

### Please Pray...

**Give thanks for:** All our contacts with children and families through Toddlers, Jigsaw, Family Fun, baptisms, assemblies, Cubs, Brownies.

**For those in need:** All those coping with declining health, and the bereaved.

**For justice in the world:** Refugees; action on climate change; for our politicians & Brexit; and all those working for peace.

**For our Mission links:** Including Pastor Patrick and the House of Hope's work in Kenya for girls fleeing forced early marriage, and Chris & Alison Hawksbee building up the church in Paraguay. Please also pray for the Sugandh team who work in New Delhi with families and children living in the slums; pray for project leader Mrs Thangtei David.

**For our community:** Upper Selsdon Road & Wisborough Road

### Next Week: Sunday 1 December 1st Sunday of Advent

**8.30am: Holy Communion**  
**10.00am: Parish Eucharist**

*Isaiah 2:1-5*  
*[Romans 13:11-end]*  
*Matthew 24:36-44*

**3pm: Advent service**

### Please pray for:

**All Saints DCC:** Tues 26 Nov, 7.45pm in the Garden Room

**Monthly Prayer Meeting:** Sat 30 Nov, 9am, St Catherine's Aisle

**Baptismal Preparation Class:** Sat 30 Nov, 10.30am, St Catherine's Aisle

**Revd Susan's Licensing:** Thurs 12 Dec, 7.30pm at St. Mary's Church, Green St Green

## CHURCH NOTICES

**Message from Revd Susan:** Byron and I want to say a huge thank you to you all for such an amazing send off on 17 Nov. It was wonderful to see so many gathered from the parish and some friends return from further afield. Lunch was delicious and the speeches very touching. Thank you too for your huge generosity. The gift from All Saints will mean that no one will hear me grumbling that my old cassock has shrunk anymore! The John Lewis vouchers from St Antony's & St Edmund's will be put to good use in the new Vicarage too. We will miss you all but I will continue to hold you all in my prayers and you are very welcome to pop over to visit anytime. *Susan & Byron*

**36 toilet roll holders still needed** for the Christmas crafts. Box outside Parish Office. Thank you! *Annalie*

**PAT Annual Testing— bring your items to the Parish Office by 10am on Thurs 5 December.** They will be ready for collection from Friday 6th. *Paul*

**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS - we will be decorating the church for Christmas on Sat 7 December** from 9.30am. If anyone would like to help with this joyful task please let me know. My number is 020 8407 1565 or email at lynbriton@blueyonder.co.uk *Lynne*

**CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH AT ALL SAINTS' It's not too late to book in for Christmas Day lunch!!** For an invitation for you or a friend, contact the Parish Office. Helpers will be needed on the day for transporting guests to and from the meal— sign up list is in the Parish Office. We would love to hear from you as soon as possible - cathy@butler-family.co.uk / arnold@butler-family.co.uk *Cathy & Arnold*

## DATES

**Men's Group Illustrated Talk: Fri 29 Nov 7.30 pm** in Small Hall. Our very own Blue Badge guide, Andy Warde is coming to talk to us about Horses & Carriages in London (with drinks & nibbles). All welcome but for catering purposes please let Tony, David or Dick know if you would like to come.

**Monthly Church Prayer Meeting Sat 30 November 9am** in St. Catherine's Aisle. Come along. All are welcome.

**Cheese and Wine with the Bishops, Archdeacon and Dean during Advent at St. Mary's on the theme of "God with us", starting Mon 2 December 7.30pm** for 4 weeks. Booking essential, contact Father Grant Cohen 020 8657 1725.

**Christmas Family Fun Thurs 5 December 3.30-5pm in church** An afternoon of activities, Christmas crafts, singing, stories etc, for primary age children (play corner for little ones). Children must be accompanied by an adult. There are lots of flyers at the back of church—please consider inviting family, friends and neighbours. No charge. *Annalie*

**Free charity concert with the Salvation Army band on Fri 6 December at 7.30pm at Purley Baptist Church.** There will be a voluntary donation for CAP Croydon South, charity number: 1185016.

**Mission Shaped Ministry—a one-year part-time course** for anyone who wants to be more effective in mission. It is part of Fresh Expressions from the Diocese of Southwark, and is creative and reflective for individuals or small groups. The new dates for this course are **18 January— 7 November 2020** There are about 10 dates which includes a weekend away. For more details, *contact Rosanne.*

**Staff** Rosanne will be working Mon, Tues and Wed this week (not Thurs). Printing of notices and newsletter will therefore be on Wednesday.

**Holy Communion:** Regular communicants, including children, are welcome to receive the sacrament with us here. Gluten-free wafers are available on request.

**A children's area** for pre-school is available with toys and books on the far left in St Catherine's Aisle.

**JIGSAW** for school aged children meets for Bible stories during the 10am service.

**Pastoral Care:** If you'd like a chat with Canon Martin, call 8657 1366 or email [rector@sanderstead-parish.org.uk](mailto:rector@sanderstead-parish.org.uk)

**Prayer Chain:** To put a confidential message on the chain contact Sandra Groombridge— call 8668 7795 or email [sandragroombridge@aol.com](mailto:sandragroombridge@aol.com)

**Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church':** If you ever have any concerns, speak with one of the clergy or with Margaret Quiney 8657 4087 or Katheryn Hewitt 8657 6659, our Safeguarding Officers.

**Health & Safety:** Please ensure that you know the location of your nearest fire exit.

**Sermons at All Saints are often recorded**, so if you missed a Sunday or want to hear a message again, you can find sermons to listen to on our website- [www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks](http://www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks)

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**Psalm 46**

1 God is our refuge and strength,  
 an ever-present help in trouble.

**2 Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way  
 and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,**

3 though its waters roar and foam  
 and the mountains quake with their surging.

**4 There is a river whose streams make glad  
 the city of God,  
 the holy place where the Most High dwells.**

5 God is within her, she will not fall;  
 God will help her at break of day.

**6 Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall;  
 he lifts his voice, the earth melts.**

7 The Lord Almighty is with us;  
 the God of Jacob is our fortress.

**8 Come and see what the Lord has done,  
 the desolations he has brought on the earth.**

9 He makes wars cease to the ends of the earth.  
 He breaks the bow and shatters the spear;  
 he burns the shields with fire.

**10 He says, 'Be still, and know that I am God;  
 I will be exalted among the nations,  
 I will be exalted in the earth.'**

11 The Lord Almighty is with us;  
 the God of Jacob is our fortress.



**WELCOME**

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**TODAY**

**Sunday 24 November  
 Christ The King**

**8.30am: Holy Communion**

Jeremiah 23:1-6 (Bible page: 782)  
 Colossians 1:11-20 (Bible page: 1182)  
 Luke 23:33-43 (Bible page: 1060)

*Martin is taking the service at St. Edmund's  
 and St. Antony's today.*

**10.00am: Sanderstead Light**

**Collect for Christ the King Sunday**

Eternal Father,  
 whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne  
 of heaven  
 that he might rule over all things as Lord and  
 King,  
 keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in  
 the bond of peace,  
 and bring the whole created order to worship at  
 his feet,  
**Amen**