



**The Church of The Holy Cross, Sarratt
and St Paul's Church, Chipperfield**
Everyone is welcome to attend any service in the Benefice

CHURCH SERVICES AND OPENING TIMES

Holy Cross is open each day 9am - 5pm and St Paul's 10am - 4pm
Benefice website www.hcsp.net

Our YouTube Channel link is <https://www.youtube.com/c/HCSP-Online>

Sunday 19 June 1st Sunday after Trinity

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| 9am | Holy Communion – Holy Cross <i>Celebrant & Preacher: Revd Michele</i> <i>(Galatians 3: 23 - end; Luke 8: 26 - 39)</i> |
| 10.30am | Family Service – St Paul's <i>Leader: Revd Michele</i> <i>Preacher – Archdeacon Jane</i> <i>(Ephesians 4:1-7,11-15)</i> |

Thursday 23 June

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| 6.30pm | HCSP Youth Group – St Paul's Parish Room <i>Year 6 and above – finish time 8pm</i> |
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Sunday 26 June 2nd Sunday after Trinity & Holy Cross Flower Festival

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| 9am | Holy Communion Said Service – St Paul's <i>Celebrant & Preacher: Revd Michele</i> <i>(Galatians 5: 1, 13 - 25; Luke 9: 51 - end)</i> |
| 10.30am | Flower Festival Morning Service with Baptism – Holy Cross <i>Celebrant & Preacher: Revd Michele</i> <i>(tbc)</i> |

HOLY CROSS SARRATT FLOWER FESTIVAL

Friday 24 June, 3.30pm - 8pm

Saturday 25 June, 10am - 5pm

Sunday 26 June, 11.30am - 5pm

Please see Flower Festival notices on page 7 and poster on page 9

Collect for 1st Sunday after Trinity

O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

VERSE OF THE WEEK

The man from whom the demons had gone out
begged to go with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying,
'Return home and tell how much God has done for you.'

So the man went away and told all over the town
how much Jesus had done for him.

Luke 28: 38, 39

UPCOMING SERVICES following those on pages 1

Sunday 3 July

3rd Sunday after Trinity

9am Morning Service - Holy Cross

10.30am Benefice Communion - St Paul's

Sunday 10 July

4th Sunday after Trinity

9am Morning Service - St Paul's

10.30am Benefice Communion - Holy Cross

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JAMES SPEARMAN

The service will take place at Holy Cross Church on Monday 20 June at 3.30pm

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR DAVID HUNT

The service will take place at Holy Cross Church on Thursday 30 June at 11am.

PRAYER POINTS

Let us pray for:

OUR WORLD

- For all who are living in places of conflict strife and hunger.
- We pray for guidance to those in leadership throughout the world and especially for Christian leaders as they seek to stand for your kingdom here on earth.

THE CHURCH

- We lift you all the leaders of churches and congregations where they have been facing threats of violence and fear as they minister to there communities
- For Christians the world over that are suffering persecution for believing in You.

OUR NATION

- For Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II and all her ministers here and beyond the seas and for the Royal family as they seek wisdom for the future.
- For those involved in welcoming those new to our shores especially from Ukraine and for all involved in all community action projects in supporting all on the fringes and remember locally Dens and New Hope Trust.

OUR COMMUNITIES

- We pray for all Father's and give thanks to those who take on this role for others .We pray for all who's Father may not be around .We lift you all who have been challenged by the void.
- For all who visit our communities to rest and enjoy the beauty of our villages .That they may find peace and refreshment •
- Those who are struggling with ill health in mind and body remembering Margaret Newman, Sue Ellis; Keith & Pam Dawson, Bob Shearer and Robin Gain - for his continued health and well-being; for Edna and Robin's family to know God's abiding strength and presence.
- For Angela, her family and friends following the death of Panicos Panayi whilst praying for a long and faithful marriage of Alexia Panayi and William Gibson.
- Those to be married in July as we read their Banns over the coming weeks: Emma Martin & Hamish MacDonald and Jennifer Hewson & Justin Linnell, for God's blessing for a long and faithful marriage.
- Those who are bereaved. We pray for Margaret Newman who has recently lost her sister, Christine Newman. For the family and friends of James Spearman and David Hunt.
- All those on our church electoral rolls, including Elaine and Daniel Dean of Chipperfield Parish and Sarah Edmonds of Sarratt Parish.
- All who live and work in our villages, including those in Sarratt Hall area in Sarratt and Scatterdells Lane & Stoney Lane in Chipperfield.

THE GOSPEL READING Sunday 19 June

1ST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke chapter 8: 26 - 39
Glory to you, O Lord

²⁶ They sailed to the region of the Gerasenes, which is across the lake from Galilee. ²⁷ When Jesus stepped ashore, he was met by a demon-possessed man from the town. For a long time this man had not worn clothes or lived in a house, but had lived in the tombs. ²⁸ When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell at his feet, shouting at the top of his voice, 'What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, don't torture me!' ²⁹ For Jesus had commanded the impure spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.

