

Sunday 25th November 2018
The Sunday Next Before Advent
Christ the King



We wish you a very warm welcome today to St Paul's Church, especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer, please introduce yourself to the minister or sidesmen.

Collect for the Week

God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory.
Amen.

8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) – The Vicar
The service begins on page 237. The readings begin on page 197.
The Affirmation of Faith is on page 240.

10.00 am Matins (BCP)
Minister: Tim Cripps, Preacher: Daphne Pilcher

10.00 am Family Service with Communion at the Church Centre
President: The Vicar, Link: Liz Goddard

Hymns: MP 397 King of glory, King of peace
 MP 790 You are the King of glory
 MP 162 From heaven you came
 MP 796 You shall go out with joy

Readings: Revelation 1.4b-8, John 18.33-37 (NIV 1233 & 1086)

6.30 pm Parish Eucharist (BCP)
Minister & Preacher: The Vicar

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

MONDAY 26th

- 9.00 am Morning Prayer at the Parish Church
- 8.00 pm PCC meeting in The Lodge

TUESDAY 27th

Parish Office closed

WEDNESDAY 28th

- 9.00 am Morning Prayer (CW) at the Church Centre

THURSDAY 29th *Day of Intercession and Prayer for the Missionary Work of the Church of England*

- 10.00 am Rota Meeting at the Church Centre
- 11.45 am Holy Communion at the Church Centre – The Vicar
- 11.30 for 12.30 Rusthall Lunch Club at the Church Centre

FRIDAY 30th *Andrew the Apostle*

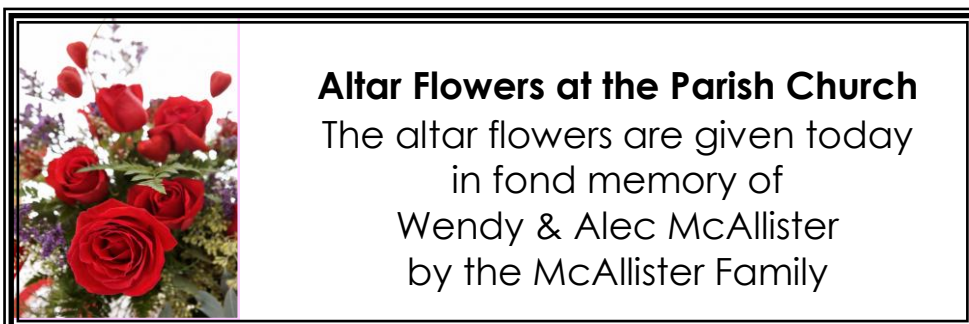
- 6.30 pm Junior Choir practice
- 7.30 pm Full Choir practice

SATURDAY 1st December

NEXT SUNDAY 2nd December

ADVENT SUNDAY

- 8.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) – The Vicar
- 10.00 am Parish Eucharist (CW) – The Vicar
- 10.00 am Family Service – Christingle – at the Church Centre-Daphne Pilcher
- 6.30 pm Readings and Music for Advent – The Vicar



NEWS and NOTES

Advent Fayre

An enormous thank you to everyone who helped at and attended the Fayre yesterday. A particular thank you to The Choir who were this year's organisers. We look forward to announcing the amount raised in notices this morning.

Mabel Smart

Mabel's funeral will be held at the Church Centre on Monday 10th December at 2 pm. The refreshments following the service will now be at the Spa Hotel.

Collections Last Sunday

The total raised for the Royal British Legion came to £908.09.

Nourish

There is now a collection box at the Parish Church. Please give generously to continue to support struggling local families.

FEGANS - Transforming Children's Mental Health

How the Church can be a part of the solution

Join us for an evening of inspirational talks and practical advice on how we can work together to understand and guide the next generation.

Spotting the signs - Knowing what to say - How to help

Monday 26th November 7.30 pm - 9.30 pm Christ Church, High Street, Tunbridge Wells. Please note a £5 donation on the evening would be gratefully received to help cover costs of the event. Speakers include Bishop Simon of Tonbridge. To book a place please visit: fegans.org.uk/event/generation

Parish Hall Official Re-Opening on 19th January at 3 pm

We hope to have a screen with a rolling picture show as part of this event. If you have any pictures depicting parish life, past or present, that could be used, please bring them to the Parish Office or give to one of the Wardens.



**This Sunday's altar flowers at The Church Centre are given
In remembrance of Roger Hyder**

2019 First Rota

The new Rota for January to April 2019 is now being drawn up. If you usually have duties please let Mione know when you are not available. Also if anyone would like to be added to the list of bible readers, intercessors or sidesmen please do get in touch.

mionepalmer@talktalk.net.

Christingle Service 2nd December

A reminder that next Sunday, 10.00 am. at the Church Centre there will be a Christingle Service where there will be the opportunity for the children to make their own Christingles.

Fair Trade Cafe – December 2018

A change of date – please note that the last Fairtrade Café for 2018 will be on Saturday 8th December from 10 am – 11.30 am. It will be held in the URC Hall, Manor Road, Rusthall. Do come and join your friends for coffee, tea and seasonal homemade cakes and mince pies. There will also be a well stocked Traidcraft stall selling fairly-traded goods plus a Fairtrade Raffle. Look out for the leaflet showing dates for 2019. For more details please contact Rosemary Romano on 01892 539005.

Pew Leaflet

If you have items for the Pew Leaflet, please send them to the Parish Office by Tuesday - office@stpaulsrusthall.org.uk

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