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Welcome to the Churches of St Paul's with All Saints' Willian



*We wish you a warm welcome.
If you are new here do make yourself known to one of the clergy team, we'd love to chat with you after the service - either during coffee in the church hall or at the back of church.*

Sunday 30th December 2018

St Paul's 8.30am

No service
Breakfast in church hall from 9.30am

St Paul's 11.00am

Altogether Communion
Led Mrs Sarah Richardson.
Speaker Rev Jeni McQuaid.

All Saints' 11.00am

Parish Communion
Led by Mr David Sellick.
Speaker Canon John Parsons.

*Readings for All Saints' - Colossians 3:12-17 & Luke 2:41-end
Reading for St Paul's - Colossians 3:12-17*

Prayer for today:

God in Trinity, eternal unity of perfect love: gather the nations to be one family, and draw us into your holy life through the birth of Emmanuel, our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Please pray for...

Jeannette Jackson, Michele Parker, Jill & John Eve, Chris Jenkins, Dee Ford, Jeff Garner, Mary Smith, Andrew Middleton, Mark Field, Rodney, Caroline, Richard Joyanah, Julie and George Gorst and Monnay.

Home groups

There are home groups meeting on every weekday, where we can come together to share our lives and Christian experience, learn from the Bible, pray together and have fun. Details of who to contact are at the back of the church and on our website:

<https://stpaulslethworth.co.uk/welcome/small-groups/>

This week: Office Closed

Wednesday 2 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am in St Paul's Church.

Saturday 5 January:

- Just Coffee: 10.30am in St Paul's Church.

Sunday 6 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am at St Paul's Church.
- Altogether Service: 10.00am at St Paul's Church.
- Parish Communion: 11.00am at All Saints' Church.

Next week: commencing 7 January:

Monday 7 January:

- Luncheon Club Returns: 8.30am in St Paul's Church.

Tuesday 8 January:

- Prayer Group: 10.15 for 10.30am start at 3 Netley Dell.

Wednesday 9 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 12.15pm in St Paul's Church Hall.
- Mothers' Union: 2.00pm in St Paul's Church Upper Hall
- JAM: 4.30pm in St Paul's Church
- JSD: 6.30pm in St Paul's Church

Saturday 12 January:

- WLTD0: 10.00am in St Paul's Church Hall. For children under 6 and their Dads or male carers.

Sunday 13 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am at St Paul's Church.
- Family Communion: 10.00am at St Paul's Church. With Bishop Michael
- Parish Communion: 11.00am at All Saints' Church.
- Joint Prayer Meeting: 6.30pm at All Saints' Church.

For
Unto
us a
CHILD
is born
Unto us a Son
is given, and the
Government shall be
Upon His shoulders,
and His Name shall be called,
Wonderful, Counselor,
Mighty God, Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace!
Isaiah 9:6

What's happening soon...

Lifts to Church – We currently have 4 volunteers offering lifts to St Paul's on a rota basis, but we really need another 4. If you feel that you could do this, please contact Nigel Carrick or one of the church wardens.

Drivers needed for Luncheon Club: from January 2019. This involves transporting 2 people to the church hall and then returning them home, one Monday a month. Please contact Julie Goodwyn 686929 or jeremy.goodwyn@ntlworld.com.

Children and Families Worker post: Sadly for St Paul's, Claire's departure is fast approaching. The post has been advertised widely this week, with a closing date of 18th Jan and interviews on 30th Jan. Please pray for this process and please also feel free to tell anyone you know who may be interested. All information is on our website [hyperlink].

Foodbank: thank you for all the contributions so far. We still have the following shortages: Juice [Longlife], Milk [Longlife UHT] and Sponge Puddings.

Toddlers crafts needs your help: we are needing 2 pint milk cartons (washed out please) and jam jar sized jars for this term craft. We would be grateful for your help in saving these for us. Please leave them in the front porch or pop into the office during the week.

Mothers' Union meeting & AGM: 9th January when Claire Harald will be speaking on her Journey to Ordination at 2.00 pm Upper Hall. All visitors welcome.

On 20th February the AGM will take place at the Vicarage at 2.00 pm

Deanery Synod: the next meeting will be at St Paul's, Letchworth at 8pm on Thursday 10th January 2019. All are welcome to the open meeting where the speaker will be David Norton, Diocesan Director for Education.

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PRAYING TOGETHER FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF OUR NEW CHILDREN AND FAMILIES WORKER
"And so we know and rely on the love God has for us." (1John 4:16b.)

Faithful God, as we pray together on the threshold of this New Year we ask that in Your gracious love for us, You will guide Your Holy Spirit to open the "listening" heart of the person You have chosen to come and join us in this vital role in our church and community life. Amen.

