Newsletter Christ Church, Roath Park Lake Road North, Cardiff, CF23 5QN

Welcome to Christ Church

Week commencing 13 November 2016

Sunday 13th November - Kingdom 3

-Remembrance Sunday

10.00am REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY SERVICE

11am ACT OF REMEMBRANCE AT

THE CALVARY STONE

6.00pm TAIZE SERVICE

Monday 14 7.30pm Keep Fit, hall

Tuesday 15 2pm Good Companions, hall

Wednesday 16 10.30am Cartref Communion

Thursday 17 9.30am Midweek Eucharist

1.30pm Chatterbox

7.30pm Grill the Vicars

Saturday 19 9.30am Parish Prayer Group

10.00am Altar Kneeler Project

3.00pm Christening

Sunday 20th November - Christ the King

8.00am HOLY EUCHARIST

10.00am PARISH EUCHARIST, FUNKY CHURCH & J

WALKERS

6.00pm SOCIAL JUSTICE SERVICE

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Outside at the Calvary Cross

Before the laying of the poppies, the vicar will ask the following questions:

Will you strive for all that makes peace?

We will

Will you seek to heal the wounds of war?

We will

Will you work for a just future for all humanity?

We will

After the laying of the poppies, we will all sing the following verses of Abide with Me:

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide; The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide. When other helpers fail and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; Earth's joys grow dim; its glories pass away; Change and decay in all around I see; O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless; Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness. Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

We now return inside the church for the conclusion of the service.

Next Sunday's Readings & Rotas

Eucharist: Jeremiah 23: 1-6 & Matthew 23: 33-43

Reader: Colin Francis

Intercessor: Julie Waller

Welcoming Team: David Alexander, Margaret Griffiths, Glenys

Nettleton, Isabel Santore.

Coffee: Shirley Davies, Mary & Malcom Rayner

Ministers of Communion: Howard Kilvington

(Reserve: Gerald Bradnum)

WEEKLY PRAYERS

Sunday: Pray for the Reformed Episcopal Church of SpainLfor the Parish of GabalfaLfor the residents of Nantfawr CrescentLfor the Cardiff Food Bank.

Thursday: Pray for the Assistant Bishop of JubaLfor the Parish of Llanishen: for the residents of Nantfawr CloseLfor Trystan, our Vicar and his family.

Sunday: Pray for the Falkland IslandsLfor the Deanery of LlandaffLfor the residents of Duffryn RoadLfor Jordan our Curate and his family.

For the prayers for the remaining days of the week please see:

www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk
under Faith Worship & Prayer
(the Diocesan Prayer Calendar).
The full list of parish streets to pray for will be posted on Christ Church's website in the coming weeks.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO RECEIVE FROM THE CHALICE, THEN PLEASE RECEIVE THE BREAD ONLY.

NOTICES

"GRILL-THE-VICARS": This coming Thursday (17th November at 7.30pm) you are all invited to grill-the-vicars – a great opportunity for you to ask Revd Trystan and Revd Jordan any burning theological or ethical questions you have! You can ask a question on the evening itself, or, if you would like to submit your question beforehand, then there is a box by the front door for you to post a question (whether anonymously or not). The box will also be there on the evening of the event, if you want to post a question on the evening itself.

J-WALKERS: J-Walkers (for young people aged 11-18) will take place during the 10am service every 3rd Sunday each month. Also, they will meet every Sunday evening at 7-8.30pm. Please encourage any young people you know to come along!

CONFIRMATION: Would you like to affirm your faith and your intention to live as a follower of Christ? You can do this whatever your age. Please do let Revd Trystan know if you would like to get confirmed in the New Year, as Bishop David is visiting Christ Church on Sunday 19 March for a confirmation service.

TRAVELLING CRIB: Some in the church might remember we used to have a travelling crib which went from family to family during Advent, before being brought into church on Christmas morning. We are looking to revive this tradition but cannot locate the crib. Does anyone know its whereabouts? If so, please do let the vicar or Ann Picken know.

84th CARDIFF (CHRIST CHURCH) SCOUT GROUP: We are very pleased to introduce Chris Davies as our new Beaver Leader. He would welcome people, either weekly or on a rota, for just 1 hour per week to help him organise fun and interesting activities for the children – age 6 & 7. Please do contact Chris on 079 483 99111 or Caryl on 02920 754463. Thank you very much.

