We welcome you and hope that you enjoy being with us today.

Today's Worship Mass of St Thomas

Processional Hymn: NEH 263* Readings: Is. 2:1-5/James 3:13-end

The Gospel: Luke 20:27-38 Gradual hymn: NEH 339

Anthem Since by man came death (Chorus

from Messiah), G. F. Handel Offertory hymn: NEH 333 Communion NEH 383*

Recessional Hymn: NEH 445

Organ Voluntary Music from the Royal Fireworks, George Frederic Handel (arranged for organ by Robert Gower)

Notices

Children's Society Christmas Cards

Cards are now available at the back of church.

Memorial Service for Ray Chadd 19th November @ 3pm.

I would be very grateful for some help serving teas, coffees and other drinks on the 19th and happy to remunerate any responsible teenagers who would like to take this on? Probably only for an hour or so after the actual service, i.e about 4pm to 5pm.

Thank you, Racheal.

New Heating System @ St James'

We are in the process of applying for a faculty for the new heating system as the old one has failed. St James will therefore be meeting at St Edmund's on Sunday mornings from the $20^{\rm th}$ Nov until the new heating system is installed. Thanks for your patience. Fr Grant.



Are you aged between 8 and 16? 'Chrome' youth club meet on the 1^{st} and 3^{rd} Sundays of the month 6pm - 7.30pm. We meet again 20^{th}

November when we will be going to Vue Cinema.

Christmas Concert @ St Edmunds' 10th December 5-7pm

Britain's biggest community Jazz band are coming to St Edmund's fresh from the Edinburgh fringe.

There will be music from the golden era of Big Band Jazz and swing, as well as Christmas favourites.

Tickets £7.50 to include refreshments. Children under 16 free. **Contact**

Office@stjamesriddlesdown.org

or call 07966412052

Tea at 3 @ St. Edmunds'

Tuesdays @ 3pm for a service of Holy Communion followed by refreshments.

Midweek Eucharist @ St Mary's

10am each Thursday followed by refreshments.

MAP Day Away - 12th November

Our mission Action planning day is for everyone to get together to talk about the mission of our churches, and how with our resources we can better serve Christ in our communities.

<u>Winchester Christmas Market</u> <u>26th November 9.30am departure from St M</u>

There are 10 spaces left on the coach. If you would like to go speak to Fr Grant **Price £23.00**

Craft & Chatter @ St Mary's

Join us as we knit, sew or embroider at St. Mary's on the 2nd Monday of each month @ 2:30pm *Refreshments provided.*

Next meeting: 14th November

Messy Church @ St Edmund's

Our next Messy Church will be Saturday 17th December at 11am. Details to follow...



Tree Festival Donations

We are now accepting donations for the Bottle Tombola and the Bric-a-Brac stalls. Please speak to the wardens for more info.

Volunteers needed for Tree Festival

If you can assist with the set up, prior to and clean up after the tree festival please speak to Aleen who is putting together a rota.

This week's Psalm 20

- ¹ May the Lord answer you when you are in distress; may the name of the God of Jacob protect you.
- ² May he send you help from the sanctuary and grant you support from Zion.
- ³ May he remember all your sacrifices and accept your burnt offerings.
- ⁴ May he give you the desire of your heart and make all your plans succeed.
- ⁵ May we shout for joy over your victory and lift up our banners in the name of our God. May the Lord grant all your requests.
- ⁶ Now this I know: The Lord gives victory to his anointed. He answers him from his heavenly sanctuary with the victorious power of his right hand.
- ⁷ Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God.
- ⁸ They are brought to their knees and fall, but we rise up and stand firm.
- ⁹ Lord, give victory to the king! Answer us when we call.

This week

Monday 7th November

10am Toddler group @ St James

Tuesday

3pm Eucharist @ St Edmund's

8pm St Mary's PCC

Wednesday

8pm PCC St James'

Thursday

10am Eucharist @ St Mary's

Friday

7:10-7:30pm Voice for Life

7:30-8pm Younger-member Choir Practice

8-9pm Full Choir Practice

Saturday

Mission Action planning Day @ ST Mary's

Next Sunday 13th November Remembrance Sunday

9:45am Parish Eucharist with Act of Remembrance @ St Mary's 11:15am Parish Eucharist with Act of Remembrance @ St Mary's @ St James' 3pm Remembrance service @ St Edmund's

We pray for those who are unwell

Gloria Thomas, Margaret Brooker, Kim Brown, Alison Brewster, Gill Garside. John O Leary, Brian Barton, Virginia Parrot, Jimmy Allotey.



Prayer for healing will be available every 2nd Sunday @ St Mary's in St John's chapel following reception of Holy Communion.

We remember those who have recently died

Ray Chadd Audrey Passerelli

Looking ahead

See notice sheet for more details

14th Nov Craft & Chatter 20th Nov Chrome at Cinema

22nd Nov MU Eucharist @ St James' 26th Nov Coach trip to Winchester 27th Nov Advent Carol Service @ St M

28th Nov 1st Advent Cheese and Wine Talk with

Bishop Christopher Chessun

3rd Dec Christmas Tree Festival @ St M
10th Dec Christmas Jazz Concert @ St ED's
16th Dec Carol service @ St Edmund's
17th Dec Messy Church @ St Edmund's
18th Dec Carol service @ St Mary's

24th Dec Christingle @ St Mary's Midnight Mass @ St Mary's

Crib service @ St Edmund's

25th Dec 10am Eucharist @ St Mary's

10am Eucharist @ St Edmund's

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St Mary's Sanderstead with St James' & St Edmunds' Riddlesdown

6th November 2022 3rd Sunday before Advent

9:45am Parish Eucharist @ St Mary's

President: Fr Grant Cohen Preacher: Fr David Butlin

11:15am Parish Eucharist @ St James' *President & Preacher: Fr Martin Freeman*

Collect

Heavenly Father,

whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**