

VOCATIONS EVENT (FEBRUARY 2018)

On Saturday, February 2, 2018, the diocese is running an event at St Mary's Church, Quarry St, Guildford, for people looking to explore their place in the life of their church and beyond. The event will run from 10am-1pm. Please speak to Nick if you are interested or email glynis.beazley@cofeguildford.org.uk



**DON'T FORGET OUR CHRISTINGLE AND GIFT SERVICE ON
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3, AT 4.30PM IN PEASLAKE.
BRING A SMALL GIFT FOR SEND FAMILY LINK (SEE NOTE INSIDE)**

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THE PARISH OF SHERE, GOMSHALL & PEASLAKE Notices for Sunday 26 November 2017 CHRIST THE KING

WE WELCOME YOU TO OUR CHURCHES AND PLEASE STAY FOR COFFEE AFTER THE 10AM SERVICE

TODAY: Sunday, November 26, Christ the King

8am	Holy Communion,	<i>Peaslake</i>
10am	Parish Communion,	<i>Shere</i>
6.30pm	Pilgrimage Plus Unevensong,	<i>Shere</i>

TODAY'S READINGS

1. Ephesians 1: 15-end (New Testament page 189)
2. Matthew 25: 31-end (New Testament page 27)

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK – *December 3, Advent Sunday*

1. Isaiah 64: 1-9 (Old Testament page 704)
2. Mark 13: 24-end (New Testament page 48)

HYMNS

- 14 All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall **omit vs 5**
507 Meekness and majesty, manhood and deity, in perfect harmony...
99 Christ is the King! O friends rejoice **omit vs 2 & 3**
399 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun does his successive journeys run **omit vs 3**

COLLECT

God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory. **Amen.**

NEXT WEEK: Sunday, December 3, Advent Sunday

8am	Holy Communion,	<i>Shere</i>
10am	Parish Communion,	<i>Peaslake</i>
4.30pm	Christingle & Gift Service,	<i>Peaslake</i>

Heavenly Father, may we show your love as we serve one another and pray that your kingdom will come on earth as in heaven

Loving Lord we pray for your blessing to be upon all who seek to care for others. We pray that we all share in reaching out, especially to those who may be confused and uncertain;

Loving Lord we pray for the nations where people are struggling against war or poverty and we give thanks for all relief agencies, reaching out to those in need;

Loving Lord we pray for our homes and for those who we love. We pray for those who don't have a place to call home and who live on the streets, in such difficult circumstances;

Loving Lord we remember before you those who are unwell, especially Bernard Dent, and for those who grieve the death of a loved one. May they all know your comfort and strength.

Amen

The Week Ahead

Morning Prayer is said in Shere at 8am, Mon-Thurs

Mon 27	10am Little Fishes, <i>Shere</i> 11am Deanery meeting for PA's, visitors and clergy, <i>Shere Village Hall</i> 1.30pm Food for Faith, <i>Wonham Way, Peaslake</i>
Tues 28	6pm Choir Practice, <i>Shere</i>
Weds 29	10am Little Fishes, <i>Peaslake</i>
Thurs 30	10am Holy Communion, <i>Shere</i> 8pm Bell Ringing, <i>Shere</i>
Fri 1 Dec	10am Last Friday Coffee Lounge, <i>OSR, Peaslake</i> 7.45pm The Hangout Youth Club, <i>Albury Village Hall</i>

PILGRIMAGE PLUS UNEVENSONG – TODAY AT 6.30PM

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers which were with the 7 of us who travelled with Amos Trust on the Alternative Pilgrimage to Israel Palestine. Come along to Unevensong when we will all be sharing our reflections in response to this life changing experience.

ST JAMES' TOILET CAMPAIGN WELL UNDER WAY

Despite the last-minute delay in starting the works to install the new toilet under the gallery steps at St James, the fundraising campaign has swung into action. An explanatory leaflet has been sent to our generous regular supporters, with the aim of raising some £40,000. It turned out not to be possible to obtain the necessary SCC roadwork permissions in time to complete the installation before Christmas, and we did not want to risk having Church Lane blocked off for an extended period over the holiday period. We hope we will start in January 2018.

CHRISTINGLE AND GIFT SERVICE - 3 DECEMBER

Family Feast takes this form this month! At 4.30pm in St Mark's Peaslake we will make our Christingles and gather all our gifts for Send Family Link. Do bring your unwrapped gifts along. They are often short of things for teenagers generally so vouchers of not more than £10.00 are very welcome. The staff are very grateful for all the contributions which they receive so that they can ensure that all the mothers/carers are able to give their children a gift during their visits to the Centre as they come towards Christmas. Tea for all follows this evocative service in the Old School Room.

LEARNING TOGETHER – “BEING DISCIPLES”

Thank you to all those who came and joined in the Food for Faith and Monday Evening discussions this autumn. The sermon on December 3, in Peaslake, will continue to draw on material from the book.

AFTERNOON SONGS OF CHRISTMAS PRAISE

On Wednesday, December, 13 at 2.30 pm in St James. Come and join our pre-Christmas service of carols as we sing familiar and favourite carols. At the end there will be time for chatting over a mince pie and cup of tea. If you have a carol you would like us to include or you need a lift do be in touch with us *Judy Potter 01483 203352 or Rosemary Mason 07783 965119*

PILLOW IN THE PARK COLLECTION FOR HOMELESS

A local Guildford man organises collections for the homeless in Guildford, other parts of Surrey and London. If you have any warm clothing; ideally waterproof coats, warm jumpers, hats, gloves, and sleeping bags or duvets, you no longer need, please put them in a black bag marked “Pillow in the Park” and either contact Jude Pitcher on 07803 158305 or leave them at the back of either church. An email to Jude would be useful judithrpitcher@yahoo.co.uk Thank you!