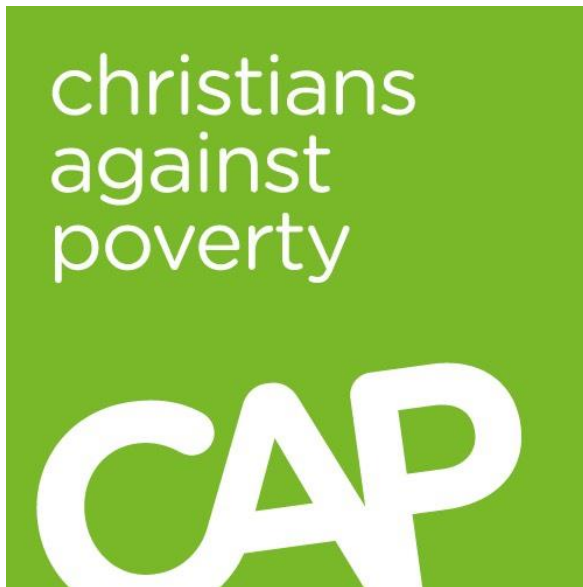


St. Paul's Heaton Moor

Part of the Heaton's Team

Third Sunday before Advent

6th November 2022



Welcome to our Service of Holy Communion

We welcome Phil Roberts from Christians Against Poverty who will be speaking today.

Today's Hymns

Yellow Book (NHWS)

Onward Christian Pilgrims 260

Bind us together 27

Take my life 309

Communion: The king is among us 319 & Let there be love 194

Great is thy faithfulness 113

Readings

Lamentations 3.19-24

The thought of my affliction and my homelessness
is wormwood and gall!

My soul continually thinks of it

and is bowed down within me.

But this I call to mind,

and therefore I have hope:

The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases,

his mercies never come to an end;

they are new every morning;

great is your faithfulness.

'The LORD is my portion,' says my soul,

'therefore I will hope in him.'

Services this week

(services are at St Paul's unless otherwise stated)

We are a people of prayer and we would like to encourage others to pray with us or just to sit in the presence of God in our churches.

Monday 7th November St John's 09.00am Holy Communion with healing.

Tuesday 8th November St John's 9:30am Morning Prayer led by Elaine Hughes followed by light breakfast

Wednesday 9th November 9.45am Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion followed by 'Brew in a Pew' see below in Diary Dates

Thursday 10th November 6.00pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 13th November 10.45am Remembrance Sunday service (no Holy Communion), with Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial.

Diary dates

Every Wednesday 'Brew in a Pew' 10.30-12.00 Tea, coffee and cake following Holy Communion, with quizzes, piano and singing, or just enjoy a 'Warm Space'.

Every Monday at St John's 1.30-3.30 Coffee and Conversation in a 'Warm Space' Light-hearted conversation and friendly company every Monday.

If anybody is able to help during these times to welcome people, make cups of tea and coffee etc then this would be very much appreciated.

Sunday 4th December 4.00pm St Nicholas Day Service at St Paul's Following the Lantern Parade from Heaton's Hub which will end at St Paul's there will be a short family service about St Nicholas, the original Father Christmas. There will hopefully be a visit from St Nicholas with treats for the children.

Monday 5th December 3.15pm St Nicholas Day Service at St John's Following Lantern Parade from St John's School.

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We are praying for...

In memoriam

We pray for those whose anniversaries fall this week
'May they rest in peace, and rise in glory'

Also in our prayers

Gordon; Raymond; Jeremy; Jean; Rev Canon Marcia Wall; Derek; Peggy.

Our neighbours

In November we are praying for Broomfield Road, Earl Road, Dalton Grove, Derby Road and Warwick Road.

Other notices

Do you know a small local business, club or organisation that would like to take part in our **Christmas Tree Festival**? This is an opportunity for a local business or group to provide a small tree (3ft), decorate it to represent their group and add battery lights. The trees can be brought into church on the morning of 3rd December (St Paul's) or after 7.30pm on 1st December (St John's) The trees will be lit at the St Nicholas Day service at each church. The trees will be on display through advent (from Monday 5th December to Epiphany on 6th January) for people to view them. Please see Revd Liz for more details.

St Paul's Church Christmas Fair will be on Saturday 3rd December 10.30am-1.30pm

We would welcome the following donations:

Good quality items for the Bric-a-brac

Books

Children's Toys and Books

Bottles (not necessarily alcohol) for the Choir's Bottle Tombola

If you have **something special which we could raffle** this would be greatly appreciated. (We will still also be doing the Christmas Hamper raffle as usual.)

Cakes for the Cake Stall

We also provide **refreshments and a cooked lunch**, so need quite a few volunteers on the day.

Let us know if you would like to help out.

Please contact Eleanor (Churchwarden)
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Please take this sheet home with you for reflection and prayer and another one for someone who may like it.

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