

8.00am Morning Prayer
Sunday, 2nd December 2018
Advent Sunday
Sunday Welcome to St Edmund's Church

An induction loop and large-print service sheets are available today

Collect

Almighty God,
as your kingdom dawns,
turn us from the darkness of sin to the
light of holiness,
that we may be ready to meet you
in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.
Amen

Readings

Jeremiah 33: 14-16
1 Thessalonians 3: 9-end
Luke 21: 25-36

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Psalm of the Day Psalm 25:1-9

**In you, LORD my God,
I put my trust.**

**² I trust in you;
do not let me be put to shame,
nor let my enemies triumph over me.**

**³ No one who hopes in you
will ever be put to shame,
but shame will come on those
who are treacherous without cause.**

**⁴ Show me your ways, LORD,
teach me your paths.**

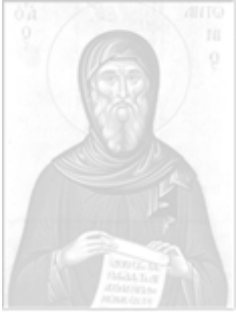
**⁵ Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my Saviour,
and my hope is in you all day long.**

**⁶ Remember, LORD, your great mercy and love,
for they are from of old.**

**⁷ Do not remember the sins of my youth
and my rebellious ways;
according to your love remember me,
for you, LORD, are good.**

**⁸ Good and upright is the LORD;
therefore he instructs sinners in his ways.**

**⁹ He guides the humble in what is right
and teaches them his way.**



10am Holy Communion

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Forthcoming Services at Both Churches

- 2ND DECEMBER** **8AM MORNING PRAYER**
ADVENT BREAKFAST
10AM HOLY COMMUNION
- 9TH DECEMBER** **8AM HOLY COMMUNION**
10AM MORNING WORSHIP
- 16TH DECEMBER** **8AM MORNING PRAYER**
10AM HOLY COMMUNION
3PM ST EDMUND'S CAROL SERVICE
5PM ST ANTONY'S CAROL SERVICE

17TH DECEMBER MONDAY 2PM HOLY COMMUNION FOLLOWED BY T4U

- 23RD DECEMBER** **8AM HOLY COMMUNION**
10AM HOLY COMMUNION AT ST ANTONY'S
4PM CHRISTINGLE AT ST EDMUNDS

25TH DECEMBER **10AM CHRISTMAS COMMUNION**

30TH DECEMBER **TEAM EUCHARIST 10AM AT ST EDMUND'S**

FOR OUR PRAYERS

IF THERE IS ANYONE FOR WHOM YOU WOULD LIKE US TO PRAY, PLEASE LET SUSAN KNOW, BUT MAKE CERTAIN YOU FIRST HAVE THEIR PERMISSION.

FROM ST EDMUND'S

NORAH, ZARA, LINDA SIMMONDS, KATHLEEN DAVIES, ALISTAIR WHITE, LINDA KING, ALISTAIR, Maureen Bellchambers. Daphne Butler.

FROM ST ANTONY'S

**We pray for Alan Smith, Alison Falconer, and Anita Wythe.
Sheila Bradstock**

URGENT APPEAL FROM PURLEY FOOD HUB: August was the busiest month ever and stocks are very low. As we move into autumn and the run up to Christmas, we urgently need extra donations of the following: long life whole milk, small bags of sugar, strawberry and

raspberry jam, tinned ready meals, tins of red kidney beans, jars of pasta sauce, packet soup, small packs of tea bags, tinned dessert fruit and rice pudding, packets of sweet biscuits and small bottles of squash. Non-food items especially needed are washing up liquid and non bio washing tablets/sachets. Waitrose supports the Purley Food Hub. For more details, go to <http://www.purleyfoodhub.net/index.php/news> The Contact person is Barbara Webster Dudley.

CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH. If you know anyone who would like an invitation to the Sanderstead Parish Christmas Day Lunch at All Saints Hall, or you yourself would like an invitation, please leave a name and address in the Parish Office. Lifts will be arranged if required. Lynne Davison

There is a new Thursday service of Holy Communion at All Saints which has been started so that the Church employees can worship together but anyone is more than welcome to attend. This service is on the first Thursday of the Month at 12.30pm
.Antony's Closed

The Head of Gresham School has again invited us to a musical event - rather like the one we enjoyed in the summer, but this time with Christmas carols and mince pies. It will be on Tuesday 18th December 2pm. There will be a sign-up Sheet at the back of the church so that we can get an idea of how many would like to attend. Please do come along and support our local school!