11th November 2018 Notes and News



Christ Church Milton-next-Gravesend A warm welcome to any visitors worshipping with us this morning. Please make yourself known to one of the clergy or the people who greeted you at the door.

Looking ahead

11th Nov	Remembrance Sunday
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)
10.00 am	Family Communion
	with two minutes silence
4.00 pm	Service for the
_	Bereaved
13th Nov	
7.30 pm	Mothers' Union
14th Nov	
1.45 pm	First Steps
15th Nov	
2.30 pm	Mustard Seed
16th Nov	
7.30 pm	"Balkan Reflections"
17th Nov	
9.30 am	Church Working Party
18th Nov	
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)
10.00 am	Family Communion
22nd Nov	
2.00 pm	Pilgrim Group
7.30 pm	Pilgrim Group
23rd -25th	
Nov	Flower Show
25th Nov	Christ the King
8.00 am	Holy Communion (said)
10.00 am	Family Communion

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

We will observe the two minutes silence during the 10.00 am service.

Please come this afternoon at 4.00 pm to the Service for the Bereaved here in church



Other Remembrance events in Gravesend are

11.00 am Service at the War Memorial,
Windmill Hill Gardens
Clarence Place

12.30 pm Merchant Navy Service at Bawley Bay (arrive by

12.20 pm)

6.45 pm for 7.00 pm Community
Square event to mark the end
of WW1

Week day services

Holy Communion Wednesday 10.00 am and Saturday 8.00 am Morning Prayer 8.00 am at Christ Church Monday Morning Prayer Tuesday 8.00 am at St. Aidan's Church **Evening Prayer** Wednesday 5.15 pm at Christ Church Morning Prayer Thursday 8.30 am at Holy Family Church 9.00 am at St. Aidan's Church Morning Prayer Friday



Our next Mothers' Union meeting will be on Tuesday 13th November at 7.30 pm in the Church Hall.

Please join us for our film night. We will be watching "The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Society".

Everyone welcome to come.



We are admitting two new members during the 10.00 am service on 25th November. Julie Jamieson, our Diocesan President, is coming, with her husband Mark, to admit them

The next First Steps Service is on Wednesday 14th November in church at 1.45pm

If you are a family with pre-school children, please join us for this short service.

There will be refreshments in the hall after the service



Mustard Seed meet on Thursday
15th November in the church hall at
2.30 pm. Please come and enjoy a
chat and refreshments
with old and new friends.





Balkan Reflections—Many thanks for your response to my canvassing of interest in a slideshow of my Bosnia Trek.

Hall bookings are rather heavy, so I have very kindly been allowed to do the slideshow in the Church. It will be on **Friday 16th November**,

Wine and nibbles (gratis) 7.00—7.30 pm. I would expect to be finished no later than 8.30 pm

Thanks again for your support.

Richard.



During the next few weeks, the Guides are collecting ends of candles for a craft project.

If you have any, can you please leave them in the box at the back of the church. Thank you.



The next Church
Working Party will
be on Saturday 17th
November from 9.30 am

Please come along and give a hand to help keep our church clean and tidy.





Good company guaranteed

Inter Faith Week 11th-18th November

17th November Faith Walk

To promote interfaith understanding and co-operation in our Borough, please join us as we walk through Gravesend Town Centre visiting and meeting with our different faith communities at their places of worship

Gravesend Mosque Gravesend Methodist Church Gravesend Mandir Hindu Temple Guru Nanak Darbar Gurdwara

We will be starting from Gravesend Mosque, 11 Albion Terrace at 11.00 am



The Christingle Service is on Sunday 2nd December.

Please arrive from 3.30

pm to take part in craft activities in the hall and also to make your Christingle.

Children in church groups (brownies, pre-school, etc. will get their invitations and collection candles at their meetings).

If your child is not in any of the church children's groups, please take an invitation and collection candle from the back of the church and bring it when you come to the service.

Semiquavers are taking part in Bromley Œcumenical Singers

AUTUMN CONCERT Saturday 24th November 7.30 pm St. Augustine's Church Southborough Lane Bromley BR2 8AT

Programme Vouchers £9.00

Box Office 020 8697 0759 www.boesbromley.co.uk

Charity to Benefit: JusB

semiquavers

The next Semiquavers Concert is on Tuesday 11th December in church at 6.30 pm. Tickets priced at £4.00 for adults, children are free, are available from Gill Campbell.



Gravesend Floral Arrangement Society

"A Window to Christmas"

from Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th November from 12.00 to 5.00 pm in Christ Church

Stalls and Refreshments



Admission free





Gravesend Floral Arrangement Society

"A Winter Tale"

Demonstration by Helen Hare and Sylvia Cheeseman

> 28th November 7.30 pm St. Mary's Church Hall Wrotham Road

Tickets £8.00 Raffle, Refreshments and Festive Stalls



Gravesham Choral Society & Orchestra present

Haydn The Creation

at

St. George's Church Gravesend on Saturday 17th November at 7.30 pm

Tickets £12, full time students £5.00 Box Office 01474 816684 Tickets also available from Gravesham Choral Society members

Many thanks to everyone who supports the food bank.

At present they need -

Tinned meat products, No fridge/UHT milk, instant mash, no fridge/UHT juice, jam/peanut butter, packet soup, instant rice, tinned spaghetti.

They do **not** need tins of soup, baked beans, pasta or tea at the moment.

In the bookcase near the main door to the church you will find Bibles that you can borrow during the service. Please help yourselves and replace the Bible at the end of the service.

Gluten free Communion wafers are available at every service—please have a word with the Churchwardens or Clergy if you would like to receive gluten free wafers.

Items for the news sheet should be sent to juliehill34@aol.com or left on the clip in the lobby . Items for the website should be sent to ccwebsite@tjmcomp,co,uk

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