



# Parish of Luton, St Anne with St Christopher



**Holy Cross**  
**14 September 2025**

## **Church Addresses**

St Anne's - Crawley Green Road, LU2 0QN - St Christopher's - Round Green, LU2 7NB

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Registered Charity Number: 1134772

A member of Inclusive Church <http://inclusive-church.org/>

**Worship is in person and live streamed except where otherwise stated** on Facebook

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## **9.15am - St Christopher's Church (in person only)**

Sunday 14 September                      Holy Eucharist

Sunday 21 September                     Holy Eucharist

Sunday 28 September                    Holy Eucharist

Sunday 5 October                         Holy Eucharist

## **11.15am St Anne's Church Service**

Sunday 14 September                    Holy Eucharist

Sunday 21 September                    Holy Eucharist

Sunday 28 September                    Holy Eucharist

Sunday 5 October                         Holy Eucharist

## **Wednesday 10.30am St Christopher's Church Services (in person only)**

Wed 17 September                      Morning Worship - Hildegard of Bingen, 1179

Wed 24 September                      Holy Eucharist

Wed 1 October                          Holy Eucharist

Wed 8 October                          Holy Eucharist

**Morning Worship** takes place on Zoom at 8.00am on Wednesdays and

**Evening Prayer** is held at 5.00pm on Tuesdays. If you would like to join either service, please email revdanneluton@gmail.com to request the Zoom codes. There is one code for Morning Prayer and a separate one for Evening Prayer.

## **Prayer Times**

For Morning or Evening prayer there is a Church of England website where you can join in:

<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>

## **Monthly Prayer Group**

1st Monday of the month at 7.00pm in St Christopher's Church

# This week we pray for:

**Those who are unwell:** HM King Charles III, Asher, Angela, Dianne, Liz, Ann, Margaret, Dolly, Madge, Grace, Gill, Peter, Bukie, Abby, Margaret.

**Those who receive their Communion at Home:** Cynth, David, Gloria

**Those who have died:** Margaret Inns, Alan Barry

**Those whose anniversaries of death occur this week:** Judith Lennard, Peter Gearing

**Those who live in:** Abbotswood Road

## **USPG (Partners in Global Mission) prayer cycle**

### **Standing in Solidarity with the Church in Myanmar**

Today, we lift up Holy Cross Theological College, the only provincial Bible school in the Church of the Province of Myanmar. In the midst of conflict and uncertainty, we pray that it may continue to train faithful leaders, unite your Church, and shine your light.

### **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

Living God's Love: Going deeper into God: Those who act as 'soul friends' and their supervisors

### **Persecuted Church:** Central African Republic

In light of Bishop Alan's retirement at the end of May, we are now in the process of discerning who will be called to serve as the next Bishop of St Albans.

**Collect** - Let us pray together.

Gracious God, we pray for our diocese as we take this journey of discernment for our new bishop. Open our hearts and minds to hear what your Spirit is saying to the church. Be with those who sense a call to this ministry, and with all those leading and serving us at this time. Living God, in this shared discernment, and always, draw us deeper into your love, that we may live it for your world.

In the name, and for the sake of Christ, our Saviour. Amen

### **Parish Prayer for Mission**

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the love and gifts you have poured upon us. Be among us today as we seek to serve you. Give us confidence and encouragement in all we do to share your love. May we walk always in the steps of Jesus. Help us to provide a warm welcome to all who long to know you. We pray that we may respond with a desire to share more of the love of Christ. Amen.

**GO LOVE PRAY SERVE SHARE**



# Notices

**Invitation - Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> September at 3.00pm St Christopher's Holy Eucharist to celebrate Fr. Grantley's 70<sup>th</sup> birthday.** There will be a bring and share tea after the service. All are very warmly invited.

**Date for your Diary - Tea@2 - Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 2.00pm-4.00pm in St Anne's Church.** All welcome

## **The Next Bible Study Meeting**

Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> October at 7.00pm-9.00pm in the Jubilee Room at St Christopher's Hall.

**Annual Social and Fundraising Planning Meeting for 2026 - Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 at 7.30pm in the Jubilee Room , St Christopher's Church Hall.**

Everyone is invited - bring your ideas - what do you think will help local people to come through the doors of the Church?

## **Luton Peace Walk - Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> September - Start: 1.30pm**

Gather at the Peace Garden (Chaul End Park, Luton LU4 8EZ - behind Downside Primary) visiting:

The Naha'l Community, Luton Synagogue, Al Hira Mosque, Masjid-E-Ali.

Ends: 5.30pm

Join us for the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Peace Walk.

Parking available at both Masjid-E-Ali and Chaul End Centre

For more information contact: [info@lutonfaiths.org](mailto:info@lutonfaiths.org).

## **An Evening of Wonderful Music - Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> October at 7.00pm in St Mary's Church, Ware.**

Enjoy the Galliard Trio playing: Beethoven, Elgar, Dvorak, Vaughan Williams, Ibert and Dring

Tickets: £12 - Book your place: <https://tinyurl.com/mryr6x9f>.

Tickets also available on the door- cash only.

In aid of the Beds & Herts Historic Churches Trust and St Mary's Church

Find out more: <https://bedshertsct.org.uk/events/>

## **Luton Foodbank**

There is a box in both of our Churches for you to put any donations in for the Foodbank.

### Forthcoming Meetings and Events

Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Tea@2	St Anne's Church 2.00pm - 4.00pm
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Celebrating Black History Month with fun, food and music	St Anne's Church 2.00pm

### Regular Groups and Meetings

Tuesday (Weekly) Term Time only	Craft Group	St Anne's 10.00am until 12noon Contact Denise 07769754930 for more information
1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday (Monthly)	Round Green Community Lunch (Voluntary contribution £2.50)	St Christopher's Church Hall 12.00noon - 2.00pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday (Monthly) Term Time only	Bacon Butty Morning (£2.50)	St Anne's 10.00am - 12noon
2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday (Monthly)	Parish Bible Study	St Christopher's Church Hall - 7.00pm Contact: readerstannechris@gmail.com
3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday (Monthly)	Talking Elephants - a time for the bereaved to chat over coffee	St Anne's 10.00am until 11.30am Contact Revd Anne on 01582 850125 for more information
3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday (Monthly) Term Time only	Hart Lane Community Lunch (Suggested £2.50)	St Anne's 12noon
4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday (Monthly) Term Time only	Community Refreshment Stop	St Anne's 10.00am - 12noon
2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday (Monthly) Not August	Scrapbooking and Crafts	St Anne's 10.00am - 4.00pm Contact Emma 07739 572765 for more information
4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday (Monthly) Not August or December	Saturday Crafting	St Christopher's Church Hall 10.00am - 12noon Contact Ann 01582 512219 for more information

All dates and events subject to last minute cancellation or changes.

**Please Note:** For weeks when you can't get to church the pew sheet is available on  
**A Church Near You** - Put in your post code and follow the links to either St Anne's or  
 St Christopher's and look up News and **Notices**.