

IMMANUEL CHURCH, HIGHTERS HEATH

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15th November, 2015 – 2nd Sunday Before Advent

Today Service 10am

Welcome to Immanuel especially if this is your first visit



Services at Immanuel Today

10am Holy Communion begins with hymn 98 and continues on page 3 of the Red Service Book

Junior Church meets today

Hymns

98 - Christ is our corner-stone
169 - Fight the good fight
686 - Through all the changing scenes of life
205 - Glorious things of thee are spoken.

Communion - 462 - My Lord, what love is this

Set Readings: Daniel 12:1-3; Hebrews 11-4(15-18)19-25; Mark 13:1-8

Next Sunday 22nd November Sunday Before Advent

8am Holy Communion
10am Holy Communion

Set Readings: Daniel 7:9-10,13-14; Revelation 1:4b-8; John 18:33-37

Children's Corner

If you have small children, and, they get a bit restless, please feel free to go with them and enjoy the children's corner at the back of church.

Toilets: Are in the church hall, next to the car park.

Refreshments: Come and have a cuppa with us in the church hall after this service. All welcome!

Please can all notices that are to be included in the pew sheet be sent to Lynne by 5pm on a Thursday

This Week

Tuesday 17th November 3.30pm Pilgrims Course in Immanuel Lady Chapel

Wednesday 18th November Holy Communion 9.30am in Immanuel Lady Chapel

Wednesday 18th November Totstime 11am-12 noon Immanuel Church

Wednesday 18th November Light A Candle 7pm Immanuel Church

Wednesday 18th November Exploring the Psalms 8pm in Immanuel Lady Chapel

Prayer for the week

To the aching heart
Send us with your peace;
To the broken heart
Send us with your love
However small or wide
Our world, Lord,
Let us warm it with the promise
That you care, Amen

Thought for the week

Teach me, O Lord to do your will, for you are my God

Prayer for Immanuel Church

Heavenly Father, we pray for the community of Highters Heath and thank you for the opportunities you have given us to reach out into it. Inspire us by your Holy Spirit as a worshipping community to encourage and find ways of bringing more people into your church. May all who come through the door, discover a life of peace and joy through worshipping you. Amen

Please take this sheet home with you

*Please Pray for those who
are ill*

Nigel
Ken and Pauline Farley
Sandra Wood
Olive Carson
Malcolm Summerhayes
Trevor Grimley
Barry Checketts
The Hough Family
Aiden Sahota (aged 8)
Elaine Summerhayes
Josh (aged 5)
Freda Traylor
Joseph Lockington
Edna McFadyen
Norma Billington
Alf Traylor
Wendy Kirby
Winston Hall
Richard and Wendy
Harding

Names on the pew sheet are continually prayed for. Alongside these prayers; everyone on the sick list, is prayed for on the first Wednesday of the month at the 9.30 Holy Communion Service. Once those prayers have been offered, I will take all the names off the list, so we can begin again. However, if there are some people on the list who need to be there longer, then can folk please let Lynne know and she will put their names back on. Revd. Rebecca

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NOTICES

Revd Helen is presiding and preaching at St Peters Hall Green today. Before she was ordained, Helen was a member of St Peters congregation.

Remembrance Sunday

A very big thank you to all who took part in leading our worship last Sunday and to those who arranged the flowers and created the poppy cross. Special thanks to Christine and Jean from us all. Revd Rebecca.

Access to Church

In a couple of weeks time, a small group from the PCC will meet with one of the firms who sent us a quote regarding the reordering of the access into church.

I am hoping work will begin in the spring next year. Revd Rebecca.

Wedding News

Congratulations to Beccy (Valerie and Paul's daughter) and Alister who were married yesterday.

Smartie Tubes

If you have not yet returned your Smartie tube, could you bring it to church during the next couple of weeks please

Red Green and Christmas Sale

Next Sunday we are holding a red, green and Christmas sale to raise funds for church. Please help by bringing themed items. There will be a box in church for you to put the items in. Thank you.

Craft Fair, Maypole Methodist Church

Saturday 28th November 11 - 1.30. Admission 25p refreshments, stalls and Santa. Tables available, please see notice at the back of church for details

Churches Together Foodbank Yardley Wood

We are asked to think about donating Christmas food to the Churches Together Foodbank at Yardley Wood. The cut off point for donations is 12th December. Food requested:

Tinned turkey
Cranberry sauce
Gravy granules and stuffing mixes
Mince pies
Custard
Christmas puddings
Christmas crackers
Chocolate selection boxes

Of course the usual food can also be donated. Thank you for your continued support.

Looking Ahead

Sunday 13th December 10.00 Christmas Gift Sunday.
Bring a new Christmas gift for a child in need in our local area. All gifts will be given to The SWEET Project for distribution.

Christmas Concert at Carrs Lane Church Centre Friday 4th December

Do come along and support Hollywood school choir as they are once again coming to entertain us with their delightful songs, please join us, refreshments will be available from 10.15am and the concert will start at 10.45am. thanks, Valerie

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