

*Blessed are you who are poor for yours is the kingdom of God.
Blessed are you who are hungry now for you will be filled.
Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh' Luke 6: 20 -21)*



Gracious God, at this time, as we remember our loved ones who have gone before us, we thank you for their faith, that their lives shine with your light. May their courage inspire us, their love surround us, and their faith strengthen us as we walk with Christ. Unite us with all your saints, in heaven and on earth, to glorify your holy name. Amen.

Prayer for the Sick

Loving Lord, surround all those who are sick with Your love, peace and help they require during this challenging time. We

especially pray for those in our community: **ELEANOR BROOKS - JAMIE MATTLESS - ELSIE ROWE - HILARY ABRAHAMS - DIANA HEATHER - ELIZABETH PAY - ANN BARTLETT - BARBARA JARVIS - SARAH WILLIS - MARK MARKCOONS - JO WATKINS - MARTYN DILLEY - SUZANNE MILLER - SUE & EMMA KINKEAD - CATHERINE METTCALFE.** *Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen*

God of all generations, we give thanks for the Saints known and unknown, near and far. On this, All Saints Sunday, we especially bless all at St Mary's. May this place be a sanctuary of peace, a guiding light of hope, and a gathering place for saints in the making. Bless all who love, laugh and learn here.
Amen



Please **support the work of St Mary's** via the contactless payment device at the back of church or donate via the 'give a little' website or QR code **here**. Any donation gratefully received.

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Please help. We need a **crucifer** (a person to process /carry the cross in and out of the church), for our **Remembrance Service, 9th November 10.30am**. Please help if you can. Speak to **Rev Tim** or **Rev Amanda**

St. Mary the Virgin, Hayes, Kent

PEW SHEET 2nd November 2025

TODAY

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.30am Parish Communion

COLLECT for All Saints' Day

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

HYMNS: Children's Song This Little Light of Mine

148 For all the saints; **67** Breathe on me Breath of God

456 Make Me A Channel of Your Peace

13 All Hail the Power Jesus Name

READINGS: Ephesians 1:11-23 (pg 189); Luke 6.20-31 (pg 61)

COMMUNION PRAYER: *E* (pg 30)

THIS WEEK

9.15am **Morning Prayers** – Zoom Tues–Wed (link from the office), **in church Mon-Fri 9.15am, Sat 10am**

4th Nov Tues 10am- 12pm Church Open for Quiet Space
11am- 12.15pm **Bible Study** in Meetings room

5th Nov Wed 10am- 12pm **Coffee Morning** for the Bereaved
and those who live on their own
12.30-3pm Meetings Room & church open as a
Welcome Space (takes place weekly)*

7th Nov Fri 10am- 12pm Church Open for **Quiet Space**

8th Nov Sat 10am- 11am Church Open for **Quiet Space**

Next Sunday – 9th November Remembrance Sunday

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.30am Remembrance Service

**10.30am Sunbeams for children aged 3-6& Blaze Sessions for
aged 6-11**

Many thanks to all those who made donations to the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) appeal for Gaza last Sunday a total of **£113.26** was raised by the retiring collection

Hayes Lights 22 November - We have been invited to sing as part of Churches Together in Hayes again this year at **4.30pm** at the **New Inn**. On the **16th November at 3pm**, there will be a **rehearsal** at the **Church of God**. If you would be able to join us, please let Rev Amanda or Gail know. They are also looking for volunteers in the lead up and on the day. Please help if you are able, contact rector@stmaryshayeskent.co.uk

Hearing God's Word and Speaking God's Word Courses.

We are offering this course to those who wish to explore being able to speak or preach occasionally? Hearing God's Word is the Diocesan introductory course about how to interpret and apply the Bible, which will run on Tuesday evenings for 6 weeks from 4th Nov to 9th Dec 8-9.30pm, with Christchurch Chislehurst. For more information please speak to Rev Amanda 0203 940 1897

SAVE THE DATE St Marys will be running a Charity Fair on Saturday 29th November at the Old Church Schools between 1.30 and 4pm. If you would like to help please speak to Rosemary Smith, Sue Powell, Stuart Spence, Graham Collins, Kate Davies or Mary Stannard.

We will be running a New and Unused Gifts stall and be collecting items for that stall in a labelled box in the porch from Monday 10th November

SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY 16TH

Every year, thousands of churches across the country unite to mark Safeguarding Sunday. It's a chance to listen and to talk together about how we can create places that are safer for everyone. The service will be followed with an opportunity to take part in **Safeguarding Training**.

November Hayes Herald will not be available for collection or distribution until 3rd/4th November, due to half-term holidays.

Children's Song: This Little Light of Mine

This little light of mine,

I'm gonna let it shine.

(repeat x3)

*let it shine, let it shine, let it
shine.*

1 The light that shines is the
light of love,
lights the darkness from
above,
it shines on me and it shines
on you,
and shows what the power of
love can do.

I'm gonna shine my light both
far and near,

I'm gonna shine my light both
bright and clear.

Where there's a dark corner in
this land,
I'm gonna let my little light
shine.

This little light of mine...

Psalm 149

¹ Praise the Lord!

Sing to the Lord a new song,
his praise in the assembly of
the faithful.

² Let Israel be glad in its
Maker; let the children of Zion
rejoice in their King.

³ Let them praise his name
with dancing, making melody
to him with tambourine and
lyre. ⁴ For the Lord takes
pleasure in his people; he
adorns the humble with
victory.

⁵ Let the faithful exult in glory;
let them sing for joy on their
couches.

⁶ Let the high praises of God
be in their throats and two-
edged swords in their hands,

⁷ to execute vengeance on the
nations and punishment on the
peoples, ⁸ to bind their kings
with fetters and their nobles
with chains of iron,

⁹ to execute on them the
judgement decreed. This is
glory for all his faithful ones.
Praise the Lord!