PRAYER GROUP: Our parish prayer group now meets on Saturday mornings. We will meet at 9.30am and the prayers will last for no more than 30 minutes. Please do join us on Saturday (19 November) to pray for individuals and for the community around our church. All welcome!

CHRIST CHURCH SOCIETY: The next meeting features an illustrated talk on "History of Recreational Spaces in Cardiff" by Andrew Hignell. Andrew is Curator of the Glamorgan Cricket Museum and Editor of Glamorgan Cricket Monthly. A buffet and refreshments are provided. The meeting commences at 7-30 pm on Wednesday 23rd November 2016 in the hall and the subscription payable is £5.

CAROLS AND MINCE PIES: Friday 9th December 2016 at 6.30 pm. Tickets £5 adults £3 children, which are now available from Ann Picken tel 2075 5550.

CHRISTMAS - THE STORY: This is a successful city centre nativity event designed to ensure that EVERYONE can enjoy the Nativity at Christmas. Cardiff church-goers come together to make it happen. For many it simply involves putting on a costume. With no lines to learn, it's easy. Others are stewards, welcoming schools and visitors to the event. Volunteers can do as little as half a day. Up to 6,000 visitors come every year – and everyone loves it – volunteers and audiences alike. Why not help us keep Christ in Christmas! Ring 02920 493326 or email sally humble jackson@hotmail.co.uk if you can offer a few hours during December.

PARISH PRAYER BOARD: you are encouraged to post any prayer intentions on our Prayer Board outside the Lady Chapel. These intentions will be prayed for in the parish Prayer Group which meets every Saturday at 9.30am in the Lady Chapel. Please do consider joining us if you can.

CREDO MAGAZINE: please remember to collect your magazine from the back of the church. Full of articles and information for November.

NEW WEBSITE: Please do check out our new website and let all your friends and family know about it: www.christchurchcardiff.co.uk

COLLECTION: If you prefer to give a weekly cash contribution during the various services, and you are a UK Tax payer, then there are envelopes in the pews to enable us to reclaim tax. Please do use an envelope, as, at the moment, this equates to an extra 25p for each £1 you give.

THURSDAY 9.30am EUCHARIST: The Eucharist is on 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month. There is tea and coffee afterwards. Numbers are growing, so come and join us!

The upcoming dates are:

17th November & 1st December

AN EVENING OF SONG AND CELEBRATION WITH RUTHIE THOMAS AND FRIENDS: 3rd December 2016, 7.30pm, Christ Church, Cardiff. Tickets: 02920746294 Mob: 07475771700

Notices for the Newsletter should be given to Denise Searle, tel. 029 20763151; Email info@christchurch.co.uk or left in the church letter box. Deadline is Wednesday morning

In the event of an EMERGENCY please leave by the nearest exit and assemble by the walled garden at the front of the car park.

CHRIST CHURCH HAS BOTH FACEBOOK AND TWITTER

please check them out and "like" and follow them for up to date church information on services and events www.facebook.com/christchurchcardiff www.twitter.com/ChristChCardiff

ConneXion Groups (*-coordinators)

ConneXion groups meet once a month. If you would like to join a group, please do let Revd Trystan know.

Group 1 (daytime)

Val Jones*
Isabel Santore
Peggy Ingamells
Wilf Ingamells
Glenys Nettleton
Norma Ash
Henry Yeomans
Audrey Lewis
Margaret Griffiths
George Cable
Nadia Bunston
David Greenman

Group 2 (evening)

Haydn Hopkins *
Jill Hopkins
Julie Waller
Jane Song
Claire Edwards
John Griffiths
Margaret Griffiths
Julia Matthews
Hannah Burch

Group 3 (evening)

Linda Alexander *
David Alexander
Chris Vokes
Derek Burston
Elizabeth Burston
Colin Francis
Siu Chan
David Greenman
Gill Barker
Clare Dow

Group 4 (evening)

Trystan & Sandra Hughes *
Emma Breraton
Sarah Goldsmith
James & Ingrid Preston
Lianne & Ben Lloyd
Claire & David Parkinson
Anna & Paul Mortimore

