



Our next **Lunchtime concert** will be given by pupils of the Yehudi Menuhin School on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 1pm.



Please join Phe and Antony on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> December at the Rectory from 3pm– 6pm  
Open house for all – come and have a festive glass of mulled wine and a mince pie.



We are holding our **Christmas lunch** on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 1pm in the hall.

the date – the sign up sheet is now at the back of the Church.



We are holding a Burns Night Dinner and Dancing on **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2024**. The price is £45 per head to include a welcome drink, 3 course haggis supper and Scottish dancing. There will be a pay bar and a raffle. Please invite your friends and come along and support us in this fund raising event. Tickets available either individually or in tables of 8 from the Parish Office.

Please don't forget the **Reverse Advent Calendar for the Foodbank**.

All donations can be delivered to the Parish Office at any time. Details were in the November newsletter.



## St Mary's, Stoke D'Abernon

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Christ the King



### December Services at St Mary's

Dec 3	8am	Holy Communion
Advent 1	10am	Choral Eucharist
	6pm	Advent Carol Service
Dec 10	10am	Parish Eucharist
Advent 2	6pm	Evensong
Dec 17	8am	Holy Communion
Advent 3	10am	Parish Eucharist
	6pm	Service of 9 Lessons & Carols
Dec 24	10am	Parish Eucharist
Christmas Eve	5pm	Crib Service
	11pm	Midnight Service
Dec 25	10am	Festal Eucharist
Christmas Day		
Dec 31	10am	Parish Eucharist
1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Christmas		

Thursday Mattins will take place each week at 10am. Coffee will be available in the hall afterwards.

### Rector

Reverend Phaedra Pamphilon-Green  
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(Day off – Monday)

**Parish Administrator :** Polly Zabari  
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**Church Wardens :** Sue Prentice  
Ian Read



The Church will be open for visitors only by appointment until April.

### office Hours

From now on the office will be open :  
Tuesday to Friday 8am – 1pm

This week the office is also closed on Thursday and Friday due to staff holiday.



If you have any safeguarding worries please contact the Parish Office in the first instance or email  
safeguardingstmarysSD@gmail.com

## Collect

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

## Post Communion

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### 10am Parish Eucharist

Minister Rev Phe Pamphilon Green  
Organist Matthew Brown

First Reading : Ezekiel 34 : 11 – 16, 20 – 24

Second Reading : Matthew 25 : 31 – end

Psalm : 95 : 1-7

Mass : Shaw

Communion : 443

Hymns : 227, 232, 453, 608



Please join us for coffee in the hall after the 10am service.

### 6pm Evensong

Minister Jane Hiley  
Organist Matthew Brown

First Reading : 1 Kings : 22 : 1 - 28

Second Reading : Romans 15 : 4 - 13

Psalm : 93 : Chant 192

Responses : Ferial

Canticles : Chants 25, 37

Hymns : 29, 475, 10

If you are able to include **Gift Aid** when you donate this gives an extra 25% to the Church at no cost to yourselves. Please use the blue gift aid envelopes which you do need to sign and write your name and address on them.



Please scan here to be taken to our Give a Little page.

## Daily Bible Readings for Morning Prayer

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup>

Psalm 96

Isaiah 14 : 3 - 20

Matthew 9 : 18 - 34

### Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup>

Psalm 97

Isaiah 17

Matthew 9 : 35 – 10 : 15

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>

Psalm 112

Isaiah 10 : 20 - 32

Matthew 8 : 1 – 13

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> – Andrew the Apostle

Psalm 147 : 1 - 12

Ezekiel 47 : 1-12

John 12 : 20 - 32

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup>

Psalm 88

Isaiah 22 : 1 - 14

Matthew 8 11 : 2 - 19

### Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup>

Psalm 97

Isaiah 24

Matthew 11 : 20 - end



We need to get together a few willing souls to assemble the Christingles on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December at 10am** in the Church Hall. Hopefully with a good team it shouldn't take long. Coffee, tea and cake provided. If you can spare an hour please let Polly know.



## Looking ahead to 2024

Details of the **2024 Trip to Israel** are now available – September 8 – 17<sup>th</sup>. If you would like more details please contact the Parish Office. **Leaflets are available at the back of the Church.**