslie

Next Week 31 Oct	Jeff Wallis Norma Podmore	Norma Podmore
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Sunday Worship on Zoom

Topic: Sunday 9.30am Zoom Service

Time: This is a recurring meeting for every Sunday at 9.30am

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All Saints and All Souls

There is no Halloween event in the Old Town this year. All Saints Sunday will be celebrated at both churches next Sunday 31st October (when the clocks also change).

We will once again be having drop-in times at both churches for us to remember our departed loved ones during All Souls-tide. St Paul's will be open from 3-5pm on Sunday October 31st and St Mary's from 3-5pm on Sunday 7th November (subject to the Old Town Market).

During these times there will be a special opportunity for you to come into church, listen to some music and talk to the clergy if you so wish. You can also light a candle and post a prayer and have a few moments of quiet and remain undisturbed.

NEW stand-alone family services in both churches

Our new family friendly interactive services start at 11.30am on 7th November at St Paul's and 2pm on Sunday 14th November at St Mary's.

Refreshments, children's activities, reading and talk = cafe church & messy church combined!

Theme for November - 'Saints and Sinners'.

30 minutes max plus refreshment time.

All welcome.

PCC Away Day

After a lapse of 2 years because of Covid, the PCC is holding its annual 'Awayday' on Saturday 20th November to review our MAP and to draw up both shorter (one year) and longer (5 year) plans for the parish. The PCC are your representatives and it is important that you raise with them any ideas or issues you have that could be helpful in their deliberations. In particular, they would like to hear your views on how to distribute funds from the parish benevolent trusts, how to make our churches still more welcoming and central to the communities they serve, and the best ways to improve income streams to ensure that our churches continue to flourish and thrive.

Please share your thoughts with a member of the PCC today!

Autumn Clean

It is now around 18 months since we last had a good clean and polish fellowship in the Church, so please put Saturday morning 23rd October in you diary and come along if you can. We will probably start around 9.30am and finish at 12 noon. But please don't feel tied to those times. You will be appreciated whenever you arrive or leave. It is always fun and many hands make light work, so do come and join in.

Thanks

Robin

Come dine with us – latest update

In the context of the idea to raise £1000 or more in the next few weeks to support the PCC budget we were reminded of an initiative some years ago to raise money by offering afternoon teas or dinners in our homes with a suggested monetary donation.

Our next date will be Friday 26 November and there are only 2 places left! The evenings will go this way:

Aperitifs 6.30pm onward

3 course meal with wine, when it starts around 7.15/30pm

Melon and Parma Ham;

Chicken Provencal;

Fruit Salad, Berry Roulade and/or Cheeseboard

Coffees as required

We anticipate six at the table plus ourselves. Our suggested donation, all to St Mary & St Paul funds, is £25 per person which could be gift aided.

We hope you like this idea and would love you to join us. If so please give us a call or send a message. Our contact details are at the foot of this bulletin. Rosina & Gordon Gaddes

NB: Sheila Barton so liked the idea (how about you?) she is also proposing to host a dinner party, so look out for details of date(s) and menu shortly.

Rosina & Gordon Gaddes

Children's Society

2021 is the 140th anniversary of the Children's Society's founding by Sunday school teacher Edward Rudolf. His vision was to make children's lives better. We, as box holder's or donors, are helping to improve the lives of children & adolescents who feel scared, unloved and that they simply don't matter!

It's time to bring your collecting boxes or donations to me to send off to the Society. We had 16 box holders but sadly we have 3 donors from our church who have passed away this year. If anyone feels they would like to join our group I would be very happy to talk to you.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Forthcoming Funeral

Mary Younger

Tuesday November 2nd 11.30am in St Mary's Church

All welcome

Services and Events Week Commencing 24 October 2021

Sun 24 Oct	8.00am	Holy Communion	StM
	9.30am	Holy Communion	StM
	9.30am	Holy Communion	StP
20th Sunday after Trinity			
Mon 25 Oct			
Tue 26 Oct	8.00am	Communion Service	StM
<i>Alfred the Great, King of the West Saxons, Scholar, 899</i>			
Wed 27 Oct	10.30am	Communion Service	StM
Thur 28 Oct			
<i>Simon and Jude, Apostles</i>			
Fri 29 Oct			
<i>James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, Martyr in Uganda, 1885</i>			
Sat 30 Oct	3.15pm	Holy Baptism: Penny Estaugh	StM
Sun 31 Oct	8.00am	Holy Communion	StM
	9.30am	Holy Communion	StM
	9.30am	Holy Communion	StP
	3.00-5.00pm	Drop in quiet time for All Souls	StP
All Saints Day			

St Mary's Church is open for visitors every day from 10am - 5pm

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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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