
WEEKLY NOTES

Remembrance Sunday

14th November 2010

The 9.30am Eucharist today is shorter than usual, with no sermon, to leave time for preparations for the 10.30am wreath-laying and the 10.50am service. For the same reason, there will be no coffee after the 9.30 service.

Sunday Prayer Cycle

We pray today for the church and for the world, and especially for Christians living in places of warfare and conflict; for all who are taking part in services of Remembrance today across the diocese; for those from the parish who fell in the two World Wars; and for all who live in Meadow Walk.

Collect and Post-communion Prayer

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ
proclaimed the kingdom and restored the
broken to wholeness of life: look with
compassion on the anguish of the world,
and by your healing power make whole
both people and nations; through our
Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

REGULAR SERVICES THIS WEEK

IN CHURCH <i>(all welcome at these services)</i>	Morning Prayer	Holy Eucharist	Evening Prayer
Monday	9am	-	5pm
Tuesday	-	10am	-

No services after 10am Tuesday this week as the church is in use for recording purposes.

NEXT SUNDAY

21st November – CHRIST THE KING

8.00am Holy Communion (1662) followed by coffee in the Welcome Area

9.30am Sung Eucharist

11.00am Sung Eucharist (1662)

5.30pm Choral Evensong with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

SUNDAY SERVICES

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (*Common Worship*)

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

Eucharistic Prayer **C**: page **191** with the proper preface on page **326**.

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

9.30am SUNG EUCHARIST (*Common Worship*)

This Eucharist is offered to God especially for those from the parish who fell during the two World Wars of the twentieth century.

Mass Setting: Plainsong - Missa pro defunctis

INTROIT HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 417 (TUNE NEH 270)

No Gloria.

First Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3.6–13

GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 283

The Holy Gospel: St Luke 21.5–19

There is no sermon or creed at this service; intercessions follow the gospel.

OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 351

Eucharistic Prayer: **C** 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.

The Lord's prayer is said, not sung.

Anthem: Pie Jesu – *Fauré*

Pie Jesu Domine, dona eis requiem.
Kind Lord Jesus, grant them rest.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: NEH 112

10.30am Wreath-laying at the War Memorial

No order of service is required for this ceremony.

10.50am Act of Remembrance and Choral Mattins

A separate booklet is provided for this service.

There is no evening service today.

NOTICES

Envelopes are available in church today for donations to the Charity Gift Day on Saturday. Please take one away. If you are unable to attend, your donation may be brought to the Parish Office (see reduced opening times this week, below), or to church next Sunday.

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.

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—please speak to Jonathan Gocher ASAP if you might be interested in reading some time in the New Year.



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 http://www.stmarysewell.com/home/earn_money.html and register. Includes John Lewis, M&S, Next, Argos, Staples, HMV, Ticketmaster, Amazon, Toys R Us, Staples and many more.

THIS WEEK

The church and parish office will be closed from 10.30am on Tuesday until 9.30am on Friday morning. The church is being used to record piano music for a forthcoming CD by Philip Dyson. There will be **no access** to the church and parish office throughout this time. Emails, post, and phone messages will be answered as usual.

Tuesday means Café NESCOL. Between twelve and two lunch is served in the church hall. Waiter service from NESCOL students, very reasonable prices.

Tuesday evening: The House Group will watch and discuss a DVD on the text 'Holiness, not religious-ness' – Joshua 3:5. 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: Charity Gift Day in church 10am-12noon in aid of: Facing Africa; Combat Stress; College of St Barnabas; and Home Start. Envelopes for your donations are available in church today. There will also be stalls: cakes; preserves; bring and buy; raffles; children's games; café; with light piano music throughout. Enquiries to John and Sarah Stovell. (Phone 0208 393 0786).

FUTURE DATES

Next Sunday: 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.

Next Sunday: 5.30pm Choral Evensong will conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. It is a change to give thanks for the church year coming to an end, and to contemplate the gift of Holy Communion.

Saturday 27th November: Launch of St Mary's Cake Recipe Book in the church hall, 10-11.30am. Tea, and samples of the cakes in the book, will be served. Copies of the book will be on sale for £2.50, featuring recipes by many members of St Mary's (including the Vicar!)



Sunday 28th 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.

Tuesday 7th December: Candle Evening at A&E Longhurst funeral directors, Kingston Rd. Begins 6.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2010

SUNDAY 19 DECEMBER

5:30pm Nine Lessons and Carols. A choral celebration with traditional carols.

FRIDAY 24 – CHRISTMAS EVE

4:00pm The Arrival at Bethlehem. A crib service for all the family. The Christmas story is told and familiar carols are sung.

11:45pm Midnight Mass. Atmospheric service with favourite carols and Holy Communion. The choir will sing Christmas music and carols from 11:15pm.

SATURDAY 25 – CHRISTMAS DAY

8:30am Holy Communion. A simple said service.

10:00am Sung Eucharist. Festive service with carols and Holy Communion.

SUNDAY 26 DECEMBER – BOXING DAY

10:00am Sung Eucharist (*no other services today*)