

SS PHILIP & JAMES  
WHITTON  
WITH  
ST STEPHEN HOUNSLOW

ALL-AGE FAMILY  
EUCHARIST

THE SECOND SUNDAY  
OF ADVENT



*Welcome to Ss Philip & James and St Stephen's Churches. All are welcome at our services as we come together as friends, equals and fellow disciples of Jesus Christ.*

**You may keep this booklet** for reflection and use during the week

**Before the service starts** many of us prepare for our encounter with God in prayer. In the five minutes before the service please respect the peace and quiet that aids us all in our preparations for the worship ahead.

**Loop systems** operate within the church buildings, which are most effective within the main Nave and nearer the front. Please adjust your hearing-aid to its required setting

**Livestreaming** will take place in the main services held at Ss Philip & James. If you do not want your or your child's image captured on camera, please speak to the priest before the service. The camera is located at the back of the church so those seated towards the rear are less likely to be filmed.

**Photography** within services may only take place where permission has been previously given. To maintain the dignity and privacy of our worship, we respectfully ask that you refrain from taking pictures during the service.

**Children are welcome** to any service at Ss Philip & James and St Stephen's, but we do urge parents and carers to be vigilant of the dangers that exist in church buildings, in particular the steps to the pulpits, the sanctuary, and lit candles.

**Large Print copies** of this booklet are available for those who need them.

**Toilets and nappy** changing facilities are available

**Donations** can be placed in the collection taken during the Offertory. If you are a taxpayer, we encourage you to use the blue or yellow envelopes (making sure that the details on the front of the envelope are completed). If you would like to support God's work in this parish in a more sustained and dedicated way, please speak to a sidesman who will give you details of our Stewardship Scheme.

### **For more information**

Parish Websites

[www.whittonchurch.com](http://www.whittonchurch.com)  
[www.saintstephenhounslow.church](http://www.saintstephenhounslow.church)

Facebook

[www.facebook.com/philipjamesstephen](https://www.facebook.com/philipjamesstephen)

## MEETING TOGETHER AS FRIENDS

### Opening Hymn – *during which the ministers enter the church*



- 1 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry  
Announces that the Lord is nigh;  
Awake and hearken, for he brings  
Glad tidings from the King of kings!
- 2 Then cleansed be ev'ry breast from sin;  
Make straight the way for God within,  
prepare we in our hearts a home  
where such a mighty guest may come
- 3 For thou art our salvation, Lord,  
Our refuge, and our great reward;  
Without thy grace we waste away  
Like flowers that wither and decay.

- 4 To heal the sick stretch out thine hand,  
And bid the fallen sinner stand;  
Shine forth, and let thy light restore  
Earth's own true loveliness once more.
- 5 All praise, eternal Son, to thee  
Whose advent doth thy people free,  
Whom, with the Father, we adore,  
And Holy Ghost, for evermore.

*Jordanis oras praevia Charles Coffin (1676-1749)  
translated John Chandler (1806-1876)*

## The Greeting

In the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

*All* **Amen.**

Welcome in the name of Christ.  
God's grace, mercy and peace be with you  
**and also with you.**

## The Lighting of the Advent Candle

*Second Candle - The prophets who foretold the birth of Jesus*

Light and peace, in Jesus Christ our Lord  
**Thanks be to God**

Today is the Second Sunday of Advent and we will light the  
second candle as our prayer for peace.

*(We light the first candle)*

People of God: be glad!  
Your God delights in you,  
giving you joy for sadness  
and turning the dark to light.  
Be strong in hope therefore;  
for your God comes to save.  
You are God's children.  
**Lord, make us one in the love of Christ  
today and for ever.  
Amen.**

*(We light the Second Candle)*

**Lord Jesus, light of the world,  
the prophets said you would bring peace  
and save your people in trouble.  
Give peace in our hearts at Christmas  
and show all the world God's love. Amen.**

## **Saying Sorry**

Since we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses,  
let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so  
closely,  
looking to Jesus in penitence and faith

We have wandered from your paths, yet your truth leads us  
home.

