



# 17<sup>th</sup> November

## Second Sunday before Advent

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### 8am Holy Communion (BCP)

Presiding: Peter Vickers  
Preaching: Mike Branscombe  
Intercessor: Clergy  
Reader: Jenny Vickers

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### 10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Peter Vickers  
Preaching: Mike Branscombe  
Intercessor: David Tipping  
Readers: Margaret Branscombe  
and Michael Elson

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### 6pm Evensong

@ St Mary's  
Preaching: Godfrey Hilliard

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### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:  
Moni Babatunde



### Informal Prayer Meeting

Monday @ 8pm

Pastoral Room

## Welcome to St Andrew's!

If this is the first time you are joining us please do introduce yourself to one of the clergy or someone with a name badge. If you would like more information on anything at St Andrew's please leave your details on the welcome card on the desk. Members of all Christian churches are most welcome to receive Holy Communion. We have an audio loop in the church and large print versions of our service booklet are available. Please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope if you would like to make a donation. **We also have a contactless giving terminal by the door.** The default is set at £3 but do scroll up if you would like to give more, up to £30! There is a WC in the corner of the church, just past the organ. We hope you enjoy the service.

**Kids' Church** is a time of teaching, fun and worship for children and young people. We have activities available for children from the age of 2 to 13 and up. Please enter through the Welcome Space in Church Gate House. Children join their families to worship together for the last part of the service. **Parents should meet their children at the Church's main door at the start of Holy Communion.**

At the back of the Church there is an activity space for very small children.

**REFRESHMENTS** Coffee will be served after the 10am service by Carrie Taylor and Lyn Sahami in Church Gate House.

# This week's prayers and readings:

## Service Booklets:

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**8am:** BCP 1662

**10am:**

Eucharistic Prayer H

## Readings:

**8am & 10:50am**

Malachi 4:1-2a (OT 927)

2 Thessalonians

3:6-13 (NT 222)

Luke 21:5-19 (NT 90)

## Collect for Second Sunday before Advent

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.  
Amen

## Praying For:

- Peter & Mike as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- Everyone taking part in the service today: reading, singing, playing, ringing or leading prayers.
- Everyone involved in Kids' Church today

## Pastoral/Church

- Bill, Richard, Charleen, Claudia and other members of the Hollington family as they say goodbye to Molly on Tuesday.
- The bereaved family and friends of Jean Hudson.
- Those in our congregation who are ill, facing treatment, recovering from an operation or those who are lonely.
- The areas of the UK currently affected by floods. Peter Bound who is working with others on the flood relief in Yorkshire.
- For all our Faith Social Action Projects: OM in Nepal, The Garden Route Trust in South Africa, especially for the coffee morning on Thursday morning, Christians Against Poverty (CAP) and the Foodbank.
- The PCC meeting on Tuesday evening.
- Everyone visiting St Andrew's on Thursday for the General Election Forum, for the candidates and those asking questions.
- St Andrew's School Governors meeting here next Saturday.
- Carrie Taylor and the TLG Coaches who met with the teachers of the children for the first time on Friday and will be meeting with the parents next week.
- The residents of Lyster Mews, Tartar Hill, Waterford Close and Woodgate Close.
- The work of the Bible Societies across the World as they make the Bible available to others in their own language.
- UK Citizens as we prepare for a General Election in December.

# This week's notices:

**WHO ARE WE? SURVEY** Please take a few moments to fill in the anonymous 'tick survey'. We have been asked by the Diocese to ask everyone in our congregation ahead of our Vision Day in December.

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**WELCOME TEAM TRAINING** A huge thank you to those people who have offered to be part of the teams welcoming people to St Andrew's during December. We have an additional training session planned to cover the practical points on the 26<sup>th</sup> November. *Please note the change of date due to the Election Forum, here on the 21<sup>st</sup>.* If you missed the previous Welcome session please arrive at 7pm to understand 'why' we welcome. Please arrive at 7:30pm if you attended the earlier Saturday morning session and just need to be briefed on the practical points.

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**REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY** David and Michael, the churchwardens, would like to say an enormous thank you to everyone who helped them to set up (and clear up!), together with those who made coffee for the "workers", welcomed, stewarded etc. at last week's Remembrance Sunday service. Despite all the pressures of a very crowded church, everything went really well and this was commented upon by several visitors.

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**ELECTION FORUM** the Cobham Churches Together General Election Forum is being hosted here at St Andrew's on the 21<sup>st</sup> Nov. at 8pm. An opportunity to meet and hear from our candidates. Details on the poster.

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**ST ANDREW'S DAY CELEBRATIONS** as a Church Family we will celebrate in two ways. On Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November following the Friday Communion service there will be a light lunch (soup) served in Church Gate House lounge at 12noon, please sign up if you would like to come. On Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> between 5-7pm we have an all age Family Party with a fish & chip supper, please sign up if you would like to attend. If you are a super quiz master and could help by creating a fun intergenerational quiz for the party please let Elaine or Carrie know.

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**GARDEN ROUTE CHILDREN'S TRUST.** Please come to our coffee morning and help to educate and feed children in need in South Africa. 9.00 – 1.00 Thursday 21 November at Red Lodge, Sheath Lane, Oxshott, KT22 0QU.

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**THE FOOD BANK** Cobham Food Bank would be most grateful for donations of: UHT long life fruit juice or squash, Tinned Meat, Tinned Potatoes, Chocolate Spread, Tomato Ketchup, Deodorant (men), House Cleaning Spray, Nappies & Nappy Pants size 5 & 6, Laundry Liquid/gel/tabs, Bleach, Liquid hand soap, Shampoo & Conditioner and Shampoo & Conditioner 2in1.

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**CAROL SINGING** Churches Together in Cobham, Oxshott and Stoke D'Abernon invite you to join us in in front of the Cobham Furniture Store to sing Christmas Carols during the Cobham Christmas Lights event on 29<sup>th</sup> Nov., gathering from 17:45 and finishing around 19:00.

**TENORS UNLIMITED** tickets are available in the office (£15) for their concert on the 14<sup>th</sup> Dec @ 7:30pm.

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**WILLOW LANTERNS** workshops, to make lanterns to carry in the parade for Cobham Extravaganza on the 29<sup>th</sup> Nov., details on leaflets in the porch.

# Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November

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## Upcoming Events

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	8pm	Prayer Meeting (Pastoral Room)
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	9am 3pm 6:45pm 8pm	Morning Prayer Thanksgiving Service for Molly Hollington Youth Discipleship PCC (in Church)
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	9am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Baby Talk
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	9am - 1pm 8pm	Garden Route Children's Trust – Coffee & Sale Cobham Churches Together - Election Forum
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	10:30am 6:45pm	Holy Communion Youth Choir
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	AM	St Andrew's School Governors Meeting (Lounge)
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	8am 10am 12:15pm	Holy Communion Parish Communion Holy Baptism
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9am 7pm 7:30pm	Morning Prayer Welcome Team Training – part 1 Welcome Team Training – part 2
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	9am 10:30am	Morning Prayer Baby Talk
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	2pm 3:45pm	Mothers' Union Messy Church