Christ the King Sunday 24th November 2024

READINGS Revelation 1: 4b-8 P242 John 18: 33-37 P110



Registered Charity No. 1193766

| PARISH DIARY | | |
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| Saturday 23 rd | 10.00am | Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network. |
| | | Christmas Sharing Table. Parish Hall. HC Network. |
| Sunday 24 th | Sunday 24 th 8.00am Said Communion. All Saints. | |
| - | 9.30am | Communion. St George's. |
| | 11.00am | Service of the Word. All Saints. |
| Tuesday 26 th | 9.00am | Morning Prayer. All Saints. |
| | 12 noon | MU Diocesan Communion service. Salisbury Cathedral. |
| | 1.30pm | Magazine Collation. Meeting Room |
| Wednesday 27 th | 9.00am | Morning Prayer. St George's. |
| | 10.00am | Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network. |
| | 7.30pm | "Pause for Thought". Rose and Crown. |
| Thursday 28 th | 2.30pm | MU Meeting. Parish Hall. |
| - | 7.00pm | PCC Meeting. Meeting Room |
| Saturday 30 th | 10.00am | Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room. H C Network. |
| Sunday 1 st Dec | 10.00am | United Communion Service. All Saints |
| Gift Sunday | | |

Please PRAY for:

- 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.
- the Anglican Church of South America.
- the people and parishes of the Chalke Valley.
- the churches healing ministry, Salisbury District Hospital and Salisbury Hospice.
- the Episcopal Churches in South Sudan and Sudan especially The Rt Revd Peter Marial Agok in Malek Rup, South Sudan.
- work towards sustainable energy.
- local farmers and the Livestock Market.
- those who live in Harnleigh Green and Willowcroft.
- 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 especially Margaret Gilbert.

Yellow Envelopes

It has been decided that yellow envelopes will not 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.

Carol Singing around the Parish

There will be a carol service at Harnham Croft on Sunday 1st December at 1.30pm. If anyone would like to come and sing please let Revd Mike know. We need ideally around 4 or 5 people. We will also be looking for singers for Brympton and Willowcroft, please check next week for dates and times.

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).

<u>Advent talks</u> 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, St Georges. All are welcome to come along.

<u>Advent banner making</u> - 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.

Angel Tree

Volunteers wanted to wrap Christmas presents for Angel Tree, a charity that sends present to prisoners' children. We will be doing this in the Meeting Room on Friday 6th December between 2 - 4pm. All welcome, bring your own scissors. Just turn up or email: lizgoater@hotmail.com. Angel Tree, in partnership with the charity Prison Fellowship supports prisoners by funding Christmas presents that are sent to their child or children. This is a charity supported by the Mothers Union whose members fundraise, purchase, wrap and post the presents.

<u>Revd Mike's last Sunday</u> 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.

| Vicar: | Revd Becky | 01722 333564 (Day off - Saturday) |
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| Assistant Priest: | Revd Julian | 01722 334272 (Day off - Saturday) |
| Assistant Curate: | Revd Mike | 07803 167889 (Day off - Saturday) |
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| Lift Coordinator: | Pat Clegg | 07450 217091 or Harnhamparishlifts24@gmail.com |

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.