³⁰ Jesus asked him, 'What is your name?'

'Legion,' he replied, because many demons had gone into him. ³¹ And they begged Jesus repeatedly not to order them to go into the Abyss.

³² A large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside. The demons begged Jesus to let them go into the pigs, and he gave them permission. ³³ When the demons came out of the man, they went into the pigs, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

³⁴ When those tending the pigs saw what had happened, they ran off and reported this in the town and countryside, ³⁵ and the people went out to see what had happened. When they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone out, sitting at Jesus' feet, dressed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. ³⁶ Those who had seen it told the people how the demon-possessed man had been cured. ³⁷ Then all the people of the region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, because they were overcome with fear. So he got into the boat and left.

³⁸ The man from whom the demons had gone out begged to go with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹ 'Return home and tell how much God has done for you.' So the man went away and told all over the town how much Jesus had done for him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you O Christ

MESSAGE FROM REVD MICHELE AND THE CHURCHWARDENS

ST PAUL'S DIRECTOR OF MUSIC, BEN ATKINSON-ROWLEY

Ben will be leaving his position with St Paul's at the end of August, to move closer to his family in Leicestershire. During his time with us he has brought much to the life of the church and village. Many will be saddened by this news, however we wish Ben the very best for his family and future, and thank him for everything he has done over the last couple of years.

Revd Michele

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE EMERGENCY SERVICES

30 June will be the National Day of Prayer for the Emergency Services. Please take a moment to think about and pray for all responders.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR CHURCHES FINANCIALLY

Unfortunately our finances at both churches are still struggling due to Covid, so we would like to ask you to consider making your donations via a regular monthly standing order, see bank details below to set up. Many of you do donate in this way and it gives us a consistent, regular income that allows us to plan ahead. Of course we totally understand if you would rather continue in the tried and tested way of giving that you are used to. St Paul's is installing a new card reader that should work in a quicker, more efficient way for those who prefer to give in that way.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH, SARRATT

The Donate Button on the Benefice Website

<https://www.hcsp.net/Groups/334320/Donate.aspx>

Bank details: Sarratt PCC Holy Cross, sort code 40-52-40, account number 00019785. Cheques payable to "Sarratt PCC Holy Cross" posted to or put through the door of Colin Plummer (Hon. Treasurer), Greenhill Cottage, Dimmocks Lane, Sarratt, WD3 6AR.

ST PAUL'S CHURCH, CHIPPERFIELD

The Donate Button on the Benefice Website

<https://www.hcsp.net/Groups/334320/Donate.aspx>

Bank details: Sort code 40-52-40, account number 00032404, account name: PCC St Paul's Chipperfield. Cheques payable to "PCC St Paul's Chipperfield" posted to or put through the door of Fay Dent (Hon. Treasurer), 'Anderlea', Croft Lane, Chipperfield, WD4 9DX.

REFRESHMENTS AFTER THE 10.30 SERVICE AT ST PAUL'S -

THANK YOU to the small team who have held the fort in recent months. We would like to be able to continue to serve tea and coffee after the service, but **need your help** to make this happen. If you are able to offer your time and energies, please contact Clare Brook clarebrook8@gmail.com Clare Brook has kindly offered to manage the Tea and Coffee Rota. With enough volunteers we may be able to offer refreshments after the 9am service. Many hands make light work.

HOLY CROSS CHURCHYARD WORKING PARTY DATES

2pm EACH SATURDAY: 18 JUNE; 2 JULY; 6 AUGUST

Many thanks to everyone who helped on 21 May. Please put these other dates in your diary and come along and help. And, if possible, please bring your own tools such as rakes, shears, strimmers, mowers and wheel barrows. Thank you. Refreshments will be provided.

PINTS OF VIEW

The meeting scheduled for Monday, 20 June has been cancelled.

Pints of View will resume after the Summer break on 19 September, when we shall consider the topic "Is it time to review the relationship between Church and State?".

NEXT CHURCH LUNCH DATES ARE...The 17 July and 4 September. Sign up sheets for July are now in church.

MUSIC EXAMS IN ST PAUL'S

St Paul's church will be in use for music exams on the following dates.

