

Parish of Seale, Puttenham & Wanborough

SUNDAY Supplement

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Sunday 25th November – Christ the King

Welcome to our services today. Later, why not join us for the United Parish Welly Walk, the theme "Gathering the gifts of God's creation". Meet at 2 pm today (Sunday) at the Middle Car Park on Suffield Lane. Hot drinks and cakes to follow the walk.

Buggies welcome , wear wellies.

Services Today

9.00 am	The Sands	Holy Communion – CW	(Philip Roche)
10.30 am	Puttenham	Holy Communion – CW	(Stephen Thatcher)
10.30 am	Seale	Morning Service	(Chris Tuckwell)
6.00 pm	Wanborough	Evening Prayer	(Helen Roche)

Today's Readings

Morning: Daniel 7.9-10,13,14 : John 18.33-37

Evening: Isaiah 32.1-8 : Revelation 3.7-22

Prayer for this week

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven, that he might rule over all things as Lord and King:
keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace,
and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tue 27 th	12.00 – 2.30 pm	Shepherd's Rest Café, at The Good Shepherd, The Sands.
	7.00 pm	Choir Practice at St John the Baptist, Puttenham (with Seale Choir) .
Wed 28 th	10.00 am	Holy Communion, at The Good Shepherd, The Sands.
	2.30 – 3.30 pm	Bible Study, at The Good Shepherd, The Sands.

Services next Sunday – 2nd December

Advent Sunday

9.00 am	Seale	Holy Communion – CW	(Philip Roche)
9.00 am	Wanborough	Holy Communion – CW	(Stephen Thatcher)
10.30 am	Puttenham	Advent Carol Service	(Chris Tuckwell)
10.30 am	The Sands	Family Praise & Posada Launch	(Stephen Thatcher & Philip Roche)

DATES FOR THE FUTURE

Tue 4 th Dec	12.00 – 2.30 pm	Shepherd's Rest Café, at The Good Shepherd, The Sands.
	7.00 pm	Choir Practice at St John the Baptist, Puttenham.
Wed 5 th	2.30 – 4.30 pm	Tower Café, at St John the Baptist, Puttenham.
Thu 6 th	7.00 pm	Choir Practice at St Laurence, Seale.
Fri 8 th	10.30 – 12.00 pm	'Cleaning Extravaganza' at St Laurence, Seale.

Sat 8th

10.00 – 2.30 pm

Christmas Fair at Myrtle's
Courtyard, Hampton Estate.

FROM THE RECTORY DESK

Dear Friends,

The feast of Christ the King is a relative newcomer to the Anglican lectionary. It was inaugurated by Pope Pius XI in

1925, to combat the rise of communism and secularism and to express the right of the church to serve under a kingship not of this world order. The Pope strategically placed the feast at the start of the Advent season when the church focuses on the second coming of Christ. Looking back over the years I don't think his feast day achieved its *raison d'être*, however the feast does work to gather our prayers at the beginning of a new church year and to get us excited once again about the prospect that Christ our King may well return in our time. As we wait for Advent don't forget to give that Christmas pudding a good stir!



Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Blessings,

Rector

CHRISTMAS QUIZ NIGHT

Come and join us on Friday 14th December at the British Legion, The Sands, at 7.30 pm. £10.00 includes cold buffet. Families welcome - contact Ann Payne: 01252 782873.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Come along to the much-loved Myrtle's Courtyard Christmas Fair, which takes place on Saturday

8th December from 10.00 am to 2.30 pm. The Fair is set in the beautiful old dairy buildings on the Hampton Estate, surrounded by stunning Surrey countryside and farm animals.

As always, there will be a superb selection of stalls, selling local produce, handcrafted gifts, and hot homemade food.

Pop over and find the answers to all your Christmas present conundrums, the fair is sure to get you in the festive mood.

An entrance donation of £4 goes towards fundraising for our local parish churches. Email myrtlescourtyard@gmail.com for more information or join the Myrtle's Courtyard Christmas Fair 2018 page on Facebook.

Held at Myrtle's Courtyard, Hampton Estate, Littleworth Road, Seale, GU10 1JH.



You are invited to
The Great "Cleaning Extravaganza"
at Seale Church
on Friday 7th December 10.30 am – 12 noon
Please bring your dusters, mops, brooms,
polish, elbow grease and laughter.
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*Items for inclusion should reach
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