


Sunday 29th January 2023
THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY
HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL SUNDAY

St. Paul's
 **Church**
Rusthall

Collect for the Week

God of heaven,
you send the gospel to the ends of the earth
and your messengers to every nation:
send your Holy Spirit to transform us
by the good news of everlasting life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.



**HOLOCAUST
MEMORIAL
DAY 27/1**

10.00 am Matins (BCP)

Minister & Preacher: The Vicar

10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre

Also on Zoom

Lead: Jenny Cooper, Link: Susan Powley

Hymns:

Colours of Day
I the Lord of sea and sky
All that I am
All I once held dear

Reading:

Matthew 5, 1-12

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NO SERVICE THIS EVENING
DUE TO THE LACK OF HEATING**

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY 30th January

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer
8.00 pm Worship Committee in the Lodge

TUESDAY 31st

Parish Office closed

WEDNESDAY 1st February

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer
12 noon - 2 pm Charlie's Angels pop-up lunch at the Church Centre

THURSDAY 2nd

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer
12.30 pm Lunch Club at the Church Centre

FRIDAY 3rd

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer
12:30 pm Community Larder at the Church Centre
6.30 pm Junior Choir practice (CHECK VENUE)
7.30 pm Senior Choir practice (CHECK VENUE)

SATURDAY 4th

NEXT SUNDAY 5th February

Candlemas - Third Sunday before Lent

10.00 am Eucharist (CW)

President & Preacher: The Vicar, Minister: Rev. Nicholas Burton


10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre

Also on Zoom

Lead: Wendy Anderson, Link: Rosemary Romano

6.30 pm Choral Evensong (BCP) (to be confirmed)

Minister & Preacher: The Vicar

	<p>Altar Flowers at the Parish Church</p> <p>The altar flowers are given today by Ginette, Mick and Daniele in loving memory of their parents and grandparents Maureen, Pat & Mick</p>
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NEWS AND NOTES

From the Vicarage

Greetings to you all and welcome to our services on this Fourth Sunday of Epiphany. Our morning service at the Parish Church is focusing on Holocaust Memorial Day and all other Holocausts but unfortunately due to the lack of heating it will be shorter than usual. You will have already read/heard that there is no Eucharist this evening. Apologies for any inconvenience caused by these changes which have been forced upon us by our current circumstances. I trust that this notwithstanding we will have reflectively inspiring services at both churches and a great time of fellowship afterwards.
Ronnie

Parish Church

We are very disappointed to have been told that the boiler is now unsafe to be used, hence the lack of heating and the cancellation of the 6.30 pm service tonight .

Rusthall Lunch Club

We are looking for a part time chef, with relevant experience, to cook lunch once a week on a Thursday for a community lunch club in Rusthall (40 people approximately). This is a paid position working with a friendly team of volunteers.

Please apply for further details to Ros Rodwell - 01892 618538 or email rosamund.rodwell@btopenworld.com

Rusthall and Langton Life

You may not be aware but there are audio versions of both magazines available to people who have visual impairment. Do you know any one who uses this facility or someone who may like to? We are trying to ascertain how much the service is or could be used. Please contact Ginette if you can help with this. Thank you.

Wellbeing Walks

The Ramblers Group have launched a series of walks in the Rusthall area. The next one is on Tuesday 7th February. Meeting outside the Church Centre the walks will begin at 10 am and all are welcome. For the time being walks will take place every two weeks. You can also stay for coffee and a chat afterwards in the Church Centre. For information please contact health@tunbridgewells.gov.uk or call 01892 554411. No booking is required.

Lent Course

This year we will be using Tony Rutherford's book "Meeting Christianity again for the first time" for our Lent study. Copies are available for sale (£5) at both churches. We will be having two groups – one on Tuesdays during Lent from 10.30 am to 12 noon at the Church Centre, led by Vreni Gould and the other on Monday evenings from 7.30 pm to 9 pm led by Jenny Beaumont and hosted by Ray and Jenny. I hope that you will be able to be a part of this, we will create other groups if there is a need. Sign up sheets will be available from next week at both churches.

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