



Sunday 24th November 2024
Christ the King

<p>Sunday 24th November Christ the King</p>	<p><i>8.30 am Holy Communion (Traditional language)</i> <i>President and Preacher: Rev Natalie Loveless</i></p> <p><i>10.00 am Sung Eucharist</i> <i>President and Preacher: Rev Natalie Loveless</i></p> <p><i>Readings: Revelation 1:4b-8, John 18:33-37</i></p>
<p>Collect</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>Post Communion</p>	<p>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.</p>

*** What's on ***	
Monday 25th November	4.00 pm Monday Rocks
Tuesday 26th November	NO Noah's Ark 2.00 pm Funeral of Wendy Lock 4.30 pm Bolders (<i>In Church this week</i>)
Wednesday 27th November	10.00 am Coffee Break (Church Hall) 10.00 – 12.00 noon Pantry 11.00 am Holy Communion President and preacher: Rev Natalie Loveless Revelation 15:1-4, Psalm 98, Luke 21:12-19
Friday 29th November	7.00 pm Music group
Sunday 1st December Advent Sunday	8.30 am Holy Communion (Traditional language) President and Preacher: Rev Natalie Loveless 10.00 am All Age Communion President and Preacher: Rev Natalie Loveless Readings: Jeremiah 33:14-16, Luke 21:25-36

Morning Prayer: 9.00 am Morning Prayer – Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday. (Not on Bank Holidays)

Private Prayer: The church will open for private prayer on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week between 10.30 am – 12.00 noon.

Parish Prayer Time (PPT) will meet in the Church on Monday mornings at 9.30 am, (following Morning Prayer). Parish Prayer Time lasts about 40 mins and usually starts with a shared scripture passage or words of encouragement to lead us into prayer for the Parish, the world and individuals who have requested our prayers.

Please remember in your prayers: Molly Johnson, Rod Jackson, Mary Boswell.

We have refreshed our prayer list. If you wish a name to be included please let Natalie in the office know.

Those preparing for First Communion: Marcus, Eliza and Elizabeth.

Those recently Confirmed: Elliot Meakins

Years Mind: Jonathan Langley, Mavis Mathias (2010), Pauline Powe (2012), Lena Booker (2013), Madeline Smith (1976), Graham Bott (2005), Joan Hockley (2022), Gladys Perkins (2007), Phillipa Senst (2011)



RIP: Wendy Lock

Seasight - December & January Edition. This will be ready for collection by distributors from the Church Office next Wednesday and also available at the back of the Church and in the Church Hall for those not subscribing.

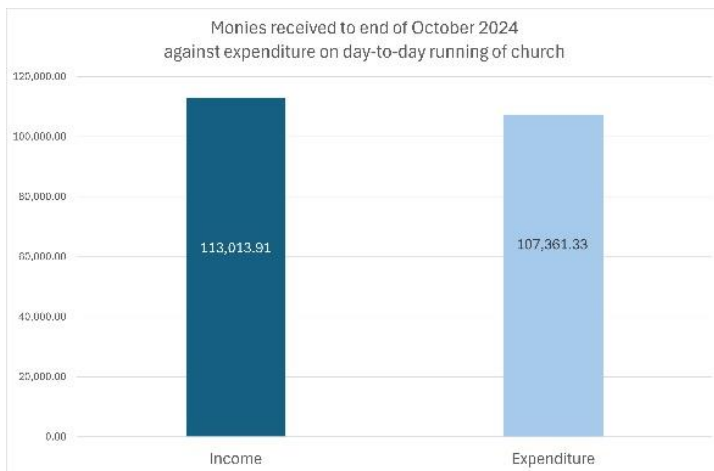
Seasight Team.

Quiet Morning – the next Quiet Morning is on Saturday 7th December; as Advent is a time for reflection and waiting, this Quiet Morning will be reflecting that. Use these two hours (or part of them), to be still and quiet with God, waiting as we look toward the celebration of the birth of Jesus. There will be minimal activities; please feel free to bring your own books, colouring, music (with headphones)! Coffee and tea will be provided halfway through. Any questions, please speak with Brenda or Sarah.

