

The Church in Warden Hill

EMMANUEL FESTIVAL OF DECORATED CHRISTMAS TREES 6th-8th December. See December Lantern for details. For further info or to enter a tree contact Sharon Wallington 01242 570075 or officeemmanuelchurchcheltenham@gmail.com

CHELTENHAM FOODBANK is particularly short of fruit juice, chocolate, washing-up liquid, mayonnaise, shampoo, men's shower gel, rice pudding, custard, razors and shaving foam, ladies deodorant, sweets and toilet rolls. Thank you for your help.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE—2021—ARE YOU INTERESTED. St Philip and St James is currently exploring the possibility of a visit to the Holy Land and their partner church St Andrew's Ramallah. As in previous years this would include visits to the holy sites in Jerusalem, Bethlehem and Galilee as well as a few days in Ramallah. Again, as before, this pilgrimage is open to all South Cheltenham churches' To explore this further, a meeting has been arranged **for Wednesday December 4th at 7.30pm in the Memorial Chapel at St Philip and St James church.** If you are interested, please come to the meeting—without any commitment. If you cannot come but would like to know more, please get in touch by email with either John Horan: jchoran@sky.com or Roger Symon: rogersvmon@blueyonder.co.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

1st December	Gift Service 10.30am
1st December	Team Service: Carols led by Amos Trust. P&J 6pm
2nd December	Tree lighting/Carol Supper
6th-8th December	Emmanuel Festival of Decorated Christmas Trees
7th December	Christmas Fair at St Christopher's 10am-12 noon
14th December	Community Film Show URC Centre 2.30pm
15th December	Deaf Church Celebration at St Christopher's 3.15pm
15th December	Carol Service at St Peter's 6pm
21st December	Carol Singing at Morrison's for Christian Aid 11-noon
22nd December	Carol Service at St Christopher's 6pm

Arrangements for Thanksgiving for the Birth of a Child, Baptism, Confirmation, Banns of Marriage, etc., should be made with any one of the Clergy.
If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or in need of a pastoral visit please contact Clergy, Elders or Readers.
Without your information we are unable to provide pastoral care.
If you have anything for the Grapevine please hand it to
Edna Willox (grapevine@tcwh.org.uk Tel 510773) by early Wednesday evening



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(Anglican & URC)

Welcome



THE GRAPEVINE 17th NOVEMBER SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

10.30am Family Communion

382 Come let us join
380 Christ whose glory fill the skies
447 I come with joy to meet my Lord
509 O Jesus I have promised

6pm Choral Evensong

617 Stand up, stand up for Jesus
Psalm: 97
Anthem: Jesu, the very thought of thee
756 Ye servants of God, your master proclaim
372 Judge eternal, throned in splendour
104 Christ triumphant, ever reigning

Luke 21.5-19

2 Thessalonians 3.6-13
Luke 21.5-19

No collection is taken during the service but there will be a box at the back of church before and following the service for your offerings.

Please join us in the hall after the Sunday morning service for tea or coffee

Calendar: Morning Prayer is said at St C's:

8am Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday and 8.30am Tuesday

Mon 18		16.00 Rainbows at URC Centre	
Tue 19	10.30 Holy Communion at URC Centre MU corp + coffee	17.15 Brownies at URC Centre	19.00 Rock Solid at URCC 19.30 House group
Wed 20	9.15 Little Shepherds		19.00 Bellingring
Thu 21		13.30 Bible Study at Sardar's 17.30 Beavers	18.00 Brownies 18.45 Cubs 19.45 Scouts
Fri 22			18.00 Choir practice
Sat 23		14.30 Community Film Show at URCC	
Sun 24	10.30 Family Communion		18.00 at URC Centre

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**We welcome Revd Canon Richard Atkins
who will lead this morning's service**

PIONEER LUNCH, PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY Sirdars café, Salisbury avenue, Warden Hill this coming Thursday 21st November 1pm-3pm. All Welcome! For any further details contact: tams.jenkins@virginmedia.com

COMMUNITY FILM SHOW this coming Saturday 23rd November 2.30pm (doors open 2.15pm) URC Centre, Salisbury avenue. "Yesterday" (cert 12a). Free entry, bring your friends, refreshments available.

LEARNING TO LISTEN Quiet Evening at St Peter's Cottages, Leckhampton Tuesday 26th November 7pm-9pm. **All are welcome.** See Lantern magazine or noticeboard in church for full details. Reserve a place by phoning St Peter's Church Office any weekday morning 9am—1pm 01242 513647.

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE This is a South Cheltenham Team service, and will be held at St Philip and St James Church on Sun 1st Dec at 6pm. This year's service will be led by the Amos Trust, see poster and fliers.

CHRISTMAS FAIR Saturday 7th December will still need bottles for the tombola but we are this month collecting items for the hamper- a list of ideas will be at the back of church and items can be handed to Debbie Cypher or Ann Johns or in the bag at the back of church

ELECTION HUSTINGS An election hustings meeting will be hosted by St Philip and St James Church on Thursday 5th December. Revd Nick Davies chairs the event. Confirmed candidates are: Alex Chalk (Con), George Penny (Lab), Max Wilkinson (Lib Dem). Questions can be submitted from 7pm, hustings begins at 7.30pm. Come along and quiz the candidates!

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PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR those who find the change to darker afternoons a problem.

We continue to pray for everyone listed in the Prayer Corner book and on the prayer board.

PLEASE ALSO CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR all involved in the general election campaign.

Weekly Prayer Focus

17th	Chelmsford & Hidcote Avenues	21st	The Greenings & Barwick Road
18th	Davallia Drive & Crythan Walk	22nd	Gardenia & Tayberry Groves
19th	Ferndales Close & Genista Way	23rd	Amaranth Way & Campion Park
20th	Justicia Way & Jasmine Way	24th	Japonica & Hillier Drives

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP The Parish Giving Scheme for The Church in Warden Hill was launched on Sunday 27th October. The information folders are to be found in both churches. The scheme enables Christian Giving via bank Direct Debit payments. Gift Aid is also carried out by the scheme. Please consider using this scheme. Either Daryl Burns, Peter Sands or Richard Neale are willing to talk with you about this new initiative