

Pews News

St Peter & St Paul's Cranfield

19th November 2023



The Second Sunday Before Advent

Readings

Psalm 90

Revelation 6:1-17

Collect

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Week Ahead

Monday 20 th	- 7:30pm – PCC Meeting
Wednesday 22 nd	- 10:00am – Holy Communion Service - 7:30pm – Music Group Practice
Thursday 23 rd	- 9:00am – Church Café with Junior Jivers - 2:00pm – Daytime Home Group - 7:30pm – Bell Ringing Practice - 7:30pm – Evening Home Group
Friday 24 th	- 1:30am – Craft Group
Saturday 25 th	- 10:30am – Music Group Practice

Next Sunday – 26th November

10:30am – Service with Holy Communion

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

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Notices

Annual Memorial Service – Sunday 19th November 2pm

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

Christingle Service – Sunday 3rd December 3pm and 5pm

Celebrate the start of Advent with our annual Christingle service. Please choose one service to attend.

Tree-mendous Christmas Tree Festival – Friday 8th – Sunday 10th December, 10am – 7pm

Bring your family and friends to our wonderful Christmas tree festival with fabulously decorated trees from around the community. Saturday 9th includes festive music from church musicians and friends, a raffle, café and plenty of joy! Admission is free but donations gratefully received.

Sounds Familiar Christmas Concert – 9th 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:

Isaac is taking an assembly in the lower school on the nativity. This week he is teaching them about Angel Gabriel visiting Mary. In the middle school he is meeting to discuss their Christmas concerts with Junior Worship Team.

For our persecuted family living in: Morocco

Heavenly Father, thank You for the courageous Christians in North Africa who choose to follow You despite the risks. Encourage secret believers with support from other Christians and access to Bibles and books. Protect those who are threatened with physical violence. Amen.

For those in particular need:

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