

in partnership with Guildford Methodist Church

a member of the cluster group with St Nicolas' and St Saviour's, Guildford

WELCOME

If you are a newcomer to the congregation, please make yourself known to one of the clergy or sides-people.

Coffee will be served after both morning services in the Holy Trinity & St Mary's.

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

HT Under 3s

Young children are welcome to play with toys in St Luke's Chapel at the back of Holy Trinity.

HT Junior Church (3-7 years)
Trinity Breakfast Club (8+ years)
The Christmas Story with Pippa
Mitchell.



Sunday 8th December 2019 The Second Sunday of Advent

The Collect

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.



Our thanks to Guildford High Junior School for the fantastic textile banners now decorating Holy Trinity Church for our Christmas season following their carol service on Tuesday.

Join us this Festive Season in making your own Christmas Wreath and Pomanders with hot mince pies, tea and coffee in the Trinity Centre Lower Hall on Monday 9th December 10.00am-12.00pm. Bring your own evergreen, orange, decorations, ribbon, wreath ring, secateurs and florist wire or let Nicky Matthews or Mari Gardiner know and we'll provide. All are welcome!

Monthly Organ Recital - Peter Wright (Southwark Cathedral) on Wednesday 11 December at 1.10pm in Holy Trinity (during the building works at St Mary's). Admission is free with a retiring collection.

WALK THE STORY... find Christmas. A lunchtime reflection on Thursday 12 December, from 12.15 until 1.30pm, at which Rev Andrew Wheeler will be introducing a stunning new Christmas pathway. In 21 metres we walk from Chaos through Creation and the Fall, through the Nativity to the ultimate promise of being with God. Do come along. There will be a bread and soup lunch.

PLEASE SUBMIT ITEMS FOR THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER BY WEDNESDAY MIDDAY

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Prayer & Worship



Today at St Mary's

8 Dec 2nd Sunday of Advent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: Robert Cotton

10.30am Advent WorshipLeader: Brian RobertsPreacher: Brian Roberts

6.00pm Yvonne Arnaud Theatre Service

Next Sunday at St Mary's

15 Dec 3rd Sunday of Advent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Preacher: Jonathan Hedgecock

10.30am Communion for Guildford

Leader: Rod Pierce

Preacher: Andrew Wheeler

Next Sunday at Holy Trinity

15 Dec 3rd Sunday of Advent

10.00am Nativity Service Preacher: Robert Cotton

Special order of service

NO EVENING SERVICE

Morning Prayer this week will be said in the Queen's Chapel at Holy Trinity Monday — Thursday at 8.30am and on Saturday at 9.30am before Saturday Coffee.

Today at Holy Trinity

8 Dec 2nd Sunday of Advent

10.00am Advent Eucharist Preacher: Stephen Marriott

Reading: Isaiah 11.1-10 (Michelle Pierce)

Gospel: Matt 3.1-12 (H. Parkinson)

Intercessions: Ian Hay-Campbell Advent: Prose v.2 plainsong

Hymns: 34, 234 (t. 596), 444, -, 31
Setting: New English folk mass *plain*

song

Organ: Fuga sopra 'Il Magnificat'

BWV733 J.S. Bach

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Preacher: Rod Pierce

1st Reading: 1 Kings 18.17-39 (Jillian Doran) 2nd Reading: John 1.19-28 (Phil Hancock)

Hymns: 27, 38 (omit *), 40

Psalm: 2 Wadely Responses: Ayleward

Magnificat &

Nunc dimittis: Day in Bb

Anthem: Let all mortal flesh keep silence

Bairstow

Organ: Chorale Prelude 'Wachet auf!'

BWV 645 J.S. Bach

This week we remember in our prayers:

† In our town: Jane Macaulay, Chairman of the Bench

† In our parish churches: all those involved with the Altar Guild.

† Those who are sick among them: Robert Alcock and Ken Joyner.