

Chichester Cathedral Event

Chichester Starlight Trail

Thursday 29 November, 4 - 8pm

Join us for an evening of creative star themed activities, including making a Christmas lantern to guide you between the three participating Starlight venues [Chichester Cathedral](#), [The Novium Museum](#) and [Pallant House Gallery](#).

At Chichester Cathedral there will be an opportunity to meet the [Star of Bethlehem](#) installation artist Jayson Haebich from 4pm-5.15pm and 6.15pm-8pm along with following a Star Trail in the Cathedral.

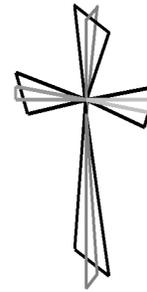
4pm – 8pm - Enjoy creative star themed activities. *Refreshments available to buy throughout the evening.*
5.30pm - 6.15pm Evensong – all are welcome to attend.

When you have visited all three venues you will be entered into a draw for a chance to win one of our exciting prizes!

All ages welcome. Join at any venue between 4pm – 8pm.
Tickets £3.

Tickets available online at [Chichester Box Office](#) or at each venue on the night.

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St. Elisabeth's Church and Centre for Community

Loving God, being his people

Welcome

The Sunday next before Advent: 25th November

Christ the King

9.30am	Holy Communion (Book of Common Worship)
11.00am	Sunday@11
4.00pm	Confirmation Service @ Westham
6.30pm	Evening Prayer

A special welcome to you if this is your first time with us, or you are 'just visiting.' You may like to know:

- ◆ Tea, coffee and squash is served from the kitchen between the 9.30am and 11.00am services. **For health and safety reasons, please keep the entrance from the main doors into the Church clear.** You may drink your tea/coffee in the Church but if you are not staying for the 11am service please do move out by 10.50am. There is also plenty of room to drink and chat 'under the dome'.
- ◆ There are separate children's activities during the Sunday@11 service.
- ◆ If you are a taxpayer, please would you gift-aid any financial contribution you may wish to make towards the work of this church at no extra cost to yourself. Special 'Gift Aid' envelopes can be found on the 'Welcome Table'.
- ◆ Please be encouraged to ask a member of the Prayer Ministry Team to pray with/for you or another, at the conclusion of our Services. Members of the Team wear a name-badge for easy identification.

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Items for Newsletter to Ruth Paine
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Worship

Hymns 14 498 524 103

Today's Gloria is the version on the front inside of the red service book

Motet *Blessed Word of God Incarnate (Pearsall)*

1st Reading **Revelations** 1:4-8 1225

2nd Reading **John** 18:33-37 1087

Collect for Today: *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; who alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen*

Details for the Service

Songs for the 11.00 Service will be on the screen.

DIARY DATES

Mon 26th Nov 7.00pm Working Party

Tue 27th Nov 7.30pm PCC

Wed 28th Nov 10.00am Holy Communion
7.00pm Compline

Next Sunday: Advent Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

9.30am Holy Communion (Book of Common Worship)

11.00am Sunday@11

St Elisabeth's Christmas Activities

Christmas Community Feast

Friday, 14th December 1-3pm

Full Christmas turkey meal with all the trimmings
50 places available, book with Mandy
£5 per head

Donations of carrots, sprouts, potatoes, crackers (the pulling kind, not the ones you put cheese on!) napkins, Christmas puds, custard etc would be greatly appreciated.

Also, volunteers to prep and serve the food

Any bookings or offers of help—email Mandy:
mandy.mulford@sainte.co.uk

Christmas Dates

Friday, 7th Dec

Christmas Quiz Night

Friday, 14th Dec

Community Christmas Feast

Sunday, 16th Dec

Dementia Friendly Service

22nd—24th Dec

Christmas Tree Festival

Saturday, 22nd Dec 10.30am Mince pies and Carols
on Albert Parade

Sunday, 23rd

SUNDAY@11
with Step by Step Nursery Nativity

Sunday, 23rd

6pm Carol Service

Monday, 24th

3pm Christingle Service

Monday, 24th

11.30pm Midnight Communion

Tuesday, 25th

10am Christmas Day Service

The World Day of Prayer

St Elisabeth's no longer has a representative for the (Women's) World Day of Prayer. The post was previously held by Diane Crook.

There are four meetings per year and a chance to work ecumenically with local Christians.

It would be good if we could be represented again, so if you feel this is for you please contact Ann Harris

Open Ears, the Hard of Hearing Christian Fellowship, <https://www.openears.org.uk> has places for **Spring Harvest Sat. 13th to 17th April**. Harrogate 2019.

Fully accessible using BSL, Loop, Speech to text. The group hotel is adjacent. To obtain an the lowest price please ring **O E Admin** on 07396236214 **asap**.

A note for the diary. Open Ears, Southern Conference, **Fri 11th – Sat 13th October 2019** is in Hurstpierpoint, Sussex. Details to follow later.

Christmas Fair, East Dean

Please come and support the East Dean Christmas Fair on Saturday 1 December - all in aid of the Church Mission Society.

It will take place at the East Dean Village Hall from 10am to 12.30pm.

There is an entrance fee of £3 which will include mince pies, refreshments, music and many stalls.

Birthdays this week

Wed, 28th Rita Allcorn
Thu, 29th Christina Thomas

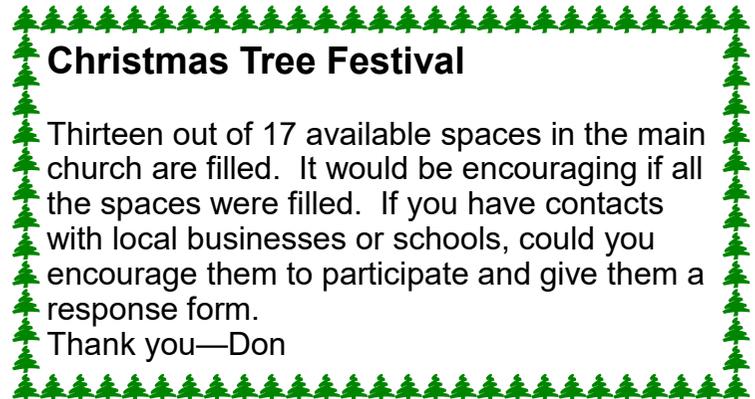
This afternoon (24th), 4pm, Paul Dallaway is being confirmed at the next Deanery confirmation service taking place at Westham Parish Church. Please do come and support him at that service!

Next Sunday is Advent Sunday and we have a tradition of bringing a gift for a child with less at Christmas which will be distributed through FSW. The gifts do not need to be wrapped, but they do need to be in good condition!

Christmas advertising will be available for next Sunday. It will be a busy but very good Christmas!

PCC is meeting on Tuesday, 7.30pm. Agendas have been emailed.

Our rescheduled training sessions for those who would like to know how the new sound system works alongside our audio visual system are on Fri 14th Dec, 7pm or Sat 15th at 5pm. We'll meet for 30 to 40 minutes. Please could you let David know if you intend to come or if you can't but want to know how the system works – it may be possible to add a further date.



Christmas Tree Festival

Thirteen out of 17 available spaces in the main church are filled. It would be encouraging if all the spaces were filled. If you have contacts with local businesses or schools, could you encourage them to participate and give them a response form.

Thank you—Don