

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 28th November	9.30am	<i>Eucharist at Burnham Abbey</i> Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
	3.00pm	Meeting of Almshouse Trustees in the Birinus Room
Wednesday 29th	9.00am	Open the Book at Larchfield School
	10.00am	Eucharist with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
	7.30pm	Community Choir in the Church
	8.00pm	<i>Men of Boyne Hill meet at the Windsor Castle</i>
Thursday 30th	9.45am	Open the Book at All Saints School
	7.00pm	All Sorts in the Parish Centre
	8.00pm	Choir Practice
Friday 1st December	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre The Angel Brings Good News
	10.00am	Boyn Hill School Christingle Service in the Church
	12.30pm	Funeral of Patrick Smith
Sunday 3rd	Advent Sunday	
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant: Fr Jeremy Preacher: Fr John Chadwick
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist Celebrant: Fr Jeremy Preacher: Fr John Chadwick Crèche & Young Saints
	12 noon	Holy Baptism
	4.00pm	ROCK SHOP SING FOR JOY
	6.00pm	<i>Advent Ring Service at St Luke's</i>

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL Sunday 26th November 2017 CHRIST THE KING

You are very welcome to take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings, and to remind you of the events taking place. The Bible references are for the Bibles to be found at the back of Church, which you are welcome to use during the service

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect and Gospel as below
Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy Epistle: Ephesians 1: 15 — 23 (NT p 205)

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST WORSHIP FOR ALL
Service: *The Parish Eucharist for Christ the King* **Hymns:** *Celebration Hymnal*
Celebrant: *The Revd Dr Judith Thomas*

Prelude Kyrie, Gott Vater in Ewigkeit BWV 669 J S Bach

Opening Hymn 388 All for Jesus

COLLECT 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 is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.
Amen

Gradual Hymn

1. The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.

He makes me lie in pastures green.
He leads me by the still, still waters,
his goodness restores my soul.

And I will trust in you alone.

And I will trust in you alone,

*for your endless mercy follows me,
your goodness will lead me home.*

2. He guides my ways in righteousness,
and he anoints my head with oil,
and my cup, it overflows with joy,
I feast on his pure delights.

3. And though I walk the darkest path,
I will not fear the evil one,
for you are with me, and your rod and staff
are the comfort I need to know.

Stuart Townend (b. 1963) based on Psalm 23

GOSPEL Matthew 25: 31 – 46

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will

answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

Sermon Fr Jeremy

Response O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer
When I call, answer me.
O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer
Come and listen to me.

Offertory Hymn 508 I, the Lord of sea and sky

Communion Hymn 353 When I needed a neighbour

Closing Hymn 730 Christ triumphant ever-reigning

Postlude Kyrie, Gott heilige Geist BWV 671 J S Bach

Refreshments will be served at the back of Church
thanks to Sue Stannett & Rachel Juden

3.00pm DEAF CHURCH EUCHARIST AT THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD
SHEPHERD, COX GREEN

4.00pm CAROLS IN THE QUAD with the Salvation Army
Following the worship we will share mince pies, hot chocolate and mulled wine in the
Parish Centre.

Father Jeremy's Notes

Wednesday 29th November 8.00pm at the Windsor Castle
The next meeting of the Men of Boyne Hill

OTHER NEWS

SHOEBOX APPEAL Thank you to everyone who donated to the shoebox appeal and to all in Young Saints who helped organise it and wrap the boxes. We have collected enough for 85 boxes! Please remember the children who will receive our gifts in your prayers.
Jenny Wilks

Rock Shop Sing for Joy : 4.00pm Sunday 3rd December in the Church
Rock Shop invite the whole congregation, family and friends to join in singing seasonal hymns and carols - this promises to be a fun and sociable event, not to be missed. There will be percussion instruments for children to play. Refreshments will be provided. RSVP: christine@christinpiano.co.uk.

Mothers' Union – Wednesday 6th December at 2.30pm in the Parish Centre

Please note that this December meeting will be **one week earlier than usual**, to avoid any potential Christmas clash of dates! We shall be organising a suitable programme, so do please come and join in our festivities. We promise a warm and welcoming atmosphere!
Margaret Hill/Wendy Channon

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY & CHRISTINGLE

There will be a collection for the Children's Society at the Christingle Service on Sunday 10th December. (Suggested donations of £1). Helpers will be needed to make the Christingles between 10am and 11:30am on Saturday 9th December in the Parish centre. Please sign the list at the back of the church and add your contact details if you can help, even for a short time. New volunteers are always welcome (no previous experience required) and it is usually a fun morning. *Anne Clark*.

Nine Lessons and Carols 6.00pm Sunday 17th December

We shall have a significantly enlarged choir as we welcome the men and boys of Reading Minster to join forces with the augmented All Saints Church Choir. There will be a mix of carols sung by the choirs separately and combined as well as the usual range of congregational carols which will make for a wide range of musical colours and the power to raise the roof with festive praise.
Brian Graves

It is our tradition to offer mince pies and mulled wine after this service. If you are able to offer help please sign the list at the back of the church.

Let there be light

We are trying to improve the lighting in our beautiful church by switching to LED bulbs and need to purchase another 85 or so to complete the task. They cost around £2 each - £10 for a box of 5 - and last much longer than the ones we have been using, at half the present cost. If you would like to donate a box to the church for Christmas, please talk to *Chris or Mike Watts*.

Churches Together Christmas Lunch There is plenty of room at the Inn. Churches Together in Maidenhead invite local elderly or disabled people living alone to enjoy their Christmas Lunch in friendly surroundings. Guests are transported, served and looked after by local volunteers. If you know anyone who would like to attend, contact Keith keith.cartland@btinternet.com on 01628 636179 or 07765 505767

Appeal for volunteers for Maidenhead Street Angels Christ invites you through Maidenhead Street Angels to bring love and compassion to the streets of your town. Why not join us on a Saturday night for a taster session? We need more volunteers but particularly men from 18 - 80. Please try something new - you will not be alone. Matthew 28: 20 *And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.*
Contact: stangelsm@hotmail.co.uk