



The Parish of South Beddington & Roundshaw

5th October 2025 – St Michael – Harvest Festival

Open Doors – Open Hearts – Open Minds

Check out our website: <http://tiny.cc/sbrparish>



October – a month of celebration of Black History - I wonder how we can raise up our thanksgiving and celebrations of the rich history and wonderful diversity within our parish and across our community over the coming year? Celebrating both peoples and place? Here is a letter from Bishop Christopher-copy the link to read: [Racism diminishes us all - The Diocese of Southwark](#) Our first International Lounge at St Pauls was a fabulous way to explore foods, crafts, games and stories and we would love to build on this as one way of growing deeper in relationship. Do join on **Saturday 18th October 4pm at the Church of the Good Shepherd**, Carshalton Beeches, as Bishop Rosemaire and the area racial justice group are leading a service of thanksgiving and celebration to which we all are invited.

New members welcome for Bible Study every Wednesday at SPC from 11.30.

A relaxed group meeting after the mass (10.30) and sharing a light lunch. Very wonderfully the group have raised £290 in recent months through donations and this has now been transferred to the charity Jigsaw supported by the WI. So very encouraging the group growing inwards, outwards and upwards thank you all!

Thursday Open Church, 9.30-11.30 at SMC – Knit, Wrap and Chat – come join with others to help prepare for our Christmas Festival. Each Thursday sessions with all gifts and talents welcome including knitting and wrapping! Speak to Julie if questions and come with your own ideas, skills, hands and minds

Join Y Pray - the World Day of Prayer on Saturday 25 October 9-11.30 - A Women led, Global Ecumenical Movement - Creative Prayer, with Coffee and Cake Wallington Baptist Church, Queens Road/Parkgate Road, Wallington, SM6 OAG. £5 per person. Sign up: janandgeoffstone@gmail.com 07802527336, 020 8669 9766

The Real Advent Calendar – The first 36 calendars are on order. Please ensure you pay Mthr Berni (rather than the church) when you collect. £4.95 per calendar.

Harvest collection – we will be donating all vouchers collected to Sutton Night Watch and all food donations to Sutton Community Works. If you wish to donate food please consider including the following along with donations of your choice: Sugar - 500g bags, Shampoo, Chocolate Bars (treats), Coffee - small jars. As always thank you for your generosity. Collections can come in throughout October so please do not worry if you forget/are away on the 5th October.

All Souls Services will be held on Saturday 1st November at 4pm at St Pauls Church and at 7pm on Sunday 2nd November at St Michael's Church. Please submit names of loved ones you would like remembered in the roll call either by email or (preferably) by printing clearly on the paper form at the back of church.

Contact Details

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Diary Dates

Tues 7th PCC Meeting @SPC

Weds 8th – Clergy Study @ Cathedral

Sat 11th CYP Foundation Training Day @ St Alphege's Church, Greenwich

Sun 12th – Bible Sunday – please bring a bible to church with you

Tues 14th 2pm Dymond House Service

Weds 15th Link House Primary Visit to SMC 1-2pm – would you like to join us?

Fri 12th – Restoration and Sharing Circle for Women @SPC 12-2

Sun 19th 6pm Choral Evensong @SMC

Please pray for: The appointment of the new Archbishop of Canterbury. All discerning and the appointee and their family.

All sick in body, mind or spirit.

For the Yemen, Sth Sudan, the Holy Lands especially the people of Gazan and the West Bank, Ukraine, Russia.

RIP: Hugh Duncan, Owen Marshall

Birthdays: Lauren Read (9th), Philippa Reeve (10th)

St Paul's Church

Mass: Sundays 8.30 and Wednesdays 10.30

Bible Study & simple lunch Weds at 11.30

Lunch Club Mon 11.30 / **Drop in** Fri 9.30-12.30

The Thursday Club – 10.30-12.30

St Michael's Church

Mass: Sundays 10.30

Morning Prayers 8 Mon to Thur

Place of Welcome: Tue/Thur/Fri/Sat

Choir Practice Thurs 7pm

Preparations for Christmas Tree Festival - Nov 28th - 29th

Do you have any preloved good condition Christmas decorations to donate for decorating trees.