St Mary's Newsletter, 1st November 2026

All Saints' Day

*During communion **gluten free bread and alcohol-free wine** are available for communicants unable to consume alcohol and/or gluten on medical grounds. Please inform those administering communion and they will assist.*

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Sunday	
10am	**All Age Eucharist** at St Mary's
6pm	**All Souls' Eucharist**
Monday	10am Senior Social, All Saints' Putney
Tuesdays Term	10am St Mary's Toddler Group*, term time*
Tues-Fri	9am Morning Prayer at St Mary's
Wednesday	10am All Saints' Toddler Group with bible story, *term time only*
Weds 2 weekly	11am Study Group at St Mary's, next **11-November**
Wednesday	12.30pm Parish Eucharist
Thurs 2 weekly	7.30pm Study Group at a group member's home, next **12-Nov**
Every 3rd Fri	Taizé style service at 6pm (**20th November**)

Prayer for Racial Justice Please read ① for details.	**Team Rector Questionnaire** Please read ② for details.
Messages for Sharon Please read ③ for details.	**Christmas Tea** Please read ④ for details.

NEXT SUNDAY (8-Nov) is Remembrance Sunday, which will begin **outside** at **10.45** on **Church Square.**

① **A prayer for Racial Justice:**

O God of all nations,
you made all people in your own image:
open the eyes of our hearts,
that we may rejoice in the diversity among your children
and acknowledge the riches of your grace,
through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God now and for ever.
Amen.

② New Team Rector: If you haven't already done so just a gentle **reminder to complete** the **listening to the Voice of St Mary's questionnaire**. This can be accessed by clicking HERE or scanning the QR code. **Hard copy forms are also available** from the church office. Submissions should be received no later than **Sunday 8 November.**

③ Please keep Sharon and the Parish in your prayers. **If you would like to send Sharon a message of support**, please feel free to either email your message to clare.harbin@parishofputney.co.uk or **bring your written letter** to the office and Clare will get it to Sharon.

④ We are delighted that we will again be hosting the **Senior Christmas Community Tea** at St Mary's Church on Thursday **3rd December from 1.30-3.30**, serving sandwiches, cakes and mince pies, tea, coffee, soft drinks and fizz. St Mary's School choir will be entertaining us and there will be a free raffle and other delights! We aim to host 60 people from our local community. Please email clare.harbin@parishofputney.co.uk by **22 Nov** if you'd like to attend.

⑤ The national online service for the Church of England was filmed at the **Black History Month celebration at Southwark Cathedral**. The service was led by Bishop Rosemarie and was a celebration of those people whose care and courage and commitment strengthen our communities every day. This service has BSL and human titled captions. **You can watch it** HERE or via the QR code

⑥ Do you **feel a calling** to join the **CIRD** (Chalice/Intercessions/Reader/Deacon) rota? If you think you might be interested in joining this rota, particularly **offering support through the vacancy**, please email Clare in the office (clare.harbin@parishofputney.co.uk) to get the conversation started.

⑦ HUGE **THANK YOU** from Alex at The Yard, who says "I wanted to say how astounded I was at the amount of food that arrived at the Yard from your **Harvest Festival collection**. What incredible generosity. This food has and will make a **huge difference** to many people in the area." Thank you to everyone who donated so generously, who continues to pray for the work of The Yard and the Wandsworth Foodbank, **and for our team of volunteers who drop off every month's donations.**

⑧ Want a cheeky first claim to Gail's Sunday pastries? **Join the coffee rota**! We are looking for more folks to join to help bolster our ranks. There is **no mandatory minimum time** each month/quarter for how many times you need to volunteer - you decide when you can help out! **If interested**, contact Paige via email at welchpn@gmail.com.

⑨ **Connect with Craft**, **William Morris Room, All Saints'** 2, 16 & 30 November, 7 December **12-2pm**. Come along and craft while having a cuppa! Please do pop in or contact Eve eve.bradshaw@parishofputney.co.uk

⑩ **Dates for the diary/ Groups of Interest:**

Please also check out our website "Welcome/ What's on at St Mary's?"

- **PCC dates: 2026: 4/11**
- **St Mary's DCC dates: 2026: 25/11**
- **20s & 30s Group**: 14 November: Bowling Trip, 12 December: Christmas Crafting! clare.harbin@parishofputney.co.uk
- **Youth Group** (social youth group, Y6+) **2026** 8 & 22 Nov, 10 Jan, 7 & 28 Feb, 14 & 21 Mar, 18 Apr, 9 & 23 May, 13 Jun
- **Camino Group** (Year 8+) **Weds 7:15 - 8:45pm**
- **YMIC** (Y7+)
- **Fortnightly Study Groups**: Wed mornings (email Eve Bradshaw) or Thurs evenings (email Tina Thomas). Dates: **Wed group:** November 11 & 25, December 9. **Thurs group:** November 12, 26, December 12

Cafe Theology, a Christian theology discussion group, meeting in the café. **Next meeting, 2nd November "Providence:** What is God's will for the world and how can we discern it?" **6-7.30pm.** Info jennyclive@gmail.com

People to remember in our prayers Sebby and his parents, Gabrielle Adjei, Brian Bull, Carey, Ian Yearsley, Gwen Miles, Rex Dobinson, Diana Lowe, Mark Phillips, Robin Clarke, Peter Ridgers, Verna Parkinson, Gill Andrews, James, David Hooper, Sharon, Elizabeth, Tilden McKean, Andrea Bielenstein, Vanessa Lowndes, Kate Harrison, Simon Merritt, Angela Connell, J Ashwell, Lesley Hazel
Recently Died: Wendy Tyler, Kay Kavanagh
Anniversaries of death: Crawford Pefrie, Enid Boston, Tony Douglas, Oliver Jarvis, Max Lowry, Star Milburn, Hettie Page, Thais Downman, Lorna Sawyer-Snelling, Emma Thornton, Kathleen Hawkey, Dennis Carey, Pamela Gray, Gordon Holman, Betty Drewett, William Reeves, Edgar Hornsby, Paivi Elina Gallagher, Matthew Lynn, Gertrude Senghore, James Coady, Alexender Campbell King

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