THE PARISH OF SS PETER & PAUL FAREHAM

PARISH NOTICES - 16 NOVEMBER 2025

Welcome to this church. If you are visiting we hope you will enjoy your time with us. If you have any questions please ask. After the 9.30am Sung Eucharist tea & coffee is normally served in the church – please stay.

Father Roger Jackson retired as Priest in Charge of the Parish in October 2023. A week after bidding our Priest a premature farewell we were visited by the Diocesan Bishop who informed the congregation that traditional Society worship would be concluded on 6th January 2024. The congregation was devastated, angry and hurt. We were additionally disappointed to learn that Bishop Norman had actively supported and encouraged the proposal, A second visit detailed a different plan for the church which would change the ethos of worship by introducing a plant to build up the congregation and profile of the Parish. Changes were not made in the timescale suggested and the <u>current vision of the Diocese can be read here</u>. In the meantime services are currently being celebrated by various priests for which we are very grateful. The services and other events in the coming weeks are:-

| NOVEMBER 2025 | | |
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| Sunday 23 November | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for Feast of Christ the King. |
| Sunday 30 November | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for Advent Sunday Year A. |
| DECEMBER 2025 | | |
| Sunday 7 December | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for 2 Sunday of Advent |
| Sunday 14 December | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for 3 Sunday of Advent |
| Sunday 21 December | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for 4 Sunday of Advent. |
| Wednesday 24 December | 4.00pm | Crib Service |
| Thursday 25 December | 9.30am | Christmas Day Eucharist |
| Sunday 28 December | 9.30am | Sung Eucharist for The Holy Family |

Sunday Readings are from Year C of the Roman Missal.

Link to Music List, Psalms and Acclamations for November 2025