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

We have failed to live as your children, yet your love restores  
us.

Christ, have mercy.

**All Christ, have mercy.**

We are disfigured by our sin, yet your power heals us.

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

May God who loved the world so much  
that he sent his Son to be our Saviour  
forgive you your sins  
and make you holy to serve him in the world,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All* **Amen.**

## **The Prayer for the Week**

Almighty God,  
purify our hearts and minds,  
that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again  
as judge and saviour  
we may be ready to receive him,  
who is our Lord and our God. **Amen.**

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

**Reading** – *the reading is written in the eleventh chapter of the  
Prophecy of Isaiah, beginning at the first verse [Isaiah 11.1-10]*

A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse;  
from his roots a Branch will bear fruit.  
The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him –  
the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding,  
the Spirit of counsel and of power,  
the Spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD –  
and he will delight in the fear of the LORD.  
He will not judge by what he sees with his eyes,  
or decide by what he hears with his ears;  
but with righteousness he will judge the needy,  
with justice he will give decisions for the poor of the earth.  
He will strike the earth with the rod of his mouth;  
with the breath of his lips he will slay the wicked.  
Righteousness will be his belt

and faithfulness the sash round his waist.  
The wolf will live with the lamb,  
the leopard will lie down with the goat,  
the calf and the lion and the yearling together;  
and a little child will lead them.  
The cow will feed with the bear,  
their young will lie down together,  
and the lion will eat straw like the ox.  
The infant will play near the hole of the cobra,  
and the young child put his hand into the viper's nest.  
They will neither harm nor destroy  
on all my holy mountain,  
for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the LORD  
as the waters cover the sea.

In that day the Root of Jesse will stand as a banner for the  
peoples; the nations will rally to him, and his place of rest will  
be glorious.

*At the end the reader may say*

This is the word of the Lord.

**All Thanks be to God.**



## **Gospel Reading – Matthew 3. 1-12**

Alleluia, alleluia.

Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight,  
and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

*All* **Alleluia.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

*All* **Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>In those days John the Baptist appeared in the wilderness of Judea, proclaiming, <sup>2</sup>‘Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.’ <sup>3</sup>This is the one of whom the prophet Isaiah spoke when he said,

‘The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:

“Prepare the way of the Lord,  
make his paths straight.”’

<sup>4</sup>Now John wore clothing of camel’s hair with a leather belt around his waist, and his food was locusts and wild honey.

<sup>5</sup>Then the people of Jerusalem and all Judea were going out to him, and all the region along the Jordan, <sup>6</sup>and they were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. <sup>7</sup>But when he saw many Pharisees and Sadducees coming for baptism, he said to them, ‘You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? <sup>8</sup>Bear fruit worthy of repentance. <sup>9</sup>Do not presume to say to yourselves, “We have Abraham as our ancestor”; for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children to Abraham. <sup>10</sup>Even now the axe is lying at the root of the trees; every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. <sup>11</sup>I baptize you with water for repentance, but one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. <sup>12</sup>His winnowing-fork is in his hand, and he will clear his threshing-floor and will gather his wheat into the granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

*All* **Praise to you, O Christ**

## **Talk**

## What We Believe

Let us declare our belief in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,  
source of all being and life,  
the one for whom we exist?

*All* **We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,  
who took our human nature,  
died for us and rose again?

*All* **We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,  
who gives life to the people of God  
and makes Christ known in the world?

*All* **We believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the Church.

*All* **This is our faith.**  
**We believe and trust in one God,**  
**Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**  
**Amen.**

## Prayers of Intercession

## RECEIVING GOD'S GIFTS

### The Peace

In the tender mercy of our God,  
the dayspring from on high shall break upon us,  
to give light to those who dwell in darkness  
and in the shadow of death  
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you  
*All* **and also with you.**



## Offertory Hymn – *All stand*

1. Make way, make way, for Christ the King in splendour arrives; fling  
wide the gates and welcome him in - to your lives. Make  
way, make way, make way, make way, for the King of kings; for the King of kings; make  
way, make way, make way, make way, and let his kingdom in!

