

**St Paul's Church,  
Parkside**



**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> December 2015  
The First Sunday of Christmas**

**Welcome to St Paul's** If you are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of the people at the door before the service and join us afterwards for coffee or juice in the community centre. Children are very welcome here. If you are here with very young children and they need a break, then please make use of the toys & books in the coffee lounge. The service is relayed there so you won't miss anything – and come and go as you like. Members of **all** churches are welcome to receive communion.

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| <b>8:00</b>                  | <b>Holy Communion (CW)</b> Heinz Toller   |
| <b>10:00</b>                 | <b>Sung Communion C:</b> H Toller <b>P:</b> Nicky vonFraunhofer   |
| <b>Hymns</b>                 | 588, 589, 700, 80, 303  |
| <b>Readings</b>              | Isaiah 61.10 - 62.3 Susan Leyland<br>Galatians 4.4-7 Susan Leyland<br>Luke 2.15-21 Chris Wright   |
| <b>Intercessions</b>         | Elizabeth Burgess   |
| <b>Offertory</b>             | Susan & Elizabeth   |
| <b>Collect</b>               | Lord, your wisdom echoes in the child's question, the raw insight of youth: renew our curiosity and deepen our desire for a truth that lives and grows before you; through Jesus Christ, the Question and the Answer. Amen.             |
| <b>Post Communion Prayer</b> | Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son shared at Nazareth the life of an earthly home: help your Church to live as one family, united in love and obedience, and bring us all at last to our home in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. |
| <b>18:00</b>                 | <b>No Evening Prayer</b>  |

**Prayer Calendar for this week**

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| <b>Mon</b><br><b>28</b> | 9:00                   | No Service (staff day off)  |
| Birthdays               |                        | Richie Bancroft   |
| Intercessions           |                        | Glendene, Victoria Drive  |
| <b>Tue</b><br><b>29</b> | 09:00<br>09:25         | Morning Prayer<br>Bible Study (in the Vicarage)   |
| Birthdays               |                        | Sharmila Chandran   |
| Intercessions           |                        | Goddard House, Limpsfield Avenue  |
| <b>Wed</b><br><b>30</b> | 9:00<br>10:00          | Silent Morning Prayer<br><b>NO Communion Service</b>  |
| Birthdays               |                        |   |
| Intercessions           |                        | Gonston Close, Queensmere Road  |
| <b>Thu</b><br><b>31</b> | 9:00                   | Morning Prayer  |
| Birthdays               |                        |   |
| Intercessions           |                        | Green House (The), Augustus Road  |
| <b>Fri</b><br><b>1</b>  | 9:00                   | Silent Morning Prayer   |
| Birthdays               |                        |   |
| Intercessions           |                        | Greenfield House, Tilford Gardens   |
| <b>Sat</b><br><b>2</b>  | 09:00                  | Morning Prayer  |
| Birthdays               |                        | Rosie Hargreaves  |
| Intercessions           |                        | Heathview Court, Parkside   |
| <b>Sun</b><br><b>3</b>  | 8:00<br>10:00<br>18:00 | <b>Holy Communion (1662)</b> Heinz Toller<br><b>All-age Communion</b> Heinz Toller<br><b>Evening Prayer</b> Sue Chick |

**In Memoriam:** Phyllis Canham

**Please pray for:** Ossie, Muru Thiru, Sue, David Peck, John T, Phyllis, Paula, Helen, MT, Jeanne, Yvette, Andrew, RK, Lisa, Bridget, Margaret, John, Marilyn Goldstone, Maria Goldstone.

**For all Communion Assistants**

On **January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016** (4 – 5.45pm), we'll be holding an event for all Communion Assistants at St Paul's. This will involve some spiritual input, conversations, practical rehearsals, a cup of hot drink and biscuits (perhaps even cake) and will finish with Evening Prayer at 6pm.

**Please put it in your diary now.**