

# Pews News

St Peter & St Paul's Cranfield

5<sup>th</sup> November 2023



## The Fourth Sunday Before Advent

### Readings

Daniel 7:1-14

Revelation 5:1-14

### Collect

Almighty and eternal God, you have kindled the flame of love in the hearts of the saints: grant to us the same faith and power of love, that, as we rejoice in their triumphs, we may be sustained by their example and fellowship; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### Week Ahead

Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	- 10:00am – Holy Communion Service - 7:30pm – Music Group Practice
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup>	- 9:00am – Church Café with Junior Jivers - 2:00pm – Home Group - 7:30pm – Thursday Evening Home Group - 7:30pm – Bell Ringing Practice
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	- 1:30pm – Craft Group
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	- 10:00am – Working Party

### Next Sunday – 12<sup>th</sup> November

10:45am – Act of Remembrance at War Memorial

11:15am – Remembrance Sunday Service

Our services are sometimes livestreamed. To avoid the camera, please use the balcony or the seats under the balcony.

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### Sermon Notes

Revelation 5:1-14

### Notices

#### Church Working Party – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November

Come along on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 10am to help with some annual tidying jobs both inside and outside the church!

#### Remembrance Sunday – Morning Service

Our Morning service on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November will begin at approximately 11:15am, following on from the act of remembrance at the village war memorial.

#### Pews Top Sale – 18<sup>th</sup> November 10am

Come along to our next Pews Top Sale event for some vintage items, bric-a-brac, toys, books and Christmas items.

#### Manor House Quartet Concert – 500 Years of English Music – 18<sup>th</sup> November 7:30pm

Come along to the next Manor House Quartet Concert held here at Church on 18<sup>th</sup> November. Tickets: £12.50 (children/students £5). 01234 751358

#### Annual Memorial Service – Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2pm

Our annual memorial service to remember loved ones lost will be held on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Sounds Familiar Christmas Concert – 9<sup>th</sup> December 7pm

Tickets are now available for this Christmas Celebration Concert. All funds raised will support the work of the church. Tickets £12 including a drink, available from admin@cranfieldchurch.org or 01234 750214. Raffle tickets available for purchase on the night.

### Prayers

#### For our ministry in schools:

This Tuesday Isaac will be leading an assembly at the lower school on the golden calf of Exodus 32, and an assembly at the middle school on the Passover.

#### For our persecuted family living in: Mexico

Father God, protect our brothers and sisters in Mexico who live in the shadow of criminal gangs. Help Christians to face violence with courage and to speak out against corruption in the country. May their integrity and love impress their persecutors. We pray that the authorities will be able to bring stability, employment and justice back to Mexico. Amen.

#### For those in particular need:

Jim Ewen, Dennis Howe, Sheila Francis, Daphne Britten, and Tracy Jones.