Make way, make way, for Christ the King  
in splendour arrives;  
fling wide the gates and welcome Him  
into your lives.

*Make way! (Make way!) Make way! (Make way!)  
For the King of kings (For the King of kings.)  
Make way! (Make way!) Make way! (Make way!)  
And let His kingdom in.*

He comes the broken hearts to heal,  
the prisoners to free;  
the deaf shall hear, the lame shall dance,  
the blind shall see.

*Refrain*

And those who mourn with heavy hearts,  
who weep and sigh,  
with laughter, joy and royal crown  
he'll beautify.

*Refrain*

We call you now to worship Him  
as Lord of all,  
to have no gods before Him,  
their thrones must fall!

*Refrain*

*Graham Kendrick (born 1950)*

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation:  
through your goodness we have this bread to set before you,  
which earth has given and human hands have made.  
It will become for us the bread of life.

**Blessed be God for ever.**

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation:  
through your goodness we have this wine to set before you,  
fruit of the vine and work of human hands.  
It will become for us the cup of salvation.

**Blessed be God for ever.**

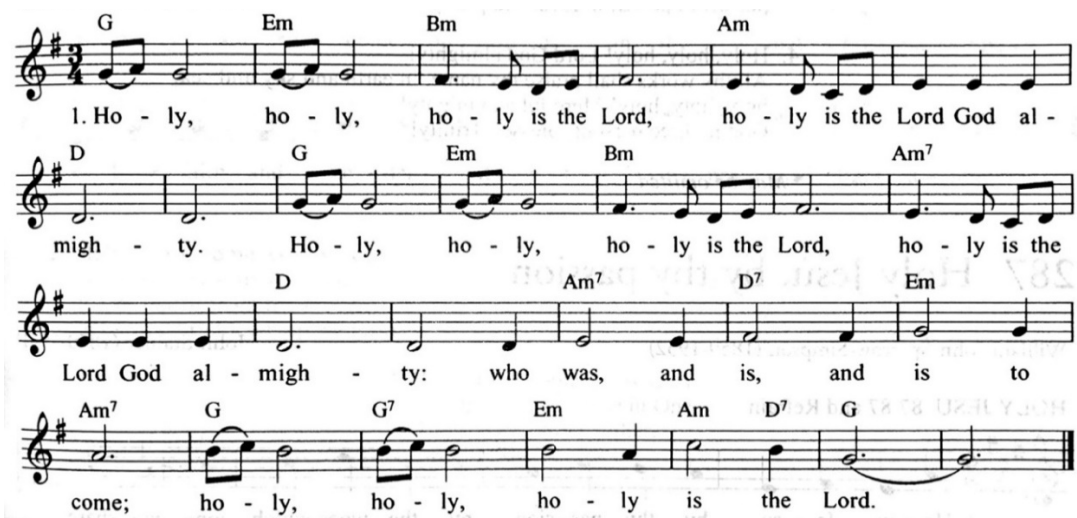
## **The Eucharistic Prayer**

The Lord be with you  
*All* **and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.  
*All* **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
*All* **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

Almighty God, good Father to us all,  
your face is turned towards your world.  
In love you gave us Jesus your Son  
to rescue us from sin and death.  
Your Word goes out to call us home  
to the city where angels sing your praise.  
We join with them in heaven's song:



**All Holy, holy, holy is the Lord,  
holy is the Lord God almighty.  
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord,  
holy is the Lord God almighty:  
who was, and is, and is to come;  
holy, holy, holy is the Lord.**

**Blessèd, blessèd, blest is he who comes,  
blest is he comes in the Lord's name.  
Blessèd, blessèd, blest is he who comes,  
blest is he comes in the Lord's name.  
Hosanna in the heights of heav'n.  
Blessèd, blessèd, blessèd is the Lord.**

Father of all, we give you thanks  
for every gift that comes from heaven.

To the darkness Jesus came as your light.  
With signs of faith and words of hope  
he touched untouchables with love and washed the guilty  
clean.

