

Services and events this week

This afternoon! - Advent Carol Service
4:00pm - 5:00pm

Thursday 4th December Holy Communion BCP
10:30am - 11:00am

Sunday 7th December Sung Eucharist
10:30am - 11:45am

Notices

Open Church - The Church is usually open for visiting and private prayer from Wednesday to Saturday 11.00-13.00.

Advent Carol Service - The advent carol service is this evening at 4pm - we hope to see you as we begin the journey through Advent.

Rotas! - The rotas are now up in the vestry and at the back of the church for readers, intercessors and services. If you've signed up to be any of these, please take a look when you have a moment. There's also a new (blank) rota for sidespeople and refreshments - If you can help, please put your name down, and if you'd like to help but don't know how, email the parish office!

Suggestion box - There's a suggestion box near the entrance to the church. Hymn you'd like the church to consider? Suggestion on how we could improve? Drop it in the box!

Rainbow Centre - Supplies are low again! If you would like to donate Marmite for the breakfast club at the Rainbow Centre, Catriona would be happy to receive it. Many thanks for your generosity..

Volunteers for Folkestone Churches Winter Shelter - As a church we hope to be able to prepare food every Monday for guests of the Winter Shelter, which is expected to run from around 1 December to 28 February. Would you be interested in helping with cooking, serving food, washing up, driving etc? Application forms are in the coffee area of church.

Support us financially

Use the cash box or Donation Station by the door. Use this QR code or the 'Donate' button on our website.

If you're in a position to set up a regular donation, do please speak to Fr Chris or one of the wardens.



E-Mailing List

Scan this QR code to subscribe to our Regular Mailing list (or sign up via the website):



A hearing loop is available. Please use the **T setting**.
Toilets are located through the choir vestry at the very far end of the church.

Do please ask for help or assistance during the service if you need it. The family corner with books and toys is at the front on the left-hand side.
You're warmly invited to stay for tea, coffee or squash and a friendly chat after the service.
If you need a gluten-free wafer, please let one of the Welcomers know.

Sunday 30th November 2025 Advent Sunday

10:30 The Parish Eucharist
President & Preacher: Fr Chris

Hymns

Introit: **5** Hark a herald voice is calling
Gradual: **366** God of mercy God of grace
Offertory: **11** O come O come Emmanuel
Communion: **16** Wake O wake
Final: **7** Hills of the north rejoice

Please remember in your prayers:

Sick: Phil Bawden, Fr. Geoffrey Owen, Sarah, Cathy, Andrew and Chloe, Ruth Simpson, Baby Esmie, Judy Cooper, Paul Fox

Year's Mind Anniversaries (RIP): Martin Moore

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.

Parish Team

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Treasurer: Jenny Coleman

Church Wardens: Tom Bertram and Andrew Plested.

Together with Fr John Tomlinson and Vicky Friedrich (Reader)