# **WEEKLY NOTES**

# Third Sunday before Advent 7<sup>th</sup> November 2010

You are warmly invited to coffee in the church hall (just across the road) after the 9.30 service.

## **Sunday Prayer Cycle**

We pray today for the church and for the world, and especially for Christians living under persection; for the Chaplains to the Forces at Aldershot; in our parish, for the parish Social Committee; and for all those in Manor Drive and we also pray today for St Barnabas College in Lingfield.

## Collect and Post-communion Prayer (at 8 & 9.30am only)

Heavenly Father,
whose blessed Son was revealed
to destroy the works of the devil
and to make us the children of God
and heirs of eternal life:
grant that we, having this hope,
may purify ourselves even as he is pure;
that when he shall appear in power and great glory
we may be made like him
in his eternal and glorious kingdom;
where he is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.** 

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# **REGULAR SERVICES THIS WEEK**

IN CHURCH (all welcome at these services)	Morning Prayer	Holy Eucharist	Evening Prayer
Monday	-	-	-
Tuesday	9am	10am	5pm
Wednesday	9am	-	-
Thursday	9am	-	5pm

## **NEXT SUNDAY**

## 14<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion

one God. now and for ever.

Amen.

9.30am Sung Eucharist of Requiem.

10.30am Wreath-laying ceremony at the war memorial.

10.50am Act of Remembrance and Choral Mattins

No evening service

# **SUNDAY SERVICES**

#### 8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (Common Worship)

The service begins on page **167** of the black book.

Eucharistic Prayer B: page 188 with the proper preface on page 326.

We continue with the Lord's Prayer on page **178**.

#### 9.30am SUNG EUCHARIST (Common Worship)

We welcome as our visiting preacher Fr Howard Such, who is Warden of St Barnabas College, Lingfield, a residential community for retired clergy. We will be supporting St Barnabas College as part of our charity gift day on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November.

Choral Setting: Cascolini – Missa sine nomine

INTROIT HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 238

Gloria: Shaw - Folk Mass

First Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2.1-5, 13-17

**GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 480** 

The Holy Gospel: St Luke 20.27-38

Sermon: Fr Howard Such

**OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 432** 

Eucharistic Prayer: B with proper preface

And now we give you thanks that he is the King of glory, who overcomes the sting of death and opens the kingdom of heaven to all believers. He is seated at your right hand in glory and we believe that he will come to be our judge.

Anthem: If ye love me – Tallis

If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he will give you another Comforter, that he may bide with you for ever; e'en the Spirit of truth.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: NEH 339** 

Voluntary: Fugue and Caprice – Roberday [MA]

## 11.00am MATTINS AND HOLY BAPTISM (Common Worship)

A separate booklet is provided for this service. Please pray for those to be baptized: Jack Stephen DiPlacito, Henry James Fricker, Carrie Harris, Chloe Harris, and Matilda Iris Stockwell.

#### **5.30pm CHORAL EVENSONG** (Book of Common Prayer)

Introit: Te lucis ante terminum – Tallis

Responses: *Reading* (sung by the choir, page 18)

OFFICE HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 150 (TUNE ii)

Psalm 40 (page 297; please sit)

First Lesson: 1 Kings 3.1-15

Magnificat (stand): Murrill in E (page 19) Second Lesson (sit): Romans 8.31-39

Nunc Dimittis (stand): Murrill in E (page 20)

The service continues on page 20 as we say the Creed together.

The Collect for the 23rd Sunday after Trinity can be found on page 80.

Anthem (sit): Harwood – O how glorious

O how glorious is the kingdom, wherein all the saints rejoice with Christ; clothed in white robes they follow the Lamb, whithersoever he goeth.

Prayers of Intercession (kneel or sit)

HYMN: NEH 240

Blessing

Voluntary: Passacaglia in C minor {BVW582}— J S Bach

# **NOTICES**

Poppies are available at the back of church.



**Do you buy things on the internet?** Would you like some money to go to St Mary's without costing you a penny? Just go to <a href="http://www.stmarysewell.com/home/earn\_money.html">http://www.stmarysewell.com/home/earn\_money.html</a> and register. Includes John Lewis, M&S, Next, Argos, Staples, HMV, Ticketmaster, Amazon, Toys R Us, Staples and many more.

Speak to the Vicar if you'd like to sponsor a large-print New English Hymnal. £15 each.

**Together at Christmas.** Churches Together in Ewell are pleased to offer a full Christmas day dinner to local residents who would otherwise be on their own. To be held at St Paul's, Howell Hill. Full details on CTE noticeboard. Helpers are needed for lifts etc. Contact Sarah Stovell 0208 393 0786 by end of November.

**'A Rough Guide to Money'** is a course starting at Stoneleigh Baptist Church on 16<sup>th</sup> November. See the poster on the CTE noticeboard in church for more details.

**Would you like to be on the readers' rota?** This involves reading occasionally at Sunday services. Opportunities to practice available if needed, and readings are available beforehand. It would be very good to welcome new readers to this ministry— speak to Jonathan Gocher if you might be interested in reading some time in the New Year.

# THIS WEEK

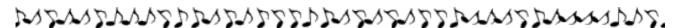
**Tuesday:** The Vicar looks forward to his lunch of ham and cheese toasted sandwich, tea and homemade cake all week. Why not join him at Café NESCOT, in the church hall, between twelve and two? Waiter service from NESCOT students, very reasonable prices.

**Tuesday evening:** The House Group will watch and discuss a DVD on the text 'Do you love me?' – John 21:5. All very welcome to attend, all very informal, lifts can be arranged. Contact Julian & Wendy Varney (8393 5212) or John & Sarah Stovell (8393 0786).

Wednesday: Coffee morning in the church hall, 10.30-12.



**Saturday: 7.30pm Organ Recital** by Charles Andrews, of St John's, Hyde Park with Bach, Brahms, Saint-Saens, and Cesar Franck. Tickets available now.



#### **FUTURE DATES**

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November: Charity Gift Day** in church 10am-12noon in aid of: Facing Africa; Combat Stress; College of St Barnabas; and Home Start. There will be stalls; cakes; preserves; bring and buy; raffles; children's games; café; with light piano music throughout. Donations to the stalls will be welcome. Free entry. Enquiries to John and Sarah Stovell. (Phone 0208 393 0786).

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November: There will be coffee served after the 8am service of Holy Communion. Everyone in the congregation that morning is invited to stay for a few minutes at the end for a cup of tea or coffee.

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> November: Introduction to Visiting. Introduction to Visiting: 3.30pm on Sunday 28th November in the church hall. A short talk from the Vicar about visiting, with time for questions. We hope to form a team of people willing to visit members of the congregation and others who are sick, shut in, or who would like some companionship. Please do come along even if you aren't interested in joining the team: all are very welcome. Tea and biscuits served.



Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the World, with the people of Ewell