

The United Benefice of Sharnbrook, Felmersham and Knotting with Souldrop

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Sunday 16th November 9:00am Said Communion (CW) St. Mary's Rev. Nick SECOND SUNDAY 10:30am Choral Communion Rev. Paolo / Rev. Nick St. Peter's + Zoom **BEFORE ADVENT** 3:00pm Faith Explorers All Saints' Rev. Paolo / Sue Whitehouse Wednesday 19th November 9:30am Communion (BCP) St. Peter's Rev. Paolo Thursday 20th November 9:30am Morning Prayer (CW) Rev. Paolo Zoom Sunday 23rd November 9:00am Said Communion (BCP) St. Peter's Fr. Mac **CHRIST THE KING Churches Together Service** 10:30am St. Mary's + Zoom Methodist Team **SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT** for Global Education Week 3:00pm Evensong St. Peter's **Rosemary Drewery**

Upcoming Regular Events:-

Friday 14th and 21st November, 9:30 - 11am **Little Hearts** Wednesday 26th November, 10 am -12 noon The Ark Wednesday 19th November, 10 am -12 noon **Needles & Pins** Sunday 16th November, All Saints', 3pm Faith Explorers Churches Together Lunch Club Tuesday 18th November 12:30

St Peter's Christmas Tree Festival weekend 5th to 7th December:

This year's Theme PEACE AND GOODWILL TO ALL

Friday 5th December 3:30pm - 8:00pm Saturday 6th December 11:00am - 3:30pm



Christmas Concert

at 3pm on Sunday Dec 7th by Janet Welsh and the Ouse Valley Singers £8, incl. wine and mince pies

At 4:15 on Sun. Dec. 7th we will be holding our

Grand Christmas Draw

Tickets 50 pence each.

St. Peter's Christingle Service Sat. 6th December at 4pm in the midst of our **Christmas Tree Festival.** Click poster for full details.

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or click here to buy Draw or Concert tickets





Bunyan Meeting Bedford, 7:30pm, Sat. Nov. 29th. Tickets £14 or £12, incl. refreshments, from Roland, 07801 750963

We remember in our prayers all those in our Prayer Book or on our Prayer

Board, and especially the following:-

The sick and in need: Penni, Nicole, Debbi, Gill, Derek, Ron, Robert,

Clemmie, Marion, Gill M. Jane,

The Departed John Binnie, Dawn Harris, Hazel Sidebottom,

Richard Handscomb

(Please let Revd. Paolo Di Leo know if you would like any names of dear

ones to be added or removed)

'Zoom' Link for our Benefice Online Services

https://zoom.us/j/763110804 Password: 079014

Choral Communion

Readers: Intercessor: Sue Wilde and Jackie Biggs Ian Campbell



'Coffee with a cop'

Saturday November 22nd 10:30 to 12 noon in St. Peter's Room



Coffee, tea, biscuits and home-made mince pies. PC James Dancer and PC Kerry Jones will be on hand to talk about your issues and concerns, and to answer your questions.

Everyone is most welcome.

ADVENT Reflections







Come and hear:

The Manger, who bore the Prince of Peace. The Star, guiding seekers with the Light of Hope.

The Angels, who sang Songs of Joy to all the earth

WHERE?

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/763110804 Meeting ID: 763 110 804. Passcode: 079014

WHEN?

7.30pm on these three Tuesdays 25th November, 9th and 16th December.



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THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

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COLLECT

Heavenly Lord,
you long for the world's salvation:
stir us from apathy,
restrain us from excess
and revive in us new hope
that all creation will one day be healed
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

1ST READING: Malachi 4: 1-2a

See, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

2ND READING: 2 Thessalonians 3: 6-13

Now we command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labour we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

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Thanks be to God

GOSPEL: Luke 21: 5-19

When some were speaking about the temple, how it was adorned with beautiful stones and gifts dedicated to God, he said,

'As for these things that you see, the days will come when not one stone will be left upon another; all will be thrown down.'

They asked him, 'Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign that this is about to take place?' And he said, 'Beware that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and, "The time is near!" Do not go after them.

'When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.

But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. This will give you an opportunity to testify. So make up your minds not to prepare your defence in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your souls.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ

POST COMMUNION

Gracious Lord,
in this holy sacrament
you give substance to our hope:
bring us at the last
to that fullness of life for which we long;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen