

This Week's Diary

Wednesday 19^h November

- 11.15am Holy Communion

Thursday 20th November

- 1 pm Funeral of Harriet Clements

Sunday 23rd November Christ the King

- 8am Holy Communion
- 10 am Holy Communion

Thursday 20th November - 1 pm Funeral of Harriet Clements in church followed by a wake at The Tickled Trout, Wye.

There is a dedicated 'much-loved' page for Harriet <https://harrietclements.muchloved.com/> and **if you would like to make a donation in memory of Harriet to her chosen charities - St Mary's Church, Kennington** or Ashford Choral Society, you can use the links here, the donations box in St Mary's Church, or send c/o Hadaway & Denton at 41-43 Upper Denmark Road, Ashford, Kent TN23 7TZ.

Friday 21st November – Link Lunch. Please note change of date. Please sign up if you are coming.

Saturday 29th November CHRISTMAS FAYRE in Church 1 – 4pm - We need to be aware that we will be in competition with Downsview School, also having their Christmas Fayre on that day. Raffle tickets are available. It is vital that we sell as many as possible to family, friends and neighbours as well as buying some ourselves. There are plenty of spare books! It helps if we sell as many as possible in advance of the day.

Donations of seasonal food or other items for the Christmas Hamper, bottles for the Tombola, raffle prizes etc gratefully received. There are boxes in the porch for you to leave donations.

ST MARY'S KENNINGTON 2nd SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT 16th November 2025



Our mission is to proclaim the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all the people of Kennington by word and action.

TODAY: 8am Holy Communion
10am Holy Communion

COLLECT: Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

READINGS: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 and Luke 21:5-19

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER: 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**

For those experiencing health issues: Fred, Sikan Horwood, Ron Shorter, Gabrielle Nuthall, Jean Chedgey, Dave and Ruth Moore, Josie Norris, Louise, Elizabeth, Les Gosden, Mike Paddy, Joan Haslegrove, Patrick Nicholls, Mike Butcher.

For those living or working on the following streets:
Old Ash Close; Old School Mews; Orchard Lane; Osier Field