This is his story.

*All* **This is our song:  
Hosanna in the highest.**

The crowds came out to see your Son,  
yet at the end they turned on him.  
On the night he was betrayed  
he came to table with his friends  
to celebrate the freedom of your people.

This is his story.

*All* **This is our song:  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Jesus blessed you, Father, for the food;  
he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and said:  
*This is my body, given for you all.*  
Jesus then gave thanks for the wine;  
he took the cup, gave it and said:  
*This is my blood, shed for you all  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this in remembrance of me.*

This is our story.

*All* **This is our song:  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Therefore, Father, with this bread and this cup  
we celebrate the cross  
on which he died to set us free.  
Defying death he rose again  
and is alive with you to plead for us and all the world.

This is our story.

*All* **This is our song:  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Send your Spirit on us now ✠  
that by these gifts we may feed on Christ  
with opened eyes and hearts on fire.

May we and all who share this food  
offer ourselves to live for you  
and be welcomed at your feast in heaven  
where all creation worships you,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

*All* **Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever.  
Amen.**

## **The Lord's Prayer**

Awaiting his coming in glory,  
let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us:

*All* **Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come;  
thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever.  
Amen.**

## **Breaking of the Bread**

We break this bread  
to share in the body of Christ.

*All* **Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread**



## Giving of Communion

Draw near with faith.  
Receive the body of our Lord Jesus Christ  
which he gave for you,  
and his blood which he shed for you.  
Eat and drink  
in remembrance that he died for you,  
and feed on him in your hearts  
by faith with thanksgiving.

*The president and people receive communion as music is played.*

## Prayer after Communion

O Lord our God,  
make us watchful and keep us faithful  
as we await the coming of your Son our Lord;  
that, when he shall appear,  
he may not find us sleeping in sin  
but active in his service  
and joyful in his praise;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All* **Almighty God,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies  
to be a living sacrifice.  
Send us out  
in the power of your Spirit  
to live and work  
to your praise and glory.  
Amen.**

# GOING OUT AND SERVING THE WORLD

## Song

*Unison*

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace, and the

moun-tains and the hills shall break forth be - fore you. There'll be

shouts of joy and the trees of the field shall clap, shall clap their

hands. And the trees of the field shall clap their hands, and the

trees of the field shall clap their hands, and the trees of the field shall

clap their hands, and you'll go out with joy.

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace,  
and the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you.  
There'll be shouts of joy and the trees of the field  
shall clap, shall clap their hands,  
and the trees of the field shall clap their hands,  
and the trees of the field shall clap their hands,  
and the trees of the field shall clap their hands,  
and you'll go out with joy.

*Stuart Dauermann (born 1944)*

## **Blessing**

May God the Father, judge all-merciful,  
make us worthy of a place in his kingdom.

**Amen.**

May God the Son, coming among us in power,  
reveal in our midst the promise of his glory.

**Amen.**

May God the Holy Spirit make us steadfast in faith,  
joyful in hope and constant in love.

**Amen.**

And the blessing ...

Our Lord says, 'I am coming soon.'

**Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

May the Lord, when he comes,  
**find us watching and waiting.**

**Amen.**

*The ministers and people depart.*

## SERVICE TIMES

### Services for the week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> December 2022

<b>Sunday</b>	<b><i>The Second Sunday of Advent</i></b>		
	8.00am	Holy Communion BCP	<b>SsPJ</b>
	9.30am	All Age Eucharist CW <i>Isaiah 11.1-10</i> <i>Psalms 72.1-7, 18, 19*</i> <i>Romans 15.4-13</i> <i>Matthew 3.1-12</i> <i>followed by refreshments</i>	<b>SsPJ</b>
	11.15am	All Age Eucharist CW <i>followed by refreshments</i>	<b>SSH</b>
<b>Monday</b>	9.30am	Morning Prayer	<b>Live Stream</b>
	11:30	Said Eucharist	<b>White farm Lodge</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am	Holy Communion 1662 <i>followed by refreshments</i>	<b>SSH</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.30am	Morning Prayer	<b>Live Stream</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	Said Eucharist CW	<b>SsPJ</b>
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b><i>The Third Sunday of Advent</i></b>		
	8.00am	Said Eucharist CW	<b>SsPJ</b>
	9.30am	Parish Eucharist CW <i>Junior Church</i> <i>followed by refreshments</i> <i>Isaiah 35.1-10</i> <i>Psalms 146.4-10 or Magnificat</i> <i>James 5.7-10</i> <i>Matthew 11.2-11</i>	<b>SsPJ</b>
	11.15am	Parish Eucharist CW <i>followed by refreshments</i>	<b>SSH</b>

