

St Mary's News: Sunday 22 November 2020

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Parish website : www.stmaryshadlow.org.uk Find us on Facebook: St Mary's Hadlow

Today

Christ the King

10am Holy Communion via

Zoom

11.3am Zoom Coffee

Readings:

Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24

Matthew 25: 31-end



The Collect for Christ the King

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

Next week

Advent Sunday

10am Holy Communion via

Zoom

11.3am Zoom Coffee

Readings:

Isaiah 64:1-9

Mark 13:24-end



Prayers for the Week

We pray today for all who live in
Tonbridge Road and Ashes Lane.

**At the anniversary of his
death this week we pray for**

Freddie Shaw

**And from our Book of
Remembrance we pray for**

Bill Gilpin (22nd)

Patricia Hoare (22nd)

George Smith (28th)

Henry Philip Young (28th)

Zoom Coffee

All are welcome to join Coffee and Chat via Zoom at 11.30am after the Sunday service.



This Week at a glance

Monday

9am Morning Prayer (F)

6pm Compline (F)

Tuesday

9am Morning Prayer (F)

5.30pm Evening Prayer (F)

Wednesday

9.30 Holy Communion (BCP) (F)

10.30 Church open for private prayer and food bank

6pm Compline (F)

Thursday

9. am Morning Prayer (F)

5.30pm Evening Prayer (F)

Friday

Saturday

1.30pm Wedding: Benjamin Mortimer and Samantha Reed

F = services via Facebook

Zoom link

If you would like to join the Zoom services and are not yet on Rev'd Paul's mailing list, please contact him or Janice.

Zoom Coffee

Don't forget that while we are in 'lockdown' we are meeting at 11.30am after 10am the service for a virtual coffee and chat. This is via Zoom; you can use the same link as for the service. If you do not have the Zoom link for the service and coffee, please contact Rev'd Paul.

Wanted: more volunteers for Intercessions

Thank you to those who have recently volunteered to take part in this important part of our worship. We are just about to draw up a new rota and would welcome a few more to join it – or just give it a try. Guidance will be given. For more information please contact Paul or Janice.

Hospital Car Service

If you need transport to a hospital or other medical appointment, please contact Mike Harvey on 01732 851881.



CD of Organ Music by Antony le Fleming is now available!

Featuring pieces by Bach, Elgar, Parry, Wesley, Bridge, Howells, Mendelssohn, Lefebure-Wely and le Fleming. The CD costs £10 and is available from Antony: antle Fleming@gmail.com.

Alternatively, we have some available in church and you could buy one when services in St Mary's resume or, in the meantime, contact Janice who could deliver to your door if you live in Hadlow.

Hadlow Advent Windows

We now have all 24 windows signed up for our village "Advent Calendar". Each window will be decorated with a scene on a Christmas theme. On each day a



new window will be revealed – just like an Advent calendar, culminating on the 24th. Remember to look out for the



windows as they appear one by one around Hadlow in December. There will be a trail to follow. More information to come.



St Mary's Hadlow Foodbank.

Life is tough at the moment and, for some people, it could well get tougher in the coming weeks and months. If you know of anyone in need of some extra food support for any reason, please remember that St Mary's runs an emergency food bank. Anyone who needs help may come to the church on Wednesdays between 10.30am and 12.30pm (no appointment needed) or call Rev'd Paul on 01732 850238. For those who have children in Hadlow Primary School, food help can also be obtained by contacting Sharon Vanns at the school.

In the lead-up to Christmas, we would welcome donations of any seasonal/luxury items that could be shared among all the family.

Virtual Café Plus

Knitting Update - So far, we've got wool, knitting needles and some patterns in the church (to the right of the doors to the north porch lobby). Do help yourselves. Please ring Pippa on 01732 503725 for more wool etc.



Reflection

In Your Name

(based on Matthew 25: 31-end)

May we honour your name
not by paying it lip service, Lord
Jesus,
but by trusting the vision it
speaks of
and the way it calls for.

May we honour it by following
you
speaking into the word with our
actions
and showing who we're chosen
to follow.

May we love in your name
speak in your name
care in your name

May we be willing to touch the
outcast
feed the hungry
remember the sick
visit the imprisoned
clothe the naked
give water to the thirsty
in your name.



Who's who at St Mary's?

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PCC Members, any of whom can be approached for help or information:

Reverend Paul White; Michael
Payne & John Speed; Martin
Massy; Val Newell (Deanery
Synod rep.); Melissa Crawsham-
Williams; Kirsty Finch; Jenny
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Janice Massy; Julia Miles; Steve
Newell; Katerina Nixon; Lisa
Porritt; and other members.

PCC Secretary:

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*Minutes of PCC meetings are on the
notice board and on St Mary's
website.*