

ST PAULINUS CHURCH, CRAYFORD



Friends of St Paulinus Talk on Crayford Derek and Deanne Jarrett will be giving a talk on Crayford in the Youth Hall on 4th November at 3pm.

There will be a coffee morning at 5 Manor Close on Saturday 25th November from 10 am - noon hosted by John and Lesley Holbrook.

Relax into Prayer

The next meeting will be held on Monday 6th November at 104 Old Road, Crayford, Kent from 7.45pm. All welcome.

Queries to Denise Morgan on 01322 527372

MU Autumn Members Meeting
Saturday October 28th
Please call Pat Carter on 01322 407243 with any queries

Cancellation of Sunday School

Due to changes in personal circumstances Kelly Brown is no longer able to take on the responsibility of running the Sunday School. This was a difficult decision that she has had to make and we appreciate your understanding and ask you to respect Kelly's wishes.

Sunday school is therefore cancelled for the foreseeable future.

Please direct any queries to Kelly Tharby at the church office on 01322 557532 or churchadmin@stpaulinus.co.uk

If you wish to take up the mantle of running the Sunday school in 2018, this will be reviewed once our new Rector has arrived and queries can be forwarded to the Church Office. Thank you.

Do you like to sing? Can you spare an hour on Friday evenings and most Sunday mornings?

The choir of St Paulinus is looking for voices in all parts (and particularly young people). If you enjoy singing and can make the time commitment, please do think about joining us. The choir is an important part of worship and liturgy in our church, and is much appreciated by members of the congregation.

There are no formal auditions (X-Factor or otherwise!). If you're interested, please speak to Nic or contact him at nic.turner52@yahoo.co.uk

Calligraphy Group

Crayford Library starting 30th October 10am – 12pm
Bring your own equipment or buy at the group
Calligraphy.sue@gmail.com 01322 522587
£8 per session

**Sunday 15th October – Trinity 18
St Luke**

A warm welcome to our new Rector and family.

A warm welcome to newcomers and visitors.
We hope you enjoy worshipping with us today.

8am Low Mass & Homily

Celebrant & Preacher: Revd Paul Prentice

10am High Mass & Healing

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Hymns: CE 701, 772, (759 during anointing), 394 & 738

Season: Ordinary time

Monday 16 th October	
Tuesday 17 th October	
Wednesday 18 th October	9.30 Mass - School
Thursday 19 th October	9.30am Toddler Church – Youth Hall
Friday 20 th October	9.15am Low Mass at Mollie Merritt 13 Iron Mill Lane
Saturday 21 st October	
Sunday 22 nd October Trinity 19 St Luke	8am Low Mass & Homily 10am Parish Mass & sermon

Heating and Lighting in Church

Due to the restoration work, there will be no external lighting and lights have been put on the scaffolding to aid with this.

There will also be no heating in church for the next few weeks as radiators are having to be removed.

Please ensure you wear plenty of layers in the meantime. Thank you for your patience.

HLF Team.

FIRST READING Isaiah 35.3–6

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

3 Strengthen the weak hands,
and make firm the feeble knees.

4 Say to those who are of a fearful heart,
'Be strong, do not fear!

Here is your God.

He will come with vengeance, with terrible
recompense.

He will come and save you.'

5 Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,
and the ears of the deaf unstopped;

6 then the lame shall leap like a deer,
and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy.

For waters shall break forth in the wilderness,
and streams in the desert.

PSALM 147.1–7

R The Lord heals the brokenhearted



1 Alleluia!

How good it is to sing praises to our God!
how pleasant it is to honour him with praise!

2 The Lord rebuilds Jerusalem;
he gathers the exiles of Israel. **R**

3 He heals the brokenhearted
and binds up their wounds.

4 He counts the number of the stars
and calls them all by their names. **R**

5 Great is our Lord and mighty in power;
there is no limit to his wisdom.

6 The Lord lifts up the lowly,
but casts the wicked to the ground.

7 Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving;
make music to our God upon the harp. **R**

SECOND READING 2 Timothy 4.5–17

A reading from the second letter of Paul to
Timothy.

5 As for you, always be sober,
endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist,
carry out your ministry fully.

6 As for me,

I am already being poured out as a libation,
and the time of my departure has come.

7 I have fought the good fight,
I have finished the race,
I have kept the faith.

8 From now on
there is reserved for me the crown of
righteousness,
which the Lord, the righteous judge,
will give to me on that day,
and not only to me

but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

9 Do your best to come to me soon,
10 for Demas, in love with this present world,
has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica;

Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia.

11 Only Luke is with me.

Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful
in my ministry.

12 I have sent Tychicus to Ephesus.

13 When you come, bring the cloak that I left with
Carpus at Troas,

also the books, and above all the parchments.

14 Alexander the coppersmith did me great harm;
the Lord will pay him back for his deeds.

15 You also must beware of him, for he strongly
opposed our message.

16 At my first defence no one came to my
support,

but all deserted me.

May it not be counted against them!

17 But the Lord stood by me

and gave me strength,

so that through me the message might be fully
proclaimed

and all the Gentiles might hear it.

So I was rescued from the lion's mouth.

GOSPEL Luke 10.1–9

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke.

1 The Lord appointed seventy others
and sent them on ahead of him in pairs
to every town and place where he himself
intended to go.

2 He said to them,

'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few;
therefore ask the Lord of the harvest
to send out labourers into his harvest.

3 Go on your way.

See, I am sending you out like lambs into the
midst of wolves.

4 Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals;
and greet no one on the road.

5 Whatever house you enter,
first say, "Peace to this house!"

6 And if anyone is there who shares in peace,
your peace will rest on that person;
but if not, it will return to you.

7 Remain in the same house,
eating and drinking whatever they provide,
for the labourer deserves to be paid.

Do not move about from house to house.

8 Whenever you enter a town and its people
welcome you,

eat what is set before you;

9 cure the sick who are there, and say to them,
"The kingdom of God has come near to you."

Church Notices

Fish & Chip Supper

Wednesday 25th October at 7.30pm

Please sign up at the back of church.

There will be a pan African choir performing after the supper.