## NOTICES

### Next Week at St Stephen's

Reader –

*Isaiah 35.1-10*

*Psalms 146.4-10 or Magnificat*

*James 5.7-10*

*Matthew 11.2-11*

Sidesmen – Peter Lee

Coffee –

Intercessions - Genna Martinez

### Advent Meditation and Compline

This will be held on Zoom across Advent on the following dates  
(please note the variation from the previous notice)

- Thursday December 1st – 7.30pm
- Thursday December 8th – 7.30pm
- Wednesday December 14th – 7.30pm
- Thursday December 22nd – 7.30pm

Please do sign up for this event by following this

link: <https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/y1owetc3>

### Christmas Donations for SPEAR

Whilst you are out shopping for Christmas presents for loved ones this year, please spare a thought for the homeless in our borough and the work of SPEAR.

SPEAR work with people experiencing homelessness beyond providing accommodation, supporting them to reach their hopes and aspirations and become part of a community. They would be particularly grateful to receive gifts of new socks & underwear, and men's casual clothes - hoodies and jogging bottoms.

Please leave in the box at the back of church and they will be delivered to SPEAR before Christmas. Any queries, please speak to or email Gavin Cowling (07801 580040 / [gavin@cowlingsunlimited.com](mailto:gavin@cowlingsunlimited.com))

### Drivers for Christmas Day Dinner

Ss Philip + James will be hosting the CTiW Christmas Day Dinner in the Church Hall on Christmas Day. This is an opportunity for

those in our Whitton community who might otherwise be on their own on Christmas Day to come together and share food and fellowship. Drivers are needed to pick up guests (12 noon) and return them home after the meal (3.15 pm).

If you feel that you can volunteer for this please speak to or email Gavin Cowling for further details (07801 580040 / gavin@cowlingsunlimited.com). This is a most rewarding experience!

## **Bereavement Café**

Please note the Café on 4th December, 2pm – 4pm will be held in the **Church** Ss Philip & James and **not** the Parish Hall.

January's Café will be held on Sunday 8th instead of the 1st of the month and will be back in the Parish Hall.

## **100 / Alphabet Club renewals.**

It is now time for us to collect monies for the 2023 membership. The 100 club subscription is £12 for each number for the year and the alphabet club is £100 for each tile. If you are already a member there is a letter for you at the back of the church, but if you live near to someone and they are not here it would help Debby and Mark a lot if you could deliver theirs.

All details about paying are the same **as before, however as it costs the church £1.50 to cash each cheque now, if you wish to pay by this method you need to add this to your total [ie £13.50 for one number, £25.50 for 2 numbers etc]**

If you do not wish to continue your membership[s] please let Debby know so that she can find replacements and if you would like to join please take a letter from the back pew as there are 5 numbers available.

## **‘Winter Warmer’**

**Sunday 4 December, 6.00pm, St Stephen's Church Hall**

**HLO present songs and poems for a winter's night**

Let It Snow! A Winter's Tale Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer

White Christmas

Audience singalong!

*Featuring Dairy Meadow Primary School children's choir*

Tickets £12 (under 12s £6)

Credit/debit cards (with booking fee)

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/hlo](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/hlo)

Phone 07942 365157 Email [info@hlo.org.uk](mailto:info@hlo.org.uk)

## **Carol Concert**

Chase Bridge Community Choir are hosting a FREE CAROL CONCERT at Ss Philip & James, Church, 7:30pm Tuesday 6th December. Come along to sing some carols or relax and listen with a mince pie. Refreshments will be available; all proceeds and any donations will go towards the church.

