



SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY

Sunday 17th November 2024



READINGS

Isaiah 58: 1-11 **P698**

Matthew 18: 1-6, 10-14 **P18**

PARISH DIARY		
Saturday 16th	10.00am 7.30pm	Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network. Musical evening at St Francis Church. Fundraiser for Alabare.
Sunday 17th	9.30am 11.00am 3.00pm	Communion. St George's. Service of the Word. All Saints. Community Tea. Parish Hall.
Tuesday 19th	9.00am	Morning Prayer. All Saints.
Wednesday 20th	9.00am 10.00am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer. St George's. Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network. "Pause for Thought". Rose and Crown.
Saturday 23rd	10.00am	Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network.
Sunday 24th	8.00am 9.30am 11.00am	Said Communion. All Saints. Communion. St George's. Service of the Word. All Saints.

Please PRAY for:

- all Parish and Church Safeguarding officers who work hard to keep our churches safe. We also pray for the diocesan safeguarding team, that they would continue to feel your guidance in their work. We pray for all victims and survivors and all those who support them.
- peace between Russia and Ukraine and Palestine and Israel - those who have died, those who mourn, those who seek refuge. Wisdom for all who lead.
- St Bartholomew benefice, for those who worship and live there.
- everyone who worships and serves in the parishes of the Nadder Valley.
- Ecumenical chaplaincy.
- our readers, intercessors and organists.
- work towards sustainable energy.
- local farmers and the Livestock Market.
- those who live in Woodbury Yard and Lynwood Close.
- those who are sick, and all who care for them, especially Kath G, Simon W, Pam J, Anne B, Margaret R, Sharon S, Lizzie, Princess of Wales and King Charles III.
- those who have died.

Healthy Safeguarding Cultures Survey

The diocese is committed to maintaining safe, respectful, and supportive environments for all. Your feedback on our current culture and safeguarding practices is invaluable. Throughout November they are asking parishes within Salisbury Diocese to take part in an anonymous survey which should take approximately 5-10 minutes to complete. The purpose of the survey is to understand culture and identify areas of strength and areas for improvement.

We encourage as many people as possible to take part in it, from clergy to PCC members, congregation members and people who have experienced abuse. The survey will remain open until 30th November 2024.

[Salisbury Safeguarding Culture Survey](https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/3LUS6R/) <https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/3LUS6R/>

To help people complete the survey, you could print out the QR code so they can scan it on their phone to complete.



Archbishop Justin Welby

This week we have heard the sad and also correct decision that Archbishop Justin has taken to step down. Please pray for both him and his family. Please also pray for all survivors of abuse and that the Church authorities would continue to learn from past mistakes.

Please also remember the importance of continued safeguarding practices locally and Jacqui Brown as our valued parish safeguarding officer. Revd Becky

COMMUNITY TEA, Sunday 17th November 3.00 – 5.00pm in the Parish Hall, Lower Street

If you live alone or would enjoy time with others, do come along. There is no charge but donations are welcome! Do come and enjoy a happy afternoon and a splendid tea with friends old and new.

Southern Boundary Fence at the Hall The work on the new southern boundary fence was postponed last week and it is hoped the new fence will be installed this coming Tuesday (19th) instead. Parking only available to those using the hall.

Yellow Envelopes It has been decided that yellow envelopes will not be used going forward. Monetary Donations are automatically subject to Gift Aid. If you need a receipt use the 'Sum Up machine'.

DO YOU NEED CHRISTMAS CARDS? Grateful thanks to all the kind people who have given us cards to recycle and have already bought cards at our Card Sales. We were delighted to make nearly £600 profit from the Great Card Sale for the Sudan Medical Link. If you need more cards do please ring us on 01722 501200. Come and choose cards from us or we will gladly bring to your door. David & Katharine Callard.

SATURDAY 23rd NOVEMBER – HCN CHRISTMAS SHARING TABLE 10am – 12 noon Parish Hall If

you have Christmas 'stuff' you no longer need, then share with those who can make use of it. Decorations, lights, Christmas gifts, toys, wrapping paper, cards, jams, chutneys, plants and seeds – bring and share what you can spare, take what you need and leave what you don't. There will also be a raffle, and Coffee and Chat as usual. If you want anything collected, or want to drop things off in advance, contact Charles Woodd at harnhamcommunity@gmail.com, or on 07962 213494.



Salisbury District Scouts - Christmas Post The scouts are once again delivering Christmas Cards in the local area. Stamps are now available from both churches and Saturday Coffee and Chat. 40p a stamp. The last day for posting in the special collection boxes is **Wednesday 4th December**. (**Do not post in Royal Mail boxes**). Post boxes can be found in St George's and All Saints and other locations. For further information go to www.sswscouts.org.uk/christmas-post/

Gift Sunday – 1st December This year we will be collecting gift vouchers in units of £5 or £10 for the Women's Refuge during the united service at All Saints. If you are unable to make the service on that day you can leave vouchers at the Parish Office up to the 29th November.

Advent Compline During Advent we will be live-streaming Compline on YouTube each evening at 8.00pm, Monday to Saturday. Please feel free to join us on the Harnham Parish YouTube channel at 8.00pm, or watch the recording at a later time. If there are any specific prayers you would like us to include, please send a message to Matthew Stone (contact details in the magazine).

Advent talks will take place on Tuesdays 3rd, 10th and 17th at St George's at 8.00pm followed by Compline.

Compline Choir Frances Howard is putting together a small group of singers to strengthen the singing at Advent Compline. There will be a run through on Sunday 24th November, 4pm at St Georges. All are welcome to come along.

Advent banner making - for a new church banner in St George's will take place on Friday 29th November in the meeting room. We will begin at 10.00am. Please contact Revd Becky if you would like to help.

Pantomime One spare ticket for the Harnham churches group visit to the pantomime at Salisbury Playhouse on 12th December at 7.00pm. Contact Michael Turner by phone or text (text preferred) on 07982633323.

Revd Mike's last Sunday will be December 22nd. He will be leading a special 10.00am united communion service at St George's. If you would like to make a small donation as a farewell present please donate in an envelope marked 'Mike's leaving donation' through the parish office or in an envelope clearly marked and left with one of the wardens.

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Revd Becky will be away from her desk until 27th November. Please contact Revd Mike Badger for pastoral care. Linda Baker for hall and administration.