

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2022**  
**THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT**



**Collect for the Week**

God, our refuge and strength,  
bring near the day when wars shall cease  
and poverty and pain shall end,  
that earth may know the peace of heaven  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**10.00 am Eucharist (CW)**

President and Preacher: The Vicar

**10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre**

(and via Zoom)

Lead: Wendy Anderson, Link: Rosemary Romano

Hymns: Let there be love  
Autumn days  
In Christ alone  
One more step

Reading: Luke 20.27-38 (NIV page 1055)

**6.30 pm Evensong (BCP)**

Minister & Preacher: The Vicar

Hymn	NEH 500 Thy kingdom come! On bended knee	
Psalm	32 (BCP page 382)	
1st Reading	1 Kings 3.1-15 (NRSV page 327)	Sue Hare
Magnificat	C	
2nd Reading	Romans 8.31-end (NRSV page 169)	Rod Garcia-Fermer
Nunc dimittis	C	
Anthem	O Lorde, the maker of al thing - Joubert	
Hymn	NEH 383 (2 <sup>nd</sup> tune, omit verse 3) Jesu, lover of my soul	
Amen	16	

## THE WEEK AHEAD

**MONDAY 7<sup>th</sup> November** *Willibrord, Bishop, Apostle of Frisia, 739*

10 am – 1 pm Church Centre open for private prayer

**TUESDAY 8<sup>th</sup>** *The Saints and Martyrs of England*

Parish Office closed

**WEDNESDAY 9<sup>th</sup>** *Margery Kemp, Mystic*

10 am – 1 pm Church Centre open for private prayer

12 noon - 2 pm Charlie's Angels pop-up lunch at the Church Centre

**THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup>** *Leo the Great, Bishop of Rome, Teacher of the Faith , 461*

10 am – 1 pm Church Centre open for private prayer

12 for 12:30 Lunch Club at the Church Centre

3.00 pm Parish Fellowship at the Church Centre

**FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup>** ***Armistice Day***

10.45 am Remembrance Service at the War Memorial

12:30 pm Community Larder at the Church Centre

6:30 pm Junior Choir Practice

7:30 pm Full Choir Practice

**SATURDAY 12<sup>th</sup>**

**NEXT SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> November**

**The Second Sunday Before Advent**

**Remembrance Sunday**

**10.00 am Joint Parade Service of Remembrance**

Ministers: The Vicar & Daphne Pilcher

**6.30 pm Eucharist (CW)**

President & Preacher: The Vicar



The altar flowers at the Church Centre today  
are given by Wendy and Graeme Anderson  
in loving memory of Graeme's parents,  
Heather and Robin Anderson

## NEWS AND NOTES

### From the Vicarage

Warm greetings to you all. I trust that you are all flourishing in some way. The recent inclement weather - just before the start of COP27 has reminded me of the herculean task that we face in order to fulfil our responsibility of being good stewards of the earth.

I pray that God would renew our resolve to drastically reduce our "carbon footprint" by radically changing the way we use the earth's resources.

### St Paul's Church Fayre

A reminder that our Fayre will be held next month on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November. The Choir are looking after the Jams and Preserves, Cakes/Bakery, Plant and Book Stalls. We would welcome any donations of produce for preserving, money towards sugar etc, baked goods (on the day) and plants and good quality books for us to sell. If you have any questions, or would like to help, please see May or Ginette. Thank you.

The Guiding movement in Rusthall would welcome donations of small clean soft toys for its Soft Toy Tombola stall at the Church Fayre next month. If you have any such items that you would be able to pass on to us, please can you leave them at the office for the attention of Guiding, and we will collect them. Alternatively, please pass them onto either Wendy Anderson or Karen Miller. Many thanks.


We are collecting gifts for our **Secrets Room** (to be held at the URC) where, for a set price, children can select a gift and wrap it. We are particularly in need of items for men. Any questions, please speak to Angela Culley. Items can be brought to Church or the Parish Office. Thank you.

### Face painter Needed

We are also hoping to have a face painting table at the Faye, but as yet we have not been able to find anyone. If you can help please contact the office or speak to Angela or May.

### Raffle

Prizes for the raffle at the Fayre are also being collected.

	<p><b>Altar Flowers at the Parish Church</b></p> <p>The altar flowers are given today by Cherry Mead In loving memory of David Barker</p>
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## **St Paul's Fellowship**

Our next meeting will take place on Thursday, 10th November at 3 pm at the Church Centre. The speaker will be Mark Norman, the BBC Southeast news Health Correspondent. It promises to be a very interesting and engaging afternoon. ALL are welcome.

## **The Money Course**

Get to grips with your money. The course aims to help people manage their finances in this difficult time of increasing costs. It is free, face to face and refreshments will be provided. It will be held at TW Baptist Church on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November from 9.30 am to 1 pm. For more details see the posters in both Churches or go to - [themoneycourse.org/join](http://themoneycourse.org/join)

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