22nd December 2024



Welcome to our Sunday Services

Only the 9.15am and 6.30pm services are livestreamed

8.00am - 8.45am Holy Communion (Refreshments 2nd Sunday only)

Revelation 7 - "The great multitude"

David Buck

9.15am - 10.15am Morning Service (Refreshments after service)

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10.45am -12.00pm All Age Pop up Nativity (Refreshments after service)

Matthew 2:1-12

Adam Thrift

4pm Carols by Candlelight

Luke 2:1-15 Steve Rees

7pm Carols by Candlelight - <u>livestreamed</u>

Luke 2:1-15 Steve Rees

- ♦ **Safeguarding -** All Saints is determined to ensure a safe church culture for all, which reflects the love and care of Jesus.
 - Jane Brackpool is the Parish Safeguarding Officer. Contact her at **safeguarding@allsaintscrowborough.org**, or for the Diocesan Safeguarding Adviser call 01273 421021 or at **safeguarding@chichester.anglican.org**
- ♦ Accessibility: All Saints is committed to being an accessible church. If you have a learning disability, dyslexia or a moderate sight loss and would benefit from a specially designed, easy-to-read Bible, please pick up the Accessible Bible at the back of church. If you or someone you attend with has any additional needs please speak to Sarah Thrift sarah@allsaintscrowborough.org

Discover Jesus - Discover Life.

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen. Ephesians 3:20-21

Pray for our preachers on Sunday 5th January Verse of the Year Sunday

8.00am	Steve Rees
9.15am	Steve Rees
10.45am	Steve Rees
10.45am St Richard's	Mark Rapley
6.30pm	Steve Rees

Church Family Prayers

- Pray for our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day services, that as hundreds of people come to church, they would meet with the risen Jesus.
- Pray for fruit and conversions to Christ over this Christmas period.
- Give thanks for the team and all those who attend our Christmas Day Lunch.
- Thank God for his faithfulness to both our churches as we gather together to worship on Sunday 29th Dec.

Prayer Support is available for anyone in the church. If you or someone you know might benefit contact Pat Lockley.

Foodbank

Longlife Milk

Fruit Squash

Tinned Tomatoes

Tinned Macaroni Cheese

Tinned Tuna

Pasta Sauce

Tinned Potatoes

Tinned Vegetable

Tinned Potatoes Tinned Vegetables
Tinned Fruit & Tinned Custard 100g Jars Coffee

Tinned Meat Brown Sauce & Mayonnaise

Tomato Ketchup

Church Family News

- Help needed: Our evangelistic
 Tuesday kids group Adventurers
 (yrs 3-6) is growing, but we can't
 accept any more children until we
 have more team members. Could
 you help weekly on Tuesdays 4:00
 -5:45? Getting to know children,
 leading crafts and games with the
 option of giving Bible teaching.
 Contact Sarah Thrift
 (sarah@allsaintscrowborough.org)
- Parking at church during the Christmas period. Please use the church car parks, where possible, when attending services and events. If you need to park on the road please DO NOT park on double yellow lines.
- 3. This year at our Christmas services we will be collecting for the charity Connie Medical Chair run by Russ and Vikki Banner. Find out more here https://bit.ly/3ZJXZx5. You can donate online here: www.conniemedicalchair.org/donate.
- 4. A member of the church family is about to move to a new home with her three young children. Can you help by donating? She needs: 3 single beds, one double bed, pillows, duvets, bed linen, clothing storage, table and chairs, sofa and chair, fridge, washing machine. Please email Andrew Doherty who is coordinating Also be in touch if you can offer interim storage for donated items.

- 5. Parents Drop in Coffee (Picture Room) this term we are thinking about big topics around identity and relationships in our Sunday kids' groups. If you have any questions, please come to the Picture Room after the 10:45 service on 5th Jan to speak to Sarah Thrift.
- Wednesday Worship 8th Jan,
 2.30pm in the Prayer Chapel followed by tea and cake in Hope Café.
- 7. **Praise and Prayer** is on Wednesday 8th Jan 7.30pm in the Main Worship Area.
- 8. Tuesday Kids and Youth Groups restart on 14th January. Book online via ChurchSuite or the church website.
- Sam Shearn is very grateful for all the financial support he receives from the Church Family. Please pick up a thank you letter from the Welcome Desk.



Christmas Fortnight

please pray for these events and services

Mon 23rd Christingle Making in the Downstairs Rooms at 10am.

All ages welcome.

Tues 24th Christingle 2.30

Christingle 4.00

Christingle 5.30 <u>livestreamed</u>

'Midnight' Holy Communion 11pm

Wed 25th Christmas Day Holy Communion 9.15am

All Age Christmas Celebration 10.45am livestreamed

Christmas Lunch 12.30pm - 3.30pm.

All welcome. Book here https://bit.ly/3Cpk4rm

Sunday 29th December - livestreamed

10.45am - 12pm All Age Combined Holy Communion Service - (Psalm 139) Nick Ashton

The Church Office will be closed on Tues 24th December and will reopen on Thursday 2nd January 2025

Honest Questions is a series of discussion evenings looking at life's big questions and the Christian faith. It's for anyone who is interested in discussion, debate and truth, whether you're sceptical or have some kind of faith.

Venue: Wetherspoons. Time: 7.30pm for food, 9pm finish.

Sign up here: https://bit.ly/30NHIGr

Jan 13th - How do I live a life that matters? Jan 20th - How do I live without worry?

Jan 27th - Why are people so mean to one another?

Feb 3rd - Who can I trust?

Contact: <u>Deadline for newsletter is Tuesday at 10am</u>

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