Weekly Notices



First Sunday of Advent [YEAR A] Sunday 30th November

10.30am – Benefice Service at St Mylor

Collect:

Almighty God,

give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

A reading from the Prophet

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In days to come the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be raised above the hills; all the nations shall stream to it.

Many peoples shall come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths." For out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

He shall judge between the nations, and shall arbitrate for many peoples; they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.

O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD!

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans

Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light;

let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy.

Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

Gospel according to Matthew

"But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father.

For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man.

For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man.

Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left.

Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left.

Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming.

But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into.

Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.

Post Communion Prayer:

O Lord our God, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen



Weekly Worship

Tuesday Said Eucharist is held at 10:15am.

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Future Diary Dates:



Tues 2nd December @7pm
WI Carol Concert
with Penryn College Choir

Sun 7th December @6pm Carols by Candlelight

Sun 14th December @3pm *Crib & Christingle Service*

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Christmas Bazaar

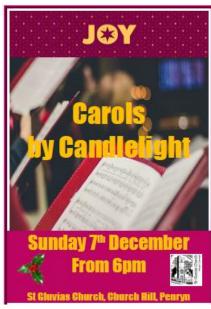
Thank you to everyone that supported this fundraising event.

Just over £1,000

Has been raised for our church.

CAP (Christians Against Poverty)

Local churches are hoping to provide items for 1-2 Christmas Hampers for families struggling with debt. There is a list of items required, at the back of church, and if people would like to donate, please write down whether you can bring 1 or 2 items. Please leave donations by **Sunday 7th December**





Weekly Prayer Intentions:

Mission and Ministry of this Parish:

For those living and working in Penryn and surrounding villages. For the parish of St. Gluvias and a growth in our congregation.

For the homeless in our parish and throughout the country. For those that rely on the support of the Foodbank.

For the World:

We pray for victims of terrorism the world over; for all affected by atrocities around the world and for persecuted Christians.

We pray for the people of Ukraine and the people of Russia; for their countries and their leaders.

We call upon you to show mercy to the people Israel and Palestine and protect them.

We pray for leaders on the world stage; that they are inspired by the wisdom and courage of Christ.

We continue to pray for all people fleeing violence and oppression. For all exploited by people smugglers and for refugees across the world. For those affected by natural disasters around the world. Help us to value the environment so that we can all work to reverse climate change and global warming.

In the diocese cycle of prayer: FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Lord Jesus, as we enter this Advent season, we acknowledge your presence with us on our journey; behind us, before us, and beside us. Your Spirit is ever ready to guide and support us at every step. We ask for your ongoing blessing and direction for our parishes and deaneries. We pray you will give us time to reflect on your peace and love in this busy season. Amen

Anglican Communion:

Advent 1 - The Anglican Church of Australia

Christmas Bazaar Winners

1 Prize £70 cash = Andrea (****01953) **2 Prize £50 cash** = Margaret McCabe

3 Prize £30 cash = Allison (c/o

Margaret McGee)

Hamper prizes:

- *Annie Jones, *Joyce (Saracen),
- *Jane Slater, *Howard,
- *Paul Campbell and *Betty Osborne

Prayers for First Sunday in Advent Watchful at all times, let us pray for

strength to stand with confidence before our Maker and Redeemer.

That God may bring in his kingdom with justice and mercy, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

That God may establish among the Nations his sceptre of righteousness, let us pray to the Lord: Lord, have mercy.

That we may seek Christ in the Scriptures and recognize him in the breaking of the bread, let us pray to the Lord: Lord, have mercy.

That God may bind up the brokenhearted, restore the sick and raise up all who have fallen, We pray especially for...

Joan Wood, Claire Coombes, Pat Rogers, Lilian Hosking, Roderick Dare, Jackie Dare, Joan Whitford, Sharron Simcock, Kathryn Hodge, Billy Power and young Lilly.

let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

That the light of God's coming may dawn on all who live in darkness and the shadow of death, We remember the names of the faithful departed, especially...

Arnold Smuda (1st Dec), Norma Rycroft (4th), Charles Pope (5th), Katie Julian, Bessie Thomas, James Godfrey Edwards and Reg Voit (6th)

let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

We pray for those recently departed this life, especially **Harry Kitto** and **Norman Williams.**

That, with all the saints in light, we may shine forth as lights for the world, let us pray to the Lord: Lord, have mercy.

We commend ourselves and all for whom we pray to the mercy and protection of our heavenly Father:

Almighty God, as your blessed Son Jesus Christ first came to seek and to save the lost; so may he come again to find in us the completion of his redeeming work; for he is now alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

Amen.