

## St Augustine's Thorpe Bay

**Voluntary:** Lorraine

**Today - Advent Prose:** the 10:00am service will begin with an Advent Prose which will be found above the first hymn on page 2 of the newsletter. The **bold wording** will be said by the congregation. **Linda**

**Roundabout:** The Christmas (bumper) edition of the church magazine is now available at the back of the church. Please take your copy and further ones for 'stocking fillers' for relations and friends. **PS** the non-deliberate mistake in the Advent and Christmas Services reminders is the Carol Service will be on 23<sup>rd</sup> December and not 16th December. **Geoff**

**The 2019 calendars:** are now available for those who have ordered them. There are a few left over for latecomers. Please place your donations in a pink envelope and mark it 'Calendar' **Geoff**

**Chutney:** Quince and Apple chutney will be available from Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December. Donations please towards the Fabric fund. **Sarah Devereux 584233**

**Thanks:** St. Augustine's would like to thank Simon Le Mare for his work this week to help keep the church free of woodworm. **Church Wardens**

**Sound System:** The Churchwardens would like the congregation's feedback on the sound system used within the church, please leave a note or speak to them with any thoughts you may have. **Church Wardens**

**New parishioners:** there is a pile of little fliers, at the back of the church, for you to pick up when needed and pop through a front door when you notice someone new has move in.

**Fr Jonathan**

**Coasters:** they are free, but I would suggest a minimum gift-aided donation of £2.50 each, the proceeds of which will go to church funds. An excellent and rather classy Christmas present! **Fr Jonathan**

**POSTAGE STAMPS:** With Christmas approaching - please keep your used postage stamps and place them in the box at the back of the church. These will be sold and the money donated to The Leprosy Mission and The Dyslexia Institution. **Geoff**

### **Advent and Christmas Services:**

**Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec:**

Traditional Carol Service of Music and Readings

**Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas Eve –**

3pm 1<sup>st</sup> Crib service & 5pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Crib Service –

both services especially suitable for small children.

Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 11:30pm - Midnight Mass and Blessing the Crib

**Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas Day –**

8:00am Holy Communion (book of Common Prayer)

10:00am Family Eucharist with blessing the children's Christmas presents

Weekly Newsletter: Anything you wish to be mentioned send to Barbara Black: tel, 01702 297401 Mobile 07969099396 email [barbarablack29@gmail.com](mailto:barbarablack29@gmail.com) or drop it in at 162 Church Road by 4.00pm on Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018. Items for the website should be sent by mail to [peterbarron885@hotmail.com](mailto:peterbarron885@hotmail.com) or [barbarablack29@gmail.com](mailto:barbarablack29@gmail.com)

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## **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018: The First Sunday in Advent**

A warm welcome to St Augustine's Church today. All those who are baptised and accustomed to receiving communion in their own churches are invited to do so here. Gluten free Communion wafers are available - please ask when you come up to the altar rails. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please feel free to come to the altar rail holding a service booklet. Junior Church: meets in the vestry during the service until communion and all children aged three and upwards are invited to come up after the first hymn with the others. Parents and carers are welcome to accompany the shy. "Common Praise" hymn books are in the back of the seat in front of you and you should have received a service booklet upon entry to the church.

### **Worship today**

8.00am: Holy Communion (BCP)

10:00am: Eucharist and Junior Church

3.30pm - Children's Christingle starting in the Church Hall

4:00pm at the Church

### **Worship this coming week**

Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Dec: 9:30 am - Walsingham Eucharist

Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Dec: 10:00am - Holy Communion

Morning / Evening Prayer **Monday to Friday** 9:00am and 5:00pm

### **Services next Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December: 2nd Sunday in Advent**

8.00am: Holy Communion

10.00am: Eucharist and Junior Church

6:30pm: Evensong

### **WHO'S WHO**

Vicar:	01702	Curate:	01702
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Churchwarden:	01702	Churchwarden:	01702
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### Advent Prose

**Cantor:** *Pour down, O heavens, from above, and let the skies rain down righteousness. Turn your fierce anger from us, O Lord and remember not our sins for ever. Your holy cities have become a desert, Zion a wilderness; Jerusalem a desolation: our holy and beautiful house, where our fathers praised you.*

**All:** *Pour down, O heavens, from above, and let the skies rain down righteousness.*

**Opening Hymn:** 32 O come, O come, Emmanuel

**Collect:** *Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.*

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 33.14-16

**Second Reading:** 1 Thessalonians 3.9-end

**Gradual Hymn:** 24 Come, thou long-expected Jesus

**Gospel:** Luke 21.25-36 *'There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see "the Son of Man coming in a cloud" with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.'* Then he told them a parable: *'Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. 'Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day does not catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.'*

**Offertory Hymn:** 35 People, look East. The time is near

**Communion Hymn:** 292 Come, Holy Ghost, thine influence shed

**Post-Communion Prayer:** *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.*

**Closing Hymn:** *Mine eyes have seen the glory (separate sheet)*

*Please join us for refreshments after the 10.00 am service today.*

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**Rest in Peace**

**Alf**

**The Sick List**

**Our prayers are asked particularly for:**

**Jacky Beaumont, Sara Corke, Sally Jones\*, Claire Gay,  
David Harvey, Jeanne Peagram, Charles Waller,  
Ann Waller, Beryl Waker, Joyce Weaver**

**\*sister of Fr Bob Magor**

Others who have asked to be remembered in our prayers in church and at home (these names will not be read out):

Kevin Bickford, Gerald Buckley, Kathy Callowhill, Leanne Chittock,  
Terry Chittock, Jan Craddock, Geoff Craft, Judy Evans, Audrey Gilkes,  
Pam Gravell, Peter Hancock, Peter Harrison -Smith, Laura Holland,  
Chris Hughes, Michael Jones, Edmond Jose, Kath Kennedy, Caroline Kirner,  
Joel Morrison, Michael Porter, Joan and Paul Sentance, Nancy Varty

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**Recently Died**

**Alf Smith, Doreen Margaret Sims, Kathleen Williams**

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**Year's Mind**

**Mabel Adelaide Holmes, Marion Austen, Revd Brian Shannon,  
Arthur Lewis Johns**