

Coffee Mornings

The Methodist Church, in St. Luke's Road, holds a weekly Coffee Morning every Tuesday from 10 am until 12 noon. Please drop in at any time during this two hour slot. For details, please phone Sean Alexander, who regularly attends, on 01753 864979.

The 5p coin collection

is still continuing and raising funds towards any church repairs, so please bring your 5p s.

Suggested Readings for November 2017

Sunday 5th November– All Saints' Sunday

Revelation 7: 9 -17 1 John 3: 1 - 3 Matthew 5: 1 - 12

Sunday 12th November – Remembrance Sunday

Matthew 5: 1 - 12 John 15: 9 - 17

Sunday 19th November - 2nd Sunday before Advent

Zephaniah 1: 7, 12 - 18 1 Thessalonians 5: 1 ; 11 Matthew 25: 14 - 30

Sunday 26th November - Christ the King

Ezekiel 34: 20 - 24 Ephesians 1: 15 – 23 Matthew 25: 31 - 46

REGULAR SERVICES

8 am	9.15 am	11.15 am
St Luke's Church	St Peter's Middle School Hall	Parish Church of St Peter & St Andrew
Said Service of Holy Communion - BCP	Worship for all ages, Featuring Jamzone	Holy Communion Service -
3 rd and 5 th Sundays	kid's club	Common Worship

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OLD WINDSOR PARISH NEWS

KNOWING GOD TOGETHER AND MAKING HIM KNOWN
A Christian Community at the Heart of Old Windsor

November 2017

*Peace is flowing like a river,
flowing out through you and me,
spreading out into the desert,
setting all the captives free.*

*Love is flowing like a river,
flowing out through you and me,
spreading out into the desert,
setting all the captives free.*

*Joy is flowing like a river,
flowing out through you and me,
spreading out into the desert,
setting all the captives free.*

*Hope is flowing like a river,
flowing out through you and me,
spreading out into the desert,
setting all the captives free.*

*Christ brings peace to all creation,
flowing out through you and me,
love, joy, hope and true salvation,
setting all the captives free.*

*At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
we will remember them.*



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SERVICES

5th November – All Saints' Sunday

9.15 am at St. Peter's Middle School Hall, Crimp Hill *with Holy Communion*

11.15 am at the Parish Church

12th November - Remembrance Sunday

8 am Holy Communion at St. Luke's Church *which is said worship [Changed Date]*

10.45 am Remembrance Service at the Parish Church

19th November - 2nd Sunday before Advent

Please note no 8 am Service

9.15 am at St. Peter's Middle School Hall, Crimp Hill

11.15 am at the Parish Church

26th November – Christ the King

9.15 am at St. Peter's Middle School Hall, Crimp Hill

11.15 am at the Parish Church

The Pastoral Team

consists of several Church members whose role in the Parish is to contact anyone who is unwell, lonely, bereaved or has other needs, including bringing Communion to your home if you are housebound. If you, or anyone you know, is in need of some help or would like a visit, contact Mary Hutchinson Tel. 01753 862347.

A Light Party

will be held on Tuesday 31st October from 6 – 8 pm at the Vicarage, Church Road.

The Annual Memorial Service

will be held in the Parish Church on Sunday November 5th at 3 pm. To add the names of your loved ones to be remembered and read out in the service, please contact Peter Warner Tel. 01753 862071

Around the Bible – Advent Course

Our Bible Study Advent Course will be under the title 'Heaven'. Forget fluffy clouds, floating figures and everything in white. Heaven is the throne room of God right now and the future new creation. God is on the throne, pure and unapproachable, and working out His plan in 'His-story'. His son, through the cross and resurrection, has opened for us the way to the heaven of the future. We won't go to heaven: heaven will come to us! But this incredible future heaven will not be enjoyed by everyone, so there are massive implications for how we all live now. The six weekly discussions will be on Mondays at 1.30 pm commencing on 6th November and Fridays at 7.30 pm starting on 10th November. You would be very welcome to join either group at the Vicarage, Church Road.

House Group

Our lively house group meets to pray and chat about a different topic every second Wednesday in the month. The next will be on Wednesday 8th November at John and Valerie Hardman's house, 45, Ashbrook Road, Old Windsor, at 8 pm. Anne Beer is facilitator. For further details please contact Antony Wood Tel. 01753 855344.

Prayer Group

The Old Windsor Churches Prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 7th at 12.00 noon in the Vicarage, Church Road.

The Manor Care Home Service

held every second Sunday of the month by the United Churches group, will be held at 3 pm on 12th November. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Day Centre Communion Service

is a Service of Holy Communion in the Day Centre on the second Friday of every month at 11 am to which ALL parishioners are invited. It lasts for about 30 minutes. The next Service will be on November 10th at 11 am.

Faith4Life Youth Retreat

Fifteen of our young people and leaders attended a youth retreat over the weekend 22nd to 24th September. The event was held at Woolhope Cockshoot near Ledbury with the theme Faith4Life. Activities included watching the film Soul Searcher, with discussion groups centred on the film's key messages, a barbeque, quiz night, late night hike and a treasure hunt around Ledbury. One of the aims of the retreat was to gain a better understanding of how we can enhance youth offering. We received some really positive feedback from our young people that we intend to implement over the coming weeks.

Windsor Foodshare

is always very grateful for the weekly contributions taken to Dedworth and our Harvest Gifts were especially well received, as they enable the centre to cope in the coming winter months. As no new special list of items required has been received, please can we continue to donate as recently. Coffee especially and squash is always needed. Foodshare welcomes tinned meat, vegetables, baked beans, tinned pasta (spaghetti hoops and similar), UHT milk, sugar, rice and deserts (e.g. tinned custard or rice pudding). Please maintain regular support for this cause.

PCC – the November Meeting

will be held on Monday November 6th at 7.45 pm in St Luke's Church. The October meeting further discussed Partnership for Missional Church, with no final decision arrived at. Leaders of the Youth Retreat were thanked and materials for designing a visiting card for the Pastoral Team were shown to the PCC prior to advertising in services. Very old Church Records have been taken to the Deanery and can still be used from the Records Office. Negotiations for repairs to the damaged Parish Church wall will need to be re-opened in writing. There will be a further increase in Parish Share next year, but this is a little lower for us than the overall increases requested, due to the Reserves saved by Deanery. We will again run a Chocolate Tombola at the Parish Fayre on December 10th.

50 Club Monthly Draw

The winner for September was John Hardman.

