

WEEKLY NOTICES

Sunday 19th November 2023

2nd before Advent

Reading: *Zephaniah 1: 7, 12-end or 1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11*

Gospel: *Matthew 25: 14-30*

Liturgical Colour: RED/GREEN

9.30am: *Holy Communion at St Katharine's*

10am: *Morning Worship at Chute*

11am: *Morning Worship at Burbage, Family Service at Collingbourne Ducis, Holy Communion at Ham and Great Bedwyn*

6pm: *Evensong at Collingbourne Kingston and Little Bedwyn*

The 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.

Would you know what to do?

Help Save Lives

CPR & Defibrillator Training

Led by Richard Schofield

Monday 20th November 7.30pm Shalbourne
Village Hall *For further details or to book a place
contact Jane Woodroffe 07564 833039
or Ruth Truran 07808 295146*

'Coffee club' 10.30am to 12 noon in Collingbourne Kingston
Village Hall every first and third Wednesday
'Fill the Gap' 12noon to 2.00pm every Tuesday & *'Coffee &
Cake'* 10-12pm, every 1st Thursday, in Burbage Church Centre
'Thursday Club' 12-2pm in the South Transept of St Mary's,
Great Bedwyn.

Mid-Week Zoom Services

Monday – Thursday 9am Morning Prayer & 6pm
Evening Prayer *All our regular zoom services can be
joined using the following link:*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82668874600>

Meeting ID: 826 6887 Password 021821

Mid - Week Holy Communion

Join us every Wednesday at 12.30pm in the
North Transept of St Mary's, Great Bedwyn.

We keep in our prayers the family and
friends of Arthur Baker whose funeral
takes place on Monday 20th November
at St Nicholas', East Grafton.

May his soul and the souls of all our
dearly departed rest in peace
and rise in glory.

CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED *final date*

Pewsey Methodist Church
21st November at 12pm

Storytime & Chat for Babies and Toddlers

November 21st & December 12th 2pm
Burbage Church Centre

St Katharine's new altar frontal, which was commissioned by the PCC to commemorate the coronation of HM King Charles III, will make its first appearance at the 9.30am Holy Communion service on Sunday 19th November. If you would like to contribute towards the £5k cost of the frontal, please contact Sammy for details. All donors names, or the name of a departed loved one a donation has been made in memory of, will be written in the memorial book displayed in the south transept.

St Mark's Gospel Live!

A dramatized recital by Gerald Osborne
with Colin Heber-Percy

Tuesday 5th December 7.00pm
All Saint's Church, Burbage

Free Entry – all welcome. Interval drinks. Retiring collection

Bedwyn Millenium Choir

proudly presents

A Concert of Christmas Music

Monday 11th December 7pm

St Mary's Church, Great Bedwyn

Tickets £10 Under 18's free
Seasonal Refreshments

Evensongs

An evening with Andrew Rumsey

Featuring songs from his new album and readings from his acclaimed book English Grounds: A pastoral journal (described as 'a total delight' by Simon Jenkins), Evensongs follows Andrew's poetic route through unlikely corners of our country's heritage.

6pm Saturday 9th December All Saints' Ham

Tickets: £15 including glass of wine, under 16's free lin@thefordsholds.co.uk 01488 668775
church has no wifi; cash only on the night

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A Festive Music Afternoon

with the Sarsen Songmen

Sunday 26th November 3pm

The Heritage Centre Pewsey

*Tickets £12 to include canapes, mince pies
and mulled wine.*

In aid of St Timothy's School, Nzara, South Sudan.

Visit www.sttimothy.org.uk for tickets

'Still Waters'

A beautiful time of reflection, silence, and prayer in St Michael's, Little Bedwyn
6pm on Mondays 4th, 11th & 18th December

A Christmas Concert

with Professional Tenor

Gregory Steward

Christmas Classics and Songs from The Shows

Tuesday 12th December 7pm

St Michael & All Angels, Shalbourne

*Tickets £15 (U16 free) including
wine or soft drink & canapes*

Available from Shalbourne Stores, Sunday Services
or on the door. All proceeds to Shalbourne Church

Burbage Midweek Meetings This Autumn

The first Wednesday of each month 7:45 for 8:00 in Church, other
Wednesdays, 7:30 - 9:00, Thursdays, 3:00 - 4:30 and 7:45 - 9:00
house groups. If interested in an autumn house group: Contact
Teresa 07387 380 455 ter.will@yahoo.co.uk or Joy 01672 810767

The Savernake Team Prayer

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, You have set the tree of life in Your heavenly city to yield its fruits throughout the year. Grant to Your servants of the Savernake Team that they may continually bear the fruits of the spirit as they work together for the glory of Your name, through Him who hung for all upon a tree, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Thought for the week

Grant me, O Lord my God, a mind to know you, a heart to seek you, wisdom to find you, conduct pleasing to you, faithful perseverance in waiting for you, and a hope of finally embracing you. - *Thomas Aquinas*