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For Our Prayers

Please remember in your prayers all those in our Parish who are ill, in hospital or suffering in any way.

Newsletter

If anyone has any items or ideas that they would like to see included in this newsletter please email them to me at:

newsletter@sash.org.uk

or telephone them through to me on:
01444 831431 by no later than **9.00 am on Thursday 13th December 2007.**

Many thanks for your help.

Debbie

St Augustine's Newsletter

Today's Services

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.30 am Parish Communion with
Children's Church
Please stay for refreshments
4.00 pm Christingle Service

Today's Readings

Isaiah 11:1-10 Page 661
Romans 15:4-13 Page 1077
Matthew 3:1-12 Page 915

Name to be Remembered This Week

*Elizabeth Sharpey Schafer
Dorothy Newson*

Next Week's Services & Events

Monday 10th

8.45 am Curriculum Meeting
2.30 pm Schools Link, Vicarage

Tuesday 11th

8.55 am School Assembly
9.30 am Annexe Committee Meeting
3.00 pm Mark to meet Chair of Governors

Wednesday 12th

6.30 pm IDWAL Meeting, Angmering

Thursday 13th

10.30 am Holy Communion
2.00 pm Wardens Meeting

Friday 14th

11.00 am Pre-School Nativity
3.00 pm Jigsaw Nursery Nativity

Saturday 15th

3.30 pm Taste of Christmas
Eve Lindfield and Scaynes Hill
Staff Dinner

Sunday 16th

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.30 am Parish Communion with
Children's Church

Notices

TODAY: Christingle

The Christingle Service will take place this afternoon at 4.00 pm in church. Please feel free to take one of the collection candles which can be found at the back of church and bring it back with you. We are looking forward to seeing you later.

Parking for Church Services

We have received a complaint from a resident in respect of parking and we would therefore be grateful if those attending services would respect the notice at the far end of St Augustine's Close which refers to "RESIDENTS PARKING ONLY" (this is the area behind the church in front of the flats). Thank you in anticipation of your co-operation.

Churchwardens

Evening Service Sunday 16th December

There will be a quiet and reflective Advent service on 16th Dec at 6.00 pm. For more details contact Julie Sear.

Newcomers Drinks at Vicarage

All newcomers to St Augustine's church (people who have started worshipping with us in the last 18 months) are invited to drinks at the Vicarage on 20th December at 8.00 pm. Please let me know if you can make it.

Mark

Christmas Tree

Thank you to Derek Main for the kind donation once again of a Christmas tree for the church. Please do consider buying locally when you purchase your tree!

Taste of Christmas

We would love you to join us next Saturday afternoon, 15th December for a couple of stress free hours from 3.30 pm at our "Taste of Christmas". We shall be having a puppet show, Fairtrade© stall, raffle (in aid of the church annexe fund) children's crafts and free mulled wine and mince pies! In addition, if anyone would be prepared to bake some cakes for the cake stall, please bring them along to church on Saturday morning from 10.30 am. We hope to see you there.

Notices

Cakes Needed!

Please could I have some kind offers to provide cakes for the staff and governors' tea at the Vicarage on 19th December.

Mark

Server Training

Any young people who would like to be a server at Communion services can attend a training session on Sunday 16th December after the 9.30 am service. If you are interested, please contact Maria.

St Patrick's Centre for the Homeless

The box for contributions of food will be in the church on Sundays 9th, 16th and 23rd December. It is most helpful for them to have tea, coffee, sugar and long life milk which they can use throughout the year.

Jenny C

Christmas Choir

We need volunteers for the choir for the Christmas carol service which will be held on Sunday 23rd December at 6.30 pm. We are hoping to rehearse after the 9.30 am service on Sunday 16th December. Please come and see me if you are interested.

Sue

Christmas Services and Events

Saturday 15th December

3.30 pm A Taste of Christmas

Sunday 23rd December

6.30 pm Carols by Candlelight followed by mulled wine and mince pies

Christmas Eve

3.30 pm The Crib Service
(infant and pre-school)

5.00 pm The Crib Service
(juniors)

11.30 pm Midnight Communion

Christmas Day

8.00 am Holy Communion

10.00 am All Age Communion

We hope to see you at some of these services and events.

Many thanks,
Mark