Date

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| 2022-06-13 | 09:00 | 12:30 Mon |
| 2022-06-20 | 09:00 | 17:05 Mon |
| 2022-06-21 | 09:00 | 17:05 Tue |
| 2022-06-23 | 09:00 | 17:05 Thur |
| 2022-06-27 | 09:00 | 17:05 Mon |
| 2022-06-28 | 09:00 | 17:05 Tue |
| 2022-07-02 | 09:00 | 12:45 Sat |
| 2022-07-04 | 09:00 | 17:05 Mon |
| 2022-07-05 | 11:30 | 17:35 Tue |

HOLY CROSS FLOWER FESTIVAL

FLOWER FESTIVAL WORKING PARTY - PLEASE HELP

Set Up Dates:

Tuesday 21st June from 3pm (weather permitting)
and/or, if necessary, Wednesday 22nd June from 3pm.

Clear Up Date:

Monday 27th June from 3pm (weather permitting).

Please can you help in setting up (and taking down) the tents and gazebos, etc needed for the Flower Festival?

Please email or phone Jon Adams to let him know you can help so that Jon can keep you informed of dates and times.

Please email jon@janeadams.co.uk or phone 07710723963. Thank you.

PLEASE HELP DURING THE FLOWER FESTIVAL

24th June, 3.30pm - 8pm, 25th, 10am - 5pm, 26th, 11.30am - 5pm

If you would like to help for a while in any way during the Festival, such as being on the door, serving refreshments, or helping on the plant or bric-a-brac stalls, please contact Sue Clark sue@suemclark.com

And if you can bake some cakes, please bring them along on the day. There can never be too many! Thank you.

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR ST PAUL'S CHIPPERFIELD CHURCHYARD

Form 4A
(Rule 6.2)

Faculty No: 1113

Public Notice
(general form)

In the Consistory Court of the Diocese of St Albans

In the parish of Chipperfield

Churchyard of St Paul

NOTICE IS GIVEN that we are applying to the Consistory Court of the diocese for permission to carry out the following:

The addition of a memorial to the later Peter George Rolph on the grave of Florence Winifred Rolph and Alfred Rolph in the churchyard of St Paul, Chipperfield

Copies of the relevant plans and documents may be examined at The Benefice Office, Sarratt Village Hall, The Green, Sarratt, by calling 01923 264377.

(If changes to a church are proposed, a copy of the petition and of any designs, plans, photographs and other documents that were submitted with it must be displayed in the church or at another place where they may be conveniently inspected by the public)

Petitioners:

Mr Vincent Rolph

Date 18 June 2022
(Here enter the date on which the notice was first displayed)

If you wish to object to any of the works or proposals you should send a letter or email stating the grounds of your objection to The Deputy Diocesan Registrar Jon Baldwin at St Albans Diocesan Registry, Minerva House, 5 Montague Close, London, SE1 9BB stalbansregistry@wslaw.co.uk so that your letter reaches the registrar not later than 17 July 2022 (here enter a date 28 days after the date given above). A letter of objection must include your name and address and state whether you live in the parish and/or your name is entered on the church electoral roll of the parish or any other basis on which you have an interest in the matter.

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Memorial for Peter George ROLPH

The wording of the inscription is as per picture if approved.

Memorial to measure 10" x 6" x 7" high – or as permitted by the Benefice

Stone and type of lettering – as permitted by the Benefice.

At present no Memorial Masons have been approached but those who are able to comply with Benefice rules would be used.



FOODBANK.....

They are well stocked but do have a High Needs List, see below or click on [Donate Food & Household Items - DENS](#)

HIGH NEEDS LIST

We have a good supply of many food, hygiene and household items, however there are some specific items that we are in need of. Please see our High Needs List below.

FOOD:

- Tinned vegetables
- Tinned fruit
- Custard
- Tinned rice pudding
- Tinned potatoes
- Instant mash
- Sponge puddings
- Jelly
- Long life milk
- Long life juice/squash
- Jam
- Tinned ham
- Savoury crackers
- Sugar

KITCHEN AND HYGIENE ITEMS:

- 20p carrier bags
- 2 in 1 shampoo
- Shower gel
- Cleaning sprays
- Deodorants – male/female
- Toilet roll
- Washing up liquid (small)
- Liquid hand soap
- Baby wipes

If you would like to make a much-needed monetary donation, please click on their website, www.dens.org.uk to donate on line.

DENS EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Click below to see the most up to date calendar of events.

[Events - DENS](#)

DENS Bike Project helps provide bicycles for Ukrainian refugee children

DENS is extremely proud to have helped two children from Ukraine find bikes they love at the charity's Bike Project.

Thanks to the generosity of some local supporters, the DENS social enterprise was able to gift the children two fantastic bikes and helmets so they can explore the area with their new friends and host family.

Joss Cox, Social Enterprise Manager at DENS: "We are passionate about supporting our community in any way we can, whether that be providing training for our clients who have experienced homelessness, servicing a bike to make it safe or finding someone an affordable bike to get to work or school.

"Going forward, we are happy to offer Ukrainian refugees 50% off any bike at the Bike Project."

Please note: DENS is unable to provide any further comment or information about the children or their host family out of respect for their privacy.

