

SUNDAY 15th NOVEMBER

9.30 Parish Eucharist (Mother Cate/Geoff Marchant)
Services live-streamed only.

2nd before Advent

MONDAY 16th NOVEMBER *Margaret, Queen of Scotland, Philanthropist, Reformer of the Church, 1093*

TUESDAY 17th NOVEMBER *Hugh, Bishop of Lincoln, 1200*

10.00am – Noon Church open for Individual Prayer
10.00am – 1.00pm Parish Office open
7.00pm – 8.00pm Church open for Individual Prayer

WEDNESDAY 18th NOVEMBER *Elizabeth of Hungary, Princess of Thuringia, Philanthropist, 1231*

THURSDAY 19th NOVEMBER *Hilda, Abbess of Whitby, 680*

FRIDAY 20th NOVEMBER *Edmund, King of the East Angles, Martyr, 870*

10.00am – Noon Church open for Individual Prayer
10.00am – 1.00pm Parish Office open

SATURDAY 21st NOVEMBER

SUNDAY 22nd NOVEMBER

9.30 Parish Eucharist (Canon John/John Wallace)
Services live-streamed only.

Christ the King

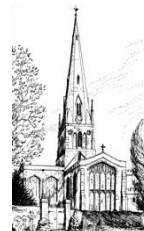
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Sunday 15th November 2020
Second Sunday before Advent

Public Worship Suspended

All Saints will be open for individual prayer:
Tuesdays: 10am – Noon & 7pm – 8pm
Fridays: 10am – Noon

Today's online services

9.30am Parish Eucharist (Mother Cate/Geoff Marchant)

Readings: RCL: Year A: Page: 384

Collect: Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord.

1 st Reading:	Zephaniah 1: 7
2 nd Reading:	1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11
Psalm:	90 vv. 1-8, 12
Gospel:	Matthew 25: 14-30
Preacher:	Geoff Marchant
Intercessions:	Mother Cate
Anthem:	I will sing with the Spirit - Rutter

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IN YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE REMEMBER

Sick: Marie Brooker, Ava Palmer, Kerry Sykes, Liz McGahey, Brenda Dell, Tony Webber, Jim Mifflin

RIP: Trevor French, John Lockwood, Margaret Prewett

Year's Mind: Michael Munford, Doris Mills, Winnie Rolls, Anthony Jordan, Ray Croxford, Eileen Sandifer, Edith Deeley, Jim Jury, Snowie Mead, Frederick Turner, Colin Treagus

In our Team: Pray for those who maintain the fabric of our churches

In the World: Pray for victims of war and violence

In the Diocese: Pray for churches in the Deanery of Dunstable

In the Wider Church: Pray for the Anglican Church of Tanzania

NOTICES:

A MESSAGE FROM MOTHER CATE

The days between the festival of All Saints and the start of Advent are kept in many churches as the Kingdom Season. It starts with the All Saints and All Souls, celebrating and remembering all the faithful and it culminates in the feast of Christ the King. It is a time when we reflect on the fact that when we talk about God's kingdom we are not looking for a geographical location but a way of being. As we keep this Kingdom season in our homes for the most part we should reflect that, even though we long to be together again, God's Kingdom has no boundaries. If we keep our eyes open we will see God at work around us and if we hold before God the struggles and challenges that this year has presented we may even find new ways to help that Kingdom break through into the here and now bringing God's light and love to a world in need. So please do keep looking after yourselves and each other and, as ever, let us know if there is anything that All Saints can do to help. We may not be in our building for a few weeks, but we remain God's people and nothing can separate us from the love of God.

ARE YOU AN AMAZON SHOPPER? Help us to raise funds for All Saints via AmazonSmile. We can receive 0.5% of the net purchase price for each transaction, at no extra cost to you. Next time you are shopping, please visit smileamazon by following this link and then shop as normal: <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1131221-0>.

HONEY AVAILABLE: The bee team can provide your Runny Honey, Soft Set Honey, Ginger Honey, and a variety of honey infused Marmalades: all at £3.50 for an 8oz jar. We also have a number of soothing hand creams and lip balms available. Made from beeswax and essential oils, they are a perfect tonic for frequently sanitised hands, or lips covered by masks!

Please contact Margaret Wallace either by phone 07983 989406, or by email: margaret.wallace3@icloud.com Payment should be made on collection/delivery as arranged with Margaret. Either a cheque payable to 'The Bee Team', or cash, placed in an envelope please.

GRAND DRAW: This was made on Saturday 7th November. First prize went to Julie Wyman, second prize to Roger Chapman and the third prize to Carole King. Congratulations to all three.

FUND RAISING: Unfortunately our Winter Warmer fundraiser was cancelled due to lockdown. If you are now staying at home more and not travelling, perhaps you would consider donating the equivalent of a tank of petrol to the church. You could send this via the office or direct to the church bank account: - Sort code 40 52 40 and account no 00019360 with the reference "petrol". This would be gratefully appreciated.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS: The arrangement next to the Memorial Stone is in memory of Harry Jones.



Loving God, you know us and all that we are facing.
We thank you that we can come to you as we are – with all our fears and concerns, our difficulties and challenges.
Please draw close to each of us and those we remember before you now.
Bring to us your peace and comfort.
And fill us with your Spirit that we may be bearers of your grace and hope to others.
As a country protect us, encourage us and keep us. In the name of your Son Jesus, we pray. Amen.