# **NOTICES for SUNDAY 26th November**



**Songs for this Sunday:** How Great is our God; Lost in Wonder; King of Kings, Majesty; I stand amazed in the presence.

**Lectionary readings for this Sunday:** Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24; Psalm 95:1-7; Ephesians 1:15-end; Matthew 25:31-end.

**Collect for this Sunday:** God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. Amen

## Sunday 26 November – CHRIST THE KING - TODAY!

**3.00pm: CAFÉ CHURCH at St. Antony's** - a relaxed worship service.

## 3.00pm: Handbell Concert in the Large Hall

The Wandle Ringers are pleased to invite you to their Winter Concert at 3pm – a program of music with a winter flavour, followed by tea and cake. *Martin & Sandra Winter* 

### 'Place of Welcome' every WEDNESDAY at St. Antony's, 11am-3pm

**Pop in! No charge. Refreshments provided.** *Places of Welcome create spaces where people feel safe to connect, belong and contribute.* 

**COFFEE POT - Friday 1 December, 10am-12pm:** Coffee, tea, cakes, friendship in the All Saints' Church Halls. For more details call the Parish Office.

## CRAFT CLUB Christmas Social – Friday 1 December, 2pm – 4pm

A Christmas Social event - come & celebrate! We hope to see all the Crafty People for tea, coffee and mince pies at this last meeting of this year. There will not be a meeting in January as the halls will be used for the Pantomime. Our next meeting will be on Friday 2nd February. Please come along with any ideas for a project that we can work on collectively during next year as an alternative to the craft sale. Sue Chillman, Tel: 020 8657 7397.

## GRAHAM KENDRICK Concert - Saturday 2 December, 7.30pm

At St. Patrick's Church, Wallington, SM6 0RZ. Doors open 7pm. A time of celebration and worship organised by International Needs. Book tickets online at https://ineeds.org.uk/events/christmas-concert-with-graham-kendrick/

#### Sunday 3 December – First Sunday of Advent

9.30am Traditional Parish Eucharist with the choir & healing prayer

#### 3.00pm Advent Carol Service - Sunday 3 December,

3.00pm at All Saints Church. Come and celebrate the beginning of Advent.

#### Sunday 10 December, St. Antony's Carols by Candlelight, 3pm

3.00pm at St. Antony's Church. The pipe organ is back in action and will be played during this service. Come and enjoy!

#### **Decorating the church – volunteers needed on Friday 15 December**

The flower team will be decorating the church for Christmas on Friday 15 December. If you would like to help, please contact Lynne Davison 020 84071565 or email lynbriton@blueyonder.co.uk

#### **Christmas Day Lunch 2023**

Would you like an invitation to our Christmas lunch? Do you know someone who would like an invitation? Please leave their name, address and email (if available) in the Parish Office. All Saints' Halls, Onslow Gardens, Sanderstead CR2 9AB. 020 8657 0665, parish.office@sanderstead-parish.org.uk. *Any questions please contact Corrie or Dick Hibberd: corinna.hibberd@gmail.com or dick.hibberd@gmail.com, 020 8657 4562.* 

#### THE RED CHAIR

There is an empty **RED CHAIR** in the north aisle of our church. This has been placed by the Mothers' Union to serve as a visual symbol of the lives lost to gender-based violence. It highlights the project being run for the UN's 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-based Violence. Please do take time to read the information.

#### Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church':

If you ever have any concerns, contact one of our Parish Safeguarding Officers: Julie Marsh 8651 2109/ julie.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk or Katheryn Hewitt 8651 6308/ katheryn.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk.