



# The Parish of St Mary Christ Church Hendon

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## Sunday 19 November 2017 2nd Sunday Before Advent

**W**ELCOME! If this is your first visit please make yourself known to the clergy and sidespersons. In addition to this pewsheet you will need a Eucharist booklet and a hymn book. A collection is taken at this service for the work and mission of this parish. Please complete the supplied Gift Aid envelope.

### TODAY'S SERVICES

#### 8am Holy Communion

Trinity 23  
Book of Common Prayer - page 194

#### 10am Sung Eucharist

*Today's readings start on page 384 of the Lectionary.*

**Entrance Hymn 339**  
First Reading Zephaniah 1.7 & 12 - 18  
*Ros Band*  
Second Reading I Thessalonians 5. 1 - 11  
*John Marshall*  
**Gradual Hymn 64**  
Gospel Matthew 25. 14 - 19  
Sermon Fr Gwyn Clement

Intercessions Florence Olowo

**Offertory Hymn 453**

*We invite everyone to come to the altar either to receive communion or a blessing.*

**Communion Hymn 307**

**Recessional Hymn 435**

*Please stay for refreshments after the service.*

## 6.30pm Choral Evensong

at St Mary's

Psalm 89. 19 - 37  
First Reading 1 Kings 1. 15 - 40  
*Richard Morgan*  
Second Reading Revelation 1. 4 - 18  
*Perin Martin*  
Sermon Fr. Damien Mason  
Hymns **369, 358, 148 Omit \* verses**

### *We offer our prayers . . .*

**For the elderly, infirm and those with ongoing illness and difficulty:** *Please see the Prayer Board*

**For those in hospital and those with acute illness:**  
Sandra White, Pat Johnston, Graham Cardoe,  
Pat Richards, Bob Hanley, Phillip Bailey,  
George McDonald, Eleanor Hughes, Graham Raven &  
Claudia Blackstone.

#### **For those ill at the present time:**

George Rudge, John Marshall, Winifred Odumosu,  
Eileen Johnson, Gwyn Edwards, Lynda Williams,  
John Baker, Grace Apee-Agyeman, Nigel Winston,  
Deborah James, Pauline Larkins, George Cassar,  
Brenda Robinson & Eileen Fisher.

**For the souls of those who have died recently:**  
Raymond Foster

#### **For those whose anniversary of death falls this week:**

19th Pam Emberton,  
21st Phyllis Vincent, Marjorie Ellis, Arthur Crossley,  
Lloyd Babet,  
22nd Ruth Baron,  
23rd Ellen Chute, Mary-Ann Woolf, John White  
24th Peter Awoonor-Renner, Alfred Martin,  
May Farrow &  
25th Stephen Crawford.

### *Daily Readings for Morning and Evening Prayer Monday 20 - Saturday 25 November 2017*

<b>Monday</b>	MP: Luke 18. 35 - end EP: I Maccabees 1. 10 - 15, 41 - 43, 54 - 57 & 62 - 64
<b>Tuesday</b>	MP: Luke 19. 1 - 10 EP: II Maccabees 6. 18- end
<b>Wednesday</b>	MP: Luke 19. 11 - 28 EP: II Maccabees 7. 1 & 20 - 31
<b>Thursday</b>	MP: Luke 19. 41 - 44 EP: I Maccabees 2. 15 - 29
<b>Friday</b>	MP: Luke 19. 45 - 48 EP: II Maccabees 4. 36 - 37 & 52 - 59
<b>Saturday</b>	MP: Luke 20. 27 - 40 EP: I Maccabees 6. 1 - 13. 15 - 29

# This Week's Diary

Thirty-Third week of Year 1

**Monday 20 November**  
*for Christian Studies course*

**St Edmund**

7pm Eucharist

Christ Church

**Tuesday 21 November**  
*for Musicians*

**Feria**

9am SMSJ School Eucharist  
3.30-5pm **Kids' Café**  
6.30pm Junior Choir Practice  
7.30pm Choir Practice

St Mary's  
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**Wednesday 22 November**  
*for the sick and needy*

**St Cecilia**

12 noon Eucharist  
7.30pm Bellringing practice

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**Thursday 23 November**  
*for the PCC*

**St Clement**

12.30pm Eucharist  
8pm PCC meeting

Christ Church  
Church House

**Friday 24 November**  
*for Our local community*

**Feria**

Clergy Rest Day

**Saturday 25 November**  
*for the Emergency Services*

**Our Lady  
On Saturday**



FLOODLIGHTING

*This week sponsored  
by: Ros White*

*In Memory of my  
Mother Zoe Lee'*

## Notices

### PCC Meeting

The PCC meeting is in Church House at 8pm this Thursday 23rd November.

### Parish Christmas Fayre

Will be at St Mary's on Saturday December 2nd from 11am - 3pm. Thank you to those who have been collecting and making items for the Fayre: Boxes are at the back of both churches for your continued contributions. Jennifer thanks all those who contributed glass jars but she now has enough. Please talk to Fr Damien or Helen Wilson if you would like to help on a stall.

### Please support our Bellringers

St Mary's Bellringers belong to the Middlesex County and London Diocesan Guild of Bellringers, who now run a summer school to train new ringers. They have applied for a community grant from the 'Aviva Community Fund', and need your help to get their project selected. After simple registration with Aviva please vote for the 'Second London Bellringing Summer School'. All the details are on-line here- <https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/17-4194>. Voting closes 21 Nov!

### A Quiet Day for Advent

"Being Prepared to Meet the Lord" 10am -3pm 25 Nov at Edgware Abbey. £7. Contact [info@edgwareabbey.com](mailto:info@edgwareabbey.com) to attend. All welcome.

### Tomb Restoration

Work on restoration of two Tombstones will commence in St Mary's Churchyard on Monday 20th November

### Dates for your Diary:

23rd November	PCC meeting	8pm	Church House
26th November	Christ the King	11.15am	Christ Church
	<i>Christ Church Patronal Festival - followed by Lunch</i>		
2nd December	Christmas Fayre	11am-3pm	St Mary's
3rd December	Advent Carol Service		
		6.30pm	St Mary's
10th December	Christingle	4pm	St Mary's
17th December	9 Lessons and Carols Service		
		6.30pm	St Mary's
19th December	<b>Kids' Café</b> 'Christmas Play'		St Mary's
24th December	Crib Service	5pm	St Mary's
	Midnight Mass	11.30pm	St Mary's

# NEXT SUNDAY

## SUNDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2017

# CHRIST THE KING

*for our parish, mission, and outreach*

8am **Holy Communion** at St Mary's

10am **Sung Eucharist** at St Mary's

11.15am **Sung Eucharist**

**Patronal Festival**

*Followed by Lunch* at Christ Church

6.30pm **Choral Evensong** at St Mary's

## ALL WELCOME!