All are welcome!

## **COVID Pandemic Memorial Service**

A memorial service will be held on Thursday 23rd March, 7pm – 8pm at Ss Philip & James Church

A Service of Commemoration for those who lost their lives as a result of the Coronavirus Pandemic. This service marks the third anniversary since the first lockdown.

We will also bless the memorial benches, purchased with funds raised in memory of those who suffered in any way during the pandemic.

<https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/comzik5a>

## **School Site Manager vacancy**

Bishop Perrin CE Primary School in Whitton are advertising for a Site Manager. Please also feel free to share with anyone you know that might be interested.

<https://www.eteach.com/job/school-site-manager-1288241>

## **CROSSBridges Magazine Subscription**

If you wish to subscribe to our excellent joint-parishes Magazine, you can do so in two ways:

Print form            £15 per year – *speak to a sidesman*

Digital Form        £5 per year to your inbox

To subscribe digitally, please use this link:

<https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/daihtsrf>

## Church School Supplementary Forms

Please note that Fr David will only sign school forms for those parents whose names are on our Electoral Roll and therefore worshipping members of the parish community.

If you wish to have a school form signed for the 2023 intake, please leave your form in the Parish Office. Fr David will sign them in batches and you will be contacted once your form is ready to collect.

We respectfully ask that you do not give him forms after Sunday services or bring them directly to the Vicarage given the numbers of forms typically involved. Thank you

## Contact Details

If you wish to have your name and contact email address added to our database, please write your details on a separate piece of paper and give it to Fr David. Our database is held on a computer programme called ChurchSuite.

## Notices for the Service Booklets

If you have any notices for the Service Booklet please forward them to the Office email by the preceding **Monday** evening.

## Social & Fundraising Events 2022/23

For you to make space in your diaries, we are pleased to announce the following events which are warmly open to members of both parishes:

<b>10<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Christmas Coffee Morning</b> Ss Philip & James 10-12noon <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu</a>	Food and drink, raffles and good times! Open to all!
<b>11<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Christmas Lunch</b> Ss Philip & James Parish Hall Event Page: <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/wdd6pxoc">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/wdd6pxoc</a>	More information below and from Tim & Jan Furze
<b>12<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Mindfulness Monday</b> 6.30pm – 8.00pm at SsPJ Church There is no cost and you do not have to book.	All Welcome For more details please contact Debby Johnson



<b>17<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>SSH Community Garden &amp; Coffee Morning</b> 9.30am-12pm <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/qt9srjqr">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/qt9srjqr</a>	All welcome – bring yourselves, wellies and tools
<b>7<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Community Lunches</b> 12noon – 2pm St Stephen's Parish Hall All welcome <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/kxad0vvc">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/kxad0vvc</a>	For more information please contact Sally Billenness
<b>14<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Coffee Morning</b> Ss Philip & James 10-12noon <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu</a>	Food and drink, raffles and good times! Open to all!
<b>19<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>SPACE</b> 2.30pm in the SsPJ Parish Hall Refreshments, conversation and activities.	All Welcome For more details please contact Peter Lee
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> January</b>	<b>Mindfulness Monday</b> 2.00pm – 3.30pm at SsPJ Church There is no cost and you do not have to book	All Welcome For more details please contact Debby Johnson
<b>11<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Coffee Morning</b> Ss Philip & James 10-12noon <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/1coijjxu</a>	Food and drink, raffles and good times! Open to all!
<b>13<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Mindfulness Monday</b> 6.30pm – 8.00pm at SsPJ Church There is no cost and you do not have to book.	All Welcome For more details please contact Debby Johnson
<b>16<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>SPACE</b> 2.30pm in the SsPJ Parish Hall Refreshments, conversation and activities.	All Welcome For more details please contact Peter Lee
<b>27<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Mindfulness Monday</b> 2.00pm – 3.30pm at SsPJ Church There is no cost and you do not have to book	All Welcome For more details please contact Debby Johnson
<b>13<sup>th</sup> May 2023</b>	<b>May Fair 2023</b> Ss Philip & James Church & Grounds Event Page: <a href="https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/f8ooiiar">https://sspjssh.churchsuite.com/events/f8ooiiar</a>	Book this date into your diary now!  More details to follow!

