



St Mary's Sanderstead *with* St James' & St Edmund's Riddlesdown

5th November 2023

All Saints Day

9:45am Parish Eucharist @ St Mary's

11:15am Parish Eucharist @ St James'

President & Preacher: Fr Grant Cohen

6pm Chrome

Choir Introit – For all the Saints (*St Mary's*)

Processional Hymn: NEH 197 / ST J NEH 478

Readings: Revelation 7:9-end / Romans 8:26-30

Gradual hymn: NEH 331 / St J NEH 396

Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

Offertory hymn: SP 259 / St J NEH 197

Anthem: God so loved the world, *Stainer*

Recessional Hymn: NEH 120 / St J NEH 231

Voluntary: Prelude and Fugue no.1, *Bach*

Today's Psalm: 13 (*We respond with the words in bold print*)

¹ How long, Lord? Will you forget me forever? How long will you hide your face from me?

² **How long must I wrestle with my thoughts and day after day have sorrow in my heart? How long will my enemy triumph over me?**

³ Look on me and answer, Lord my God. Give light to my eyes, or I will sleep in death,

⁴ **and my enemy will say, "I have overcome him," and my foes will rejoice when I fall.**

⁵ But I trust in your unfailing love, my heart rejoices in your salvation.

⁶ **I will sing the Lord's praise, for he has been good to me.**

Praise the Lord!!!!

The faculty for St James new heating has finally been granted. Work will commence as soon as possible.

Children's Society Christmas Cards

Christmas cards are now on sale at St Mary's after the morning service.

Giving at St Mary's

Further to last week's insight into St Mary's 2023/24 finances and anticipated £28,000 deficit, please would you hand in your updated promised giving form to Michael Goddard or one of the churchwardens. Thank you.

Morning Prayer on Zoom

If you are not on the church mailing list and would like to receive the daily link for Morning Prayer, then please speak to the Churchwardens.

Christmas Tree Festival

The Tree Festival brings so many people through our doors and this year's festival is happening over 2 days and so we need plenty of volunteers to assist with various duties. There will shortly be a noticeboard at the back of church with lists. Please consider putting your name down for something. Please speak to Anne or Aleen, or Fiona for more details.

Bottle Tombola

Please bring in your unwanted (but unopened) bottles for the very popular tree festival bottle tombola. There is a box at the back of church.

Christingle Chocolate

There is also a box at the back of church for your donations of boxes of chocolates for the Christingle service which is our largest service of the year. Thank-you!

The Bridge Copies of the latest bridge are available at the back of church. You can also access it online via the link:

<https://southwark.anglican.org/thebridge>

Midweek Eucharist @ St. Edmund's

3pm Every Tuesday followed by refreshments.

Midweek Eucharist @ St Mary's

10am Every Thursday followed by refreshments.

Craft & Chatter @ St Mary's

Join us as we knit, sew or embroider at 2.30pm on the 2nd Monday of each month. *Refreshments provided. Next Meeting – November 13th*



Ronnie's Autumn Fundraising

For a suggested donation of £5, I will wash your car. I have the equipment, so all you need to supply is the water. Ideally via a hose, but if you don't have one, I'll need access to a sink to fill my buckets. Or if you prefer, park on my driveway in Selsdon and I'll use my dad's jet wash! Tuesday –Thursday after 4pm, all day Saturday and after 2.30pm Sunday. Please email: bradshaw.joanne@sky.com to book me.

Coffee Morning at St James'

Saturday 11th November 10.30am -12pm

Next Sunday 12th November

Remembrance Sunday

9:45am Parish Eucharist @ St Mary's

11:15am Parish Eucharist @ St James'

6:30pm Celtic Eucharist

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Parish Administrator: Mr Paul Shipley Mon-Fri 2-5pm. Tel. 020 8657 9232

We pray for those who are unwell

Margaret Farrel, Mark Moulding, Robert Radley, Rose Burtwell, Kim Brown, Alison Brewster, John O Leary, Brian Barton, Margaret Walker, Trish Dilley

We remember those who have died

Mike Willey, Barry Woods, Sandra Groombridge

This week

Tuesday

9:30am Morning Prayer on Zoom

3pm Eucharist @ St Edmunds

Wednesday

9:30am Morning Prayer on Zoom

Thursday

10am Eucharist @ St Mary's

Friday

7:10-7:30pm Voice for Life

7:30-8pm Younger-member Choir

8-9pm Full Choir

Looking ahead

1-2nd December

St Mary's Christmas Tree Festival

3rd December

6:30pm Advent Carol Service @ St M

4th December

7pm Advent Cheese and Wine 1

9th December

Art Exhibition @ St Edmund's

14th December

6:30pm Nine Lessons & Carols @ St J

17th December

6:30pm Nine Lessons & Carols @ St M