

*Our vision is to be a growing community
where God is found in the beauty and joy of our worship, the warmth of our welcome,
the breadth of our outreach and our love for our neighbour.*

Sunday 2nd November 2025

All Saints' Day

Welcome to St Paul's! You can join today's live service online at 10.00 a.m. on our YouTube channel 'St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside' via this direct link: [St Paul's Wimbledon Parkside on YouTube](#), or via one of the links to the YouTube Channel on the St Paul's website: www.stpaulsparkside.org.uk
To receive regular communications from St Paul's by email and text, please update your contact details (email and mobile phone) by sending an email to the Parish Administrator at: office@stpaulsparkside.org.uk

Organ before service	<i>Prose pour la Fête de Tous les Saints (Music for the feast of All Saints) by J. Beauvarlet-Charpentier (1734-1794)</i>
Opening hymn	97 <i>Christ is made the sure foundation</i>
First reading	Ephesians 1:11-23 [God made Christ head over all]
Gradual hymn	77 <i>Blest are the pure in heart</i>
Gospel	Luke 6:20-31 [Do good to those who hate you]
Preparation hymn	571 <i>Praise to God for saints and martyrs (tune 2)</i>
Communion anthem	398 <i>Light's abode celestial Salem (traditional plainsong)</i>
Communion hymn	272 <i>Heav'n shall not wait</i>
Final hymn	177 <i>For all the saints (verses 1, 4, 7, 8)</i>
Final voluntary	<i>Carillon pour le Jour de la Toussaint (Carillon for All Saints Day) by E. Duval (1809-1873)</i>

The saints are not a separate species of human being; they are what we are meant to be – people in whom God's light has come to dwell, not for their own sake, but for the life of the world.

Rowan Williams

Thank you for your generosity! St Paul's depends on your prayers, and your gifts of time, talents and resources to enable all that we do together in mission. If you'd like to make a one-off financial donation today, please scan the QR code.



Please take this copy of the pew sheet with you for your personal use

Collect	Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.
Post Communion Prayer	God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings: Mike Lowe, Jacqueline Johnson. **Intercessions:** Sue Chick.

Coffee after the service: Please join us for coffee in the lounge after this morning's service.

Birthdays in the month of November

1 st	Pauline Wright	9 th	Elaine Harper-Jones	11 th	Judy Jones
3 rd	Mike Bower	10 th	Chris Wright	13 th	Harry Stoneham
4 th	Pamela Cobb	10 th	John Waller	18 th	Gregory Hunt
9 th	Elizabeth Peart	11 th	Gill Thompson	20 th	Jean Hazell

Notices

The church is also open during the week for **private prayer**. *There are vacancies to be filled on **Fridays***. If you can help out to expand these hours, please contact **Terry Woolgar** at telkay42@gmail.com or 01737 362 270. Please note the times of opening may vary.

OPENING TIMES		
Mondays	3 pm -	5 pm
Tuesdays	10 am -	12 am
	2 pm -	4 pm
Wednesday	11:30 am -	12:30 pm
Thursdays	10 am -	12 am
Saturdays	10 am -	12 am
Sundays	9 am -	10 am
	6 pm -	7 pm

Services this week

Evening prayers will be held at **6 p.m. this evening**. Join Rev'd Susan and Rev'd Jack for **Morning and Evening Prayer** at **9:00 a.m.** and **6:00 p.m.** in the Lady Chapel Monday to Thursday, and **Midday Eucharist** on **Wednesdays**.

St Paul's Pantry: Next Opening is **Thursday 6th November, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**



Tea and Toys



Tea and Toys Playgroup for babies, toddlers and their parents and carers runs on **Tuesdays** during term time from **9-30 - 10.30 a.m.**

Church Events

Norman Allen: Please keep Norman - and Lois and their family - in your prayers, as he continues to recover from his femur fracture in the rehabilitation centre at Queen Mary's Hospital. There is a card to sign at the back of church.



Messy Church, today, 4 p.m.: Please join us for stories, craft, games, food and lots of fun as we celebrate All Saints. Remember - it's not just for kids. Everyone is welcome!

Craft and Flower Morning, Saturday 8th November, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.: Please join us for a morning of Christmas themed crafts and flowers in the Community Centre Coffee Lounge. This will include light refreshments around lunch time. Donations towards expenses and Church Christmas Flowers are welcome. Please see Doreen or Lesley for more information.

Baptisms and Confirmations, Sunday 16th November: At our regular 10 a.m. service, we will be baptising babies Mia and Alec. Then, at 4 p.m., at All Saints Putney, Liz, Rachel and Rose from our congregation will be confirmed by Bishop Martin alongside other candidates from the deanery. Please keep all five and their families in your prayers, and do come along to support them!

Macmillan Coffee Morning, Thursday 20th November, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. *"Together over Tea & Cake"*: All are very welcome at this event in the Community Centre, hosted jointly by St Paul's and the women of the Ahmaddiyya community, to raise money for cancer support. Cake bakers especially needed!

Christmas Fayre, Saturday 22nd November, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.: Please save the date for - and invite friends to - this important annual event. Publicity will be available shortly. We are still looking for volunteers for some key activities: please speak to Gill or Anne Minors. We would also be grateful to anyone who is willing to lend us a slow cooker (or similar) in which to make and serve mulled wine!

The Rowan Williams lecture from the Kingston Episcopal Area Lay Conference is now available to watch (or re-watch) online at <https://youtu.be/z9dJ-S9SWIU>

Christmas Cards: We have our St Paul's Christmas cards on sale again this year. In common with the majority of Charity Christmas Cards ours will sell at for £5 for 10 cards. Cards are on sale at the back of church. Cash payment is preferred with monies in the marked box.

Interfaith Events

Next Joint Study Session with Wimbledon Synagogue, Tuesday 18th November at 7:00 p.m., hosted at St Paul's Church: Please join us for a session on "Food and Faith"! Please RSVP by email to Rev'd Susan.

Interfaith Week: Merton citizens are holding a special evening for Interfaith Week entitled: **Peace**, to discuss how different religions think about Peace. The event will take place at **Holy Trinity Church, 234, The Broadway, Wimbledon SW19 1SB** on **Tuesday 11th November**, serving Turkish food at 7.00 p.m. with the meeting starting at 7.30 p.m. Booking is via Eventbrite or by email: tomunderwood@hotmail.com

Giving: Your giving is what enables St Paul's in all its services and work in the community. Everything that happens here is carried by the **prayers, volunteering** and **generous giving** of our congregation and guests. Giving - in gifts and acts of service - is at the heart of all we do as a church, but all the gifts we receive are hugely appreciated and make a difference. You can give using **the card reader** at the door; cash or cheque in a **giving envelope** can be dropped in the box near the door. If you are a UK taxpayer, **please consider filling in the Gift Aid declaration** on the envelope to make your gift go even further. You can also give a one-off donation using **this QR code**.



The pew sheet: Please send notices to pewsheet@stpaulsparkside.org.uk. The deadline for next Sunday's pew sheet is midday **Tuesday 4th November**.

Future Services In church and online	
2nd November, 6:00 p.m.: Evening Prayer 2nd November, 4:00 p.m.: Messy Church for All Saints 5th November, 12 noon: Midweek Communion 9th November, 10:00 a.m.: Holy Communion for Remembrance Sunday	
Contacts at St Paul's	
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