About DENS Bike Project

As one of DENS' popular Social Enterprise Projects, The Bike Project provides a safe space where homeless, vulnerable and socially excluded adults can learn new skills and build their confidence within a supportive and safe environment. Participants work alongside qualified mechanics to refurbish and repair donated bicycles. All bikes sold from the workshop help fund the growth and development of the project.

Address: 1 Rossgate, Gadebridge, Hemel Hempstead HP1 3LG

Opening hours:

Tuesday 10.00 – 16.30

Wednesday 9.30 – 18.00

Thursday 9.30 – 16.30

Friday 9.30 – 16.30



Holy Cross Church

Sarratt Flower Festival

Friday 24th June - Sunday 26th June

Friday 3:30-8pm:

Flower Preview & Live Music

3:30-6pm Songs from Disney's Encanto!

6-8pm Jazz and crowd pleasers!

Stonebaked pizza, bubbles, beers, teas and coffees!

Saturday 10am-5pm & Sunday 11:30am-5pm:

Royal Flower Arrangements

With: Coffee, Tea and Cakes, Plant Stalls,
Bric-a-Brac, BBQ and Beer Tent!

Come along and get involved!

We need flower arrangers, cake makers and
help on the day!

To get involved please contact:

Kate, Sue or Linda!

kate@hobhouse.uk.com sue@suemclark.com

dandlclough@btinternet.com



Messy Church



Sarratt and Chipperfield Benefice

12noon to 1.30pm

Sunday 24th July in Sarratt Village Hall

Sunday 25th September St Paul's Parish Room

Messy Church helps people encounter Jesus: it is for all-ages, especially primary and nursery school-age children.

The session involves **CREATIVITY** - craft/activities, **HOSPITALITY** - food and **CELEBRATION** - worship.

Parents and carers will need to stay and join in with their children for the whole session.

Please contact Sonya Tolmie at holycrossstpauls@outlook.com or 01923 264377 to RSVP or get more information



Wanted: Part-Time Primary Schools Worker

Watford Schools Trust is an interdenominational Christian charity that works with over 50 primary schools in the Watford area. Our aim is to help give every school child a clear understanding of the Christian faith. The Schools Worker will work with two other workers to deliver lessons, assemblies and other activities in schools, complementing the Christian element of the Hertfordshire syllabus for Religious Education.

We are looking for a part time Primary Schools Worker to join our already established team, for a 2 year fixed term contract with the possibility of extension depending on funding. It is a flexible position for approximately 15 -18 hours per week (term time only) offering a pay rate of £12 - £13 per hour dependent on previous experience.



We are looking for someone with excellent organisational and communication skills, who can take initiative, work by themselves, while taking seriously the fact that they are part of a wider team.



Your role will be to help children develop a clear understanding of the Christian faith by delivering RE lessons, assemblies, workshops and activities such as 'Explore' (Prayer Space).



Previous experience of working with children would be an advantage but is not essential. This occupation requires that the appointed person be a committed Christian and the successful applicant will be required to have the relevant DBS check.

Please email Revd. Maureen Hider (Chair of Trustees) chair@watfordschoolstrust.org for further an information or to request an application pack.

For more information about Watford Schools Trust please see www.watfordschoolstrust.org

Closing date for applications: July 15th 2022

Interview date: During week of 18th – 22nd July 2022

Interview location: Watford

CHURCH CONTACTS

Rector: The Reverend Canon Michele du Saire
Tel: 01923 265848 Email: rector.hcsp@gmail.com

Benefice website: www.hcsp.net

Benefice Administrator: Sonya Tolmie
Email: holycrossstpauls@outlook.com

Benefice Office, Sarratt Village Hall, The Green, Sarratt, Herts WD3 6AS

Church Office hours:

Please make contact by either emailing holycrossstpauls@outlook.com or telephoning 01923 264377.

Location of churches:

Holy Cross Church, Church Lane, Sarratt WD3 6HE

St Paul's Church, The Common, Chipperfield WD4 9BS

Churchwardens:

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| Linda Clough (HC) | 264884 | dandlclough@btinternet.com |
| David Clough (HC) | 264884 | dandlclough@btinternet.com |
| Philip Waine (St P) | 07771 712636 | wainephilip50@gmail.com |
| Ann Waine (St P) | 07557 303619 | ann.waine@gmail.com |

Readers:

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| Angela Coakley | 264380 | angelac3000@aol.com |
| Philip Waine | 07771 712636 | wainephilip50@gmail.com |

St Paul's Director of Music

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| Ben Atkinson-Rowley | 07731 740936 | benatkinson28@gmail.com |
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Holy Cross Organist

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| David Clough | 264884 | dandlclough@btinternet.com |
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| St Paul's Hall Bookings: | 263182 | Stephen Morrill |
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