Christmas Cheer – Saturday 14th December 2.30 – 4.30 pm in the church hall. Come and join us in a Christmas sing-along, a festive drink and a few nibbles. There will be craft materials available for you to each make one Christmas card for everyone at church; these will then be hung in church. You're also invited to bring a wrapped gift (value between £5 and £10) and should be something you'd be happy to receive! These will all be put on a table and then as you leave, you get to chose another gift to take away with you. Tickets are £5.00 each; family tickets available on request. To book your ticket or for more information, please speak to Carrie, Jan, Joanna, Lisa or Sarah.

Shoe Boxes - the final batch of shoe boxes have been delivered to Link to Hope; the final total was 33 boxes plus two beautifully crocheted blankets and a box full of toothpaste and another full of kids toothbrushes. Thank you to all who supported this appeal.

Your Churchwarden/Finance Team are pleased to bring to the Church Family the following graphic concerning day to day church finances, with grateful thanks to Sue Clark for her diligent work in data inputting:



Lunch on Christmas Day. If you will be on your own on Christmas Day, do come and join us in the church hall. Tickets, at £8, are available from Pam Brooks on a Sunday after the service or at Coffee Break on a Wednesday.

Pam Brooks

Footsteps walk advance notice: There will be a New-Year walk on Saturday 4th January 2025. More details soon.

A new church directory will be published in the New Year. Please could you check that your email, telephone number and address is right in your current copy and notify the office of any amendments required by the end of November. Many thanks.

Pantry: Another fun and very busy Pantry social this week. Some old friends, who used to use the Pantry, came along and gave out Advent Calendars to the children. It's wonderful when we hear from those whose situation has improved and they want to help by giving back. Our cupboard is quite depleted, so if you can help us to restock, we are short of pasta sauce, tinned tomatoes, microwave rice, custard and biscuits. Thank you so much for your help.

The Pantry Team

Emergency Drill – at some point over the next couple of months we will be having a practice 'emergency evacuation.' Please treat this as the real thing- because it could be. In the case of an emergency where we need to evacuate the church, please follow the direction of the stewards and leave calmly by the nearest exit. We ask you to assemble in the church car park please. Thank you.

FSW Christmas Party 27th November.

If anyone would like to donate selection boxes, sweets, chocolates or alternatively a monetary donation, please contact Philippa Dabin and Jan Watson. We would really appreciate it. Thank you for your consideration.

FSW team of volunteers.

New Community Event – On Thursday mornings from 10.30 to 12.30 pm at Rustington Methodist Church there will be a coffee and games Morning – hopefully this will run each week. There will be refreshments and the opportunity to play board games or just chat. Free entry and everyone welcome.

Christine Roberts

Warning about email hacking: Please be alert that email hacking happens regularly and that emails are not always from the person they claim to be. John Forse has recently been hacked again and has asked for you all to immediately delete any email you may receive quoting his name. None of the content is true. Many thanks.

From 1st January please only use admin@rustingtonparish.church email address to contact the church office. All old email addresses will no longer be monitored. Thank you.

Supporting our church! Thank you so much for your donations! When giving cash please do use a gift aid envelope (available at the back of church) if you pay tax; or consider regular giving which will help us to budget for the future. To join the Parish Giving Scheme or to change your giving ring 0333 002 1271 or go to <https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/home/> Here you can activate an online account or contact the office for a form. Our Parish code is 101010024.

**The Notice Sheet is sponsored this week
by Joanna Brown and Henry Bott
“To thank God for the gift of love that He gave us
in the life of our father Graham Bott (d. 27/11/2005)”**

If you would like to sponsor the Church Notice sheet, to remember or recognise a special event or anniversary please contact the Church office.

If you would like to sponsor the seven-day candle that is in the chancel next to the Reserved Sacrament, in memory of someone, or for a special event or anniversary, please contact the Church office.

Material for the notice sheet for **Sunday 1st December 2024** should reach the church office by **10.00 am Wednesday 27th November 2024.**

St Peter and St Paul



Services this Christmas

Sunday 1st December
6.00pm Advent Carols

Sunday 8th December
4.00pm Christingle

Sunday 22nd December
6.00pm Carol Service

Christmas Eve
4.00pm Crib Service
11.30pm Midnight Mass

Christmas Day
8.30am Holy Communion
10.00am Celebration Communion
Bring your favourite stocking toy

You are welcome to any of
our services – even if you've
never been to church before.

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