







Third Sunday of Advent 15th December Theme ' Promises and Signs'

9am Morning Praise – Josh Allwith, Youth and Community Leader – leading and preaching **10.15am Holy Communion** Tom Sanderson leading, Rev Hannah Gordon presiding & Josh Allwith preaching

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Funeral - Monday 16th December

Dr Rupert Courtenay-Evans who lived in Chipstead for 50 years died peacefully at home on 27th November aged 86. Beloved husband of Pat and father of Jane, Tom, James, Nick and Diana and grandfather of nine. The family would like to invite all those who knew Rupert to attend his funeral at 12pm on Monday 16th December at St Margaret's. Afterwards, please join us at Chipstead Cricket Club for something to eat and drink and to share our favourite stories about Rupert.

The week ahead

Monday 16th December

12 noon Funeral 2-4pm CAMEO Hooley Village Hall

Tuesday 17th December

9.15am Morning Prayer 2.30pm to 4.30pm Bereavement Cafe in the Orchard

Wednesday 18th December

9.15am Morning Prayer

10am to 12noon Parish Office Please do drop in for tea, coffee, cake and a chat, last one for 2024!

Friday 20th December

Friday Youth 6pm to 7.30pm in the Orchard, this week's theme 'Hope'

Saturday 21st December 1pm Wedding Church Newsletter I Issue #45

Christmas at St Margaret's

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> CHRISTMAS EVE 4PM FAMILY NATIVITY 11.30PM MIDNIGHT MASS

CHRISTMAS DAY 9AM SAID HOLY COMMUNION **10AM FAMILY CELEBRATION**

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Christmas Postbox

The Christmas Postbox is now in place in at the back of church. We invite you to bring in your Christmas cards for fellow church members . Be sure to check the box for any cards addressed to you as well!

Mince Pies

As we approach Carols by Candlelight we would greatly appreciate your help in donating boxes of mince pies to serve with mulled wine afterwards. If you're able to contribute, please bring your donation to the Parish Office . Your generosity is appreciated. Thank you!

Collecting for Lovework Loveworks this Christmas

Local food banks are expecting another busy winter. By donating the items below, you can help give our families a better Christmas, and ensure that we have food for our New Year parcels in January.

Thank you!



Tinned ham **Tinned potatoes** Tinned peas and carrots Jars of pasta/ **Biscuits** Instant hot chocolate (to make with water)*

Tins of fruit Tinned custard UHT milk (semi skimmed) Plain rice curry sauce

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*seasonal items are needed by 28 November please

www.loveworks.org.uk

Loveworks Last Collection will be 19th December

Loveworks are in need of some key items to help support families in our community. Specifically, they are requesting donations of dried stuffing mix, gravy granules, and ready-made jellies. In addition, hot drinking chocolate (the kind that can be mixed with hot water) would also be appreciated.

Your kind donations will be much appreciated.



Church Vision Day

Remembering the Past

Dreaming the Future

Saturday 8th February 9:30 AM-4:30 PM

£20 per person to include lunch

To Book: Email jen.smith@smchipstead.org

Wychcroft Centre South Park Lane Bletchingley RH1 4NE



C.A.M.E.O.

Come And Meet Each Other for refreshments and activities

2-4pm on the third Monday of the month

16th December - Board Games 29th January 2025 17th February 2025 17th March 2025

In Hooley Village Hall St Margaret's Road, CR5 3RB

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