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

### Sunday, 4 December – The Second Sunday in Advent

#### **Prayer Intention: The Parish Communities**

08:00	Holy Communion BCP	SsPJ
09:30	Parish Eucharist CW	SsPJ
	<i>Junior Church</i>	
	<i>Refreshments</i>	
11:15	Parish Eucharist	SSH
	<i>Refreshments</i>	
13:00	All Aboard Club	Parish Hall – SSH
15:00	Private Hall Booking	Parish Hall – SsPJ
18:00	HLO Winter Warmer Concert	Parish Hall – SSH

### Monday, 5 December

#### **Prayer Intention: The homeless and hungry and those charities who serve them**

08:15	Parkside Playgroup	Parish Hall – SSH
08:30	Parish Office Open	
09:30	Morning Prayer [Live Stream]	Facebook
09:30	Fireflies – Parent & Toddler Group	Parish Hall – SsPJ
11:30	Said Eucharist	Whitefarm Lodge
14:00	Mindfulness Monday	SsPJ
19:30	NCT – Yoga for Pregnancy	Parish Hall – SsPJ
20:00	Hounslow Light Opera	Parish Hall - SSH

### Tuesday, 6 December - Nicholas, c.326

#### **Prayer Intention: Our King and Government, local and national**

08:15	Parkside Playgroup	Parish Hall - SSH
08:30	Parish Office Open	
09:30	Holy Communion 1662 [Live-Stream]	SSH
10:00	EAL Language Class	Parish Hall – SsPJ
16:30	Rainbow Guides	Parish Hall – SsPJ
19:00	Guides	Parish Hall – SsPJ
19:00	Hospitality Group Meeting	Parish Office -SsPJ
19:30	Chase Bridge Community Carol Concert	SsPJ

Wednesday, 7 December - Ambrose, 397

**Prayer Intention: Our families near and far**

Parish Office CLOSED

08:15	Parkside Playgroup	Parish Hall – SSH
09:30	Morning Prayer [Live Stream]	Facebook
09:30	Zumba GOLD	Parish Hall – SsPJ
10:30	Zumba GOLD	Parish Hall – SsPJ
17:15	SKC Twickenham Karate	Parish Hall – SsPJ
18:30	Zumba	Parish Hall - SsPJ
20:00	'Pints of View' Fellowship	The Nelson Pub

Thursday, 8 December - Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Prayer Intention: Our bishops, archdeacon and area deans**

08:15	Parkside Playgroup	Parish Hall - SSH
08:30	Parish Office Open	
09:30	Said Eucharist - [Live Stream]	SsPJ
10:30	Baby & Me	Parish Hall – SsPJ
19:00	Finance Group meeting	Parish Office -SsPJ
19:30	Advent Compline with Meditation	Zoom

Friday, 9 December

**Prayer Intention: Persecuted Christians around the World**

08:15	Parkside Playgroup	Parish Hall – SSH
08:30	Parish Office Open	
09:30	Fireflies – Parent & Toddler Group	Parish Hall – SsPJ
18:00	Junior Choir Practice	SsPJ
19:00	Adult Choir Practice	SsPJ

Saturday, 10 December

**Prayer Intention: Those affected by addiction and those who support them**

08:00	Strong 30 Hiit Workout	Parish Hall – SsPJ
09:00	Private Singing lessons	SsPJ
10:00	Christmas Coffee Morning	Parish Hall – SsPJ
14:00	DERA Carols & Mulled Wine	DERA Hall
14:00	Karate Class	Parish Hall – SsPJ
16:00	Private Hall Booking	Parish Hall – SsPJ

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