

**St Peter's and Blessed Mary Churches**  
**Sunday 9th November 2025**  
**Remembrance Sunday**

st.peter's  
bishop's waltham

blessed mary  
upham



Here are the services for this Sunday.

Our normal 9am, 10:30am and 11am services are not taking place as it is Remembrance Sunday.

We hope you will come to the 10:50am Remembrance service and welcome all who attend.

**At St Peter's**

8am BCP

10.50am Remembrance Sunday Service

(Please note Morning Prayer will be in Church next week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 8.45am)

**At Blessed Mary**

10.50am Remembrance Sunday Service

6.30pm Evensong

We also have our regular midweek 10am services on Wednesdays in Upham and Thursdays at St Peter's.

With my prayers for the week ahead.

Revd James

*Bible Quote for the week: "Greater love has no-one than this: than that he might lay down his life for his friends." John 15v13*

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**Readers for Lessons and Carols**  
St Peter's Sunday 14th December 6.30pm



**Would you be interested in reading at the always popular, Lessons and Carols Service at St Peter's this December? I am currently looking for readers and it would be lovely to hear from you!**

**Whether you are an experienced reader or not, but you would like to take part in this special service, please get in touch. I look forward to hearing from you at [stpbm.office@gmail.com](mailto:stpbm.office@gmail.com)**

**Sam**

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**Coffee on Sundays at St Peter's**

The coffee between 10.10am and 10.30am on Sundays is an important part of our welcome and hospitality but we need more coffee makers!

From January, we will definitely need one person for the Second Sunday each month but it would be good to have a third person on each team so that there is flexibility ie two of each team present for each duty or to provide reserves if someone on the rota is away or unwell. You would need to arrive at 8.40am to set up and we aim to make 3 jugs of coffee before 9.00am. At the end of the Service you would serve the coffee until the second team takes over about 10.20am.

Extra or Reserve coffee makers to help from 10.20am would also be appreciated to enable as much clearing up as possible to be done before the 10.30am service starts.

Serving the coffee is a good way to get to know members of our church family. If you don't already have a commitment and are able, male or female, please consider offering to join the team.

Please speak to Di or Vanessa if you can help and would like to know more.

Thank you



## St Simon's Sunday Supper Appeal



Well, it's that's time of year again and Sunday Supper Team would be very grateful for any donations of socks and pants to give at Christmas.

Thank you. Donations will be very much appreciated.

Mary Blow.

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## Time to Remember

### St Peter's Time to Remember Service



An opportunity to remember those who have died.

If you would like us to remember someone by name please contact the Church Office on 892197

Everyone welcome

Wednesday 12th November  
at 7.30pm



## Country Fayre Update

**Country Fayre**  
st peter's church, bishop's waltham  
Saturday 20th September 2025  
11am – 4pm

## **Country Fayre 20 September 2025**

The final figures are now in and it is extremely encouraging to learn that we netted over £8,500 from the Fayre this year, despite the somewhat changeable weather on the day.

A big "thank you" to all those who were involved in the organisation of the event and who supported it in so many different ways. The feedback has been very good and as usual, it was well supported and enjoyed by the wider community. The Country Fayre Planning Committee

### **Christmas Wreath Workshop**

Raising Funds for the Flower Team at St Peter's  
6th December

Saturday 6th December at the Church  
Hall from 10am-1pm

All materials and friendly, expert tuition  
provided, to create a beautiful Christmas  
Wreath for your own front door!

There will also be light refreshments .  
Cost £45 . To reserve your place  
[Hazelroddis@icloud.com](mailto:Hazelroddis@icloud.com)



A spectacular theatre production of  
***The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe***  
is coming to

**Southampton's Mayflower Theatre,**  
**Empire Lane, SO15 1GE**  
on

**Tues. 18th - Sat. 22nd November**  
as part of a UK-wide tour throughout 2025.

This production played for five months in London's West End at the theatre which  
ran *Cats*.

For details and to book go to

[lionwitchonstage.com](http://lionwitchonstage.com)

To get an idea of what to expect see

[youtube.com/watch?v=ihLwnchYq1U](https://youtube.com/watch?v=ihLwnchYq1U)

It's in Southampton for just five days. Don't miss it!



**Responding  
to the Rebirth**

**Livestream of the sold out  
conference in London**

**Saturday 22 November  
9.30am-4.30pm  
St Faith's, Lee-on-the-Solent**

**£5 per person  
Sign up at [stfaithslee.org.uk](https://www.stfaithslee.org.uk)**

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**SPEAK  
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FAITH**

Across the UK, interest in the spiritual is rising again. There's a surprising rebirth in belief in God. And it's time to respond...

Keynote speakers: Glen Scrivener, Justin Brierley, Prof John Lennox, Elizabeth Oldfield, Mike Royal, Paul Kingsnorth, Rhiannon McAleer and Al Gordon

The conference in London is sold out, but join us at St Faith's for live access to all the keynote sessions, panels and interviews, and access to Live Q&A.

Sign up at <https://www.stfaithslee.org/responding-to-the-rebirth/>

## Prayers

### **R.I.P. Jennifer Shatford**

**Please pray for the family and friends of Jennifer Shatford and Norman Chatfield.**



**We pray for all those whose names are written in our Book of Requests for Prayer.**

**Please also pray for the names of those who have asked for public prayer, Sheila Boyes, Yuan Xiang Wu, Jackie Suter, Mike Berry, and for all those known to us who are currently in hospital.**

We pray for the families of those Anniversaries of Death fall around this time and whose names are listed in our Book of Remembrance:

**10/11/2010**    **Leslie Powell**  
**10/11/2013**    **Olwen Mary Morgan**  
**10/11/2013**    **Montague William Carpenter**  
**12/11/1990**    **Jack Ernest Mills**  
**14/11/2012**    **Daniel Clifford Pollard**  
**15/11/1999**    **Ethan Markham**

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## Meon Valley Food Bank



Thank you for your continued support.  
We will be open next Monday between 10 and 12 to receive food donations.

Food can also be dropped off at the following places;

Bishops Waltham - Sainsbury's, Coop, St Peters Church and the Jubilee Hall in Little Shore Lane

Curdridge - St Peter's Church

Upham - Blessed Mary Church

Wickham - the Coop and the Community Centre.

Park Gate - Robinson Reade Estate Agents

The items we require for the coming week are:

**Tinned Chicken in White wine sauce**

**Tinned Potatoes**

**Washing up Liquid**

**Large Tins of Ham**

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