Parish of Central Windsor

Keeping Us in Touch

Working together to make God's love known in Windsor

The Parish Churches of St John the Baptist, All Saints, Holy Trinity and St Stephen & St Agnes

Sunday 30th November 2025

Advent Sunday

COLLECT

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility; that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

DIARY

- 1 Charles de Foucauld, Hermit in the Sahara, 1916
 4.00-7.00pm Christmas Tree Festival Holy Trinity Church
- 2 6.15pm Windsor & Eton Living Advent Calendar Holy Trinity
- 3 Francis Xavier, Missionary, Apostle of the Indies, 1552
- 4 John of Damascus, Monk, Teacher of the Faith, c.749 Nicholas Ferrar, Deacon, Founder of the Little Gidding Community, 1637
- 5 10am Coffee Morning Holy Trinity Church
- 6 Nicholas, Bishop of Myra, c.326 10am Coffee Morning – St John the Baptist Church
- 7 The Second Sunday of Advent 10am Sung Eucharist – All Saints' Church 5.30pm Choral Evensong – All Saints' Church

Weekly Notices

Journey to Jerusalem

Rehearsals are at 7.00-8.00pm on Mondays at St Stephen & St Agnes Church. You can find out more and listen to a recording on the website.

Advent Study Course

The Advent Study Course continues on Thursday **December 4, 11 and 18**. The time is 11.00 till 12.00 noon in the Vestry at All Saints' Church. Please email Jeremy (jeremyrichardhurst@gmail.com) if you would like to take part.

Charity Coffee Morning

In aid of Save the Children at Holy Trinity Church from 10.00-12.00 on Friday **5**th **December**. Please speak to Penny Wells if you would like to help/provide a cake

St Nicholas Day Coffee Morning and Concert

Everyone is welcome to come along to support this Friends of Windsor Parish Church event on Saturday **6**th **December** from 10.00am to 12.30pm, with entertainment from the children of Ascot Music School from 11.00am

Evensong for Advent

There will be a service of Choral Evensong at All Saints' Church on Sunday **7**th **December** at 5.30pm

Wednesday Holy Communion at Holy Trinity

Please note that there will be no 11.00am service of Holy Communion on **10**th **December**

Claremont Singers Christmas Concert

All welcome to come along to this festive concert at 3.00pm on **14**th **December** at Holy Trinity Church

Christmas Day Lunch

Alone at Christmas or know someone who is? The St Vincent de Paul Society **Christmas Lunch** is open to all. St Edward's Parish Centre, Alma Road. Free transport available. Booking essential. Contact: 07547 514467 or xmas.svp.ctk@gmail.com

Messy Church: Change of Date

The next Messy Church will take place on Friday **7**th **January.** Please note this change of date

Parish	Christ	tmas S	Service	25

20 ^{tn}	Dec 6.00pm	Carols by Candlelight	Holy Trinity Church	
21 st	Dec 6.00pm	Carols by Candlelight	Holy Trinity Church	
24 th	Dec 3.00pm	Crib Service	St Stephen & St Agnes Church	
	3.00pm	Crib Service & Christingle	All Saints' Church	
	6.15pm	Living Advent Calendar	St John the Baptist Church	
	11.15pm	Midnight Mass	St Stephen & St Agnes Church	
	11.15pm	Midnight Communion	Holy Trinity Church	
25 th	Dec 8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Holy Trinity Church	
	10.00am	Family Eucharist with Carols All Saints' Church		
	11.15am	Christmas Morning Praise with Holy Communion		
			St John the Baptist Church	
26 th	Dec 10.00am	Said Eucharist (St Stephen's Day)		
			St Stephen & St Agnes Church	

Parish Information

Sunday Services in the Parish at 10.00am unless stated

7th December All Saints' Parish Church (Second Sunday of Advent)

5.30pm Choral Evensong for Advent (All Saints' Parish Church)

14th December Parish Church of St Stephen & St Agnes (Third Sunday of Advent)

21st December Parish Church of St John the Baptist (Fourth Sunday of Advent)

6.00pm Carols by Candlelight, Holy Trinity Parish &

Garrison Church

28th December Holy Trinity Parish & Garrison Church (Holy Innocents)

Parish Finances

You can donate to the Parish by giving regularly by Direct Debit through the Parish Giving Scheme. You can register by:

- phone by calling 0333 002 1271 and quoting the parish code 27A627391 (you will need your bank details to hand)
- visiting the PGS page for our parish or by searching for the Parish of Central Windsor on parishgiving.org.uk.
- using the QR code

You can also make a one off online donation this way. Alternatively, please contact our Parish Administrator (windsor.churchoffice@gmail.com) or Rector (windsor.rector@gmail.com) or one of the PCC Treasurers for bank transfer details.

Service Booklets

Please download the service booklet to your tablet/smartphone or print it off at home before you come to church. You can also download it from our website and, for ease, a QR code is available at the back of the church.

Weekday Services

Monday	Morning Prayer	9.00am	All Saints' Church
Tuesday	Morning Prayer	9.00am	On Zoom only

St Stephen & St Agnes Church Wednesday Morning Prayer 9.00am

Holy Communion (BCP) 11.00am Holy Trinity Church

Morning Prayer On Zoom only Thursday 9.00am

Friday Morning Prayer 9.00am Holy Trinity Church

If you would like to join the Zoom Morning Prayer please contact

Parish Administrator, Steve Smith - Email: windsor.churchoffice@gmail.com

Church Opening Times

St John the Baptist Church and St Stephen & St Agnes Church are open most days for individual prayer. All Saints' Church is open on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday. Holy Trinity Church is usually open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings, 10.00am-12.00 Noon.

Items for this Leaflet:

Please send any requests or information for the KUiT leaflet to Parish Administrator, Steve Smith - Email: windsor.churchoffice@gmail.com

For Your Prayers - Week beginning 30th November

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. Amen

This month please pray for these streets in Windsor: Acre Passage, Stovell Road, Trinity Place, Russell Street, Vansittart Road, Westmead, Bexley Street, Windmill Close and York Road.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Sunday 30th

Visionaries and mystics; for a blessed and peaceful Advent

Monday 1st

Those who work at sea or on water

Tuesday 2nd

Those suffering fuel poverty, all concerned about paying fuel bills

Wednesday 3rd

Church in Sri Lanka, Malaysia and Japan

Thursday 4th

Staff and pupils of Upton House, StERF and Trevelyan Middle School

Friday 5th

Those called to life in Community

Parish Administrator: Mr Steve Smith

Saturday 6th

Children, new parents and all with caring responsibilities

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