

## THE PARISH OF ST MARY AND ST EANSWYTHE WITH ST SAVIOUR FOLKESTONE

Welcome! If you are new to the Church, please take one of our Welcome Packs from the table in the porch.

These are in black envelopes and contain information about our church and how to get involved. Please stay for coffee after the service and introduce yourself to the ministers or other worshippers.

Our Ministers are Fr John Walker, Fr John Tomlinson and Vicky Friedrich (Authorised Lay Minister).

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### SUNDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2023

#### Third Sunday before Advent REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

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#### 10.30 THE EUCHARIST

President: Fr John T

Preacher: Vicky Friedrich

#### HYMNS

*Our hymns today come from the New English Hymnal*

**Gathering:** 333 – All my hope on God is founded

**Gradual:** 417 – O God, our help in ages past

**Anthem:** Aston – So they gave their bodies

**Offertory:** 378 – Immortal love, for ever full

**Communion:** 272 – And now, O Father, mindful of the love

**Final:** 392 – Lead, kindly light

#### Please remember in your prayers:

THE SICK: Phil Bawden, Fr. Geoffrey Owen, Irene, Alan and Andrew Birch, Jean Anderson, Sheila Blundell, Shane, Robin Lawrence, Elizabeth Leatherdale and Mya, Sylvia and Vic Card.

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Doreen Boorn.

ANNIVERSARIES: David Barnes (Priest).

*Please let the Clergy or Churchwardens know if you are aware of any of our congregation who are sick or would welcome a pastoral visit.*

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#### **Parish Office**

This week we are operating a 'Virtual Office', the phone is checked so please leave a voicemail.

For all parish enquiries contact Rosie Mockett:

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Fr John's usual day off is Friday

## NOTICES

TODAY

**Third Sunday before Advent  
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

10.30 SUNG EUCHARIST with  
CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Wed 15 Nov

11.00 Lectio Divina & Silent Prayer

Thu 16 Nov

10.30 BCP Holy Communion

Next Sunday

**Second Sunday before Advent**

19 Nov

10.30 SUNG EUCHARIST

The Church is open for visitors from Tuesday to Saturday 11.00–13.00.

**Children's Church** meets today and don't forget we'll be stirring up Birthday Cakes for Jesus on Sunday 26th November - tell your friends!

**Fr John** is leading the Civic Remembrance Service today and then will be away on holiday until Saturday 25 November.

**Christmas Festival, Saturday 2 December** takes place in church from 10.30am - 3pm. Join us for mulled wine, mince pies, music, craft stalls and more!

**Advent Course details** are on a leaflet at the back of church with a new time of 7.30pm. Also there is a sign-up sheet - please add your name and join us at The Vicarage during December.

**Open the Book** is an exciting project from the Bible Society. We're setting up a team to go into St Mary's School and open the book for the children there. If you like reading aloud - then this might be for you! Find out more from Clare Tomlinson 07751 423796.

**PARISH TREASURER:** Pam Keeling will stand down as our Treasurer next April. We urgently need a church member to join our team as our new treasurer. Could that be you? You don't need finance training. Please come forward now, so Pam can show you her efficient online systems in good time.

**Shepway Food Bank** urgently needs coffee, tinned meat and tuna, juice, jam, tinned vegetables, cereal (not oats), long-life milk, biscuits/chocolate, cooking sauces, toiletries and washing pods. Please place in the orange bin at the back of the church.

**2023 CHURCH APPEALS** We continue to raise much needed funds for the installation of our new heating system which is due to start in November. Please continue to donate generously in the following ways:



1. Use the box or Donation Station by the door.
2. Make cheques payable to 'St Mary and St Eanswythe Parish Church'.
3. Scan this QR code with your phone and donate on our *Give A Little* page
4. Via the Donate button on our website.