Group (evening)

Sue Hurrell *
Emma Laing
Sandra Hughes
Ruth Payne
Justine Ryland
Jo Jefford
Michele Browne

PARISH INFORMATION

Vicar: Revd Trystan Hughes Tel: 029 20758588

Mob for emergencies: 07976523634 trystanhughes@churchinwales.org.uk

Curate: Revd Jordan Hillebert Tel: 079 36288330

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Parish Office: 029 20763151 - open Mon & Weds

9.30am to 12.30pm

Churchwardens: Haydn Hopkins 029 20621280

Colin Francis 029 20751773

Parish Website: <u>www.christchurchcardiff.co.uk</u>

Email: <u>info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk</u>

Our new banner

Our new banner, behind the altar, reminds us that we, at Christ Church, offer our local community:

- the promise and hope of the rainbow
- the light and safety of the lighthouse
- the peace and comfort of the dove
- the love and healing of the cross

PRAYERS & VISITING

PRAYER LIST: from now on names will only appear on the list for one month and will then be removed, unless you let the vicar or wardens know otherwise. Please give names of sick or those in need of prayer to Trystan or the wardens, preferably on paper and include your name too.

HOME VISITING: If you, or anyone you know, are unable to attend church due to ill health or an accident, please do let us know. If you would like one of our Pastoral Visiting team to call for a chat, to help, or to give Home Communion, we will arrange it. Please contact Gerald Bradnum on 029 20 751177 or gbradnum@gmail.com

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| Name: |
| Telephone: |
| (Please tick appropriately and hand to a Welcome Team member or the Clergy) |
| Ä I would like to receive a pastoral visit. |

Ä I would like to be prayed for by the Prayer Team.

What is your prayer request? (optional)

Ä I would like to receive Communion at home.



Come and join us at your local church to celebrate Christmas and sing carols.
A fun and festive way to remember the real meaning of Christmas.

ALL WELCOME!

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CHRISTMAS SERVICES

CAROL SERVICE

6.00_{PM} SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS

CHRISTINGLE & NATIVITY
CHRISTMAS EVE 4.00PM

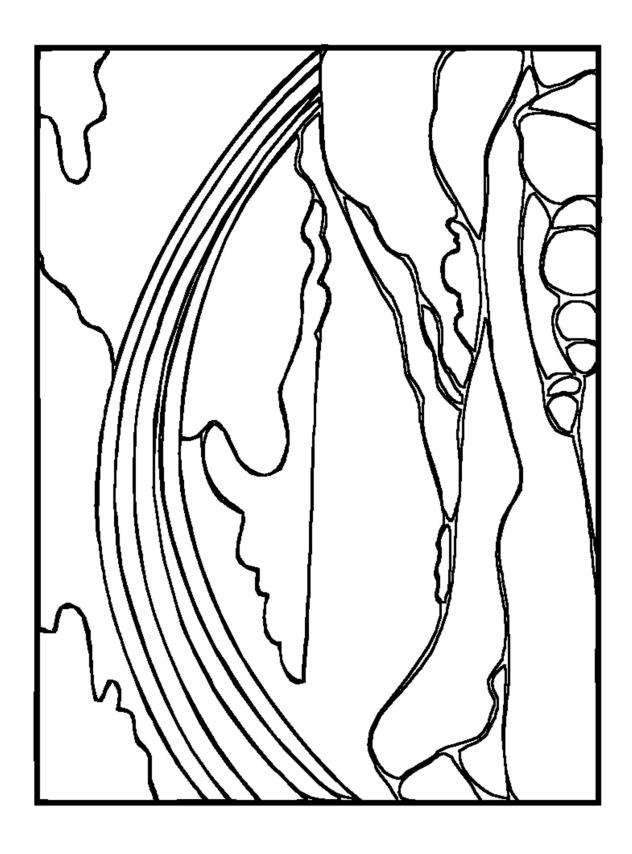
MIDNIGHT MASS

CHRISTMAS EVE 11.00PM

CHRISTMAS COMMUNION
CHRISTMAS DAY 10.00AM

Children's Page

A rainbow



Please do join us for tea and coffee in the hall (behind the church) after our 10am Remembrance Service.