

✠ **THE PARISH OF
ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE** ✠



Sunday 19th November 2023

Mass for Safeguarding Sunday

467 318 4 275

Genesis 22:1-14: Cara Ephesians 1:3-6: Ed

Gospel: Matthew 18:1-7

Chalice: Nikki Intercessions: Ed

Welcomers: Cara & Ed

Refreshments: Ed

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Esther Christian, John Christian, Rachel Christian,
Rosemary Christian Janice Sutherland,
Marek Machoy, Lois, Tom Cantwell, John Daryl Jimenez,
Fr. Duncan Ross, Amelita Nicodemus,
Phil Cutcliffe, Carolyne Scott, Anna Ameila, Jackie Coral

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique
And for our church school **St Paul with St Luke Primary School**

November's Year Mind: Isabell Coates, John McLean
Gerald Walker, Mark Emmerson, Caroline Smith

R.I.P: Russell Carter

Today we celebrate the second **Sunday before Advent**. It is also the day we highlight the importance of safeguarding the most vulnerable among us - **Safeguarding Sunday**.

Safeguarding procedures and policies that have come into place have grown out of the church's own experience of not protecting the most vulnerable among us.

We welcome Mary, our Safeguarding Officer as our speaker today.

**Christmas Bazaar – this coming week
Saturday 25th November – it's not too late to
volunteer or donate!**



**The SPBC Christmas meal will
on Saturday 20th January from
5pm at the Ledger Building
Wetherspoons, Canary Wharf.**



All are welcome.

Help needed: today to set up for the Christmas Bazaar. Don't forget to stay behind and help with arranging the pews and getting things ready.

Friday 24^h November from 4 pm: to help move tables from school to church.

Saturday 25th November from 3pm: to help clear up after the bazaar and get the church ready.

Christmas Bazaar Tickets: Please try to return your tickets and monies to Mthr. Bernadette by Friday 24th November or at the very latest by 11am on Saturday 25th November.

Please note: the church will not be open during the day next week for prayer or quiet reflection. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience



Saying Farewell to the Tuesday Sale and THANK YOU. Marion, Janet, Pat, Teresa, June and their helpers have given many years of service to the Tuesday Sale and Jumble Sales. Earlier in the year they let us know that they would like to step down after the Christmas Bazaar. To show our

appreciation of all that they have given to the church over the years, we are holding a 'retirement' party (*bring & share*) for them on **Saturday 9th December in the Church Hall from 4-7pm.** Please note change in time.

The list is out by the Welcomer's table for you to indicate which food you are willing to bring and share.



Our Book of Remembrance will remain in the Lady Chapel until the Sunday before Advent for all who were not able to come to our **All-Souls Service.** Please hold in your prayers all

who are mourning the death of a loved one at this time of Remembrance.



Candlelit Carol Service



Sunday 17 December at 4pm.

Please invite family and friends to this very special service of 5 lessons and carols. Mince pies and refreshments will be served afterwards.

St Matthew's Church - Pasolini's Gospel according to St Matthew at 7.30pm on 22 November 2023

This great film will be shown in St Matthew's Church on Wednesday 22 November. If you haven't seen it, you are in for a big treat. It will start at 7.30 with mass at 7pm

Daily office week: The Daily Office: Monday-Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 8am & 5.30pm

Sunday 19th November 10am

Saturday 25th November 12-3pm

Sunday 26th November 10am

Sunday 3rd December 10am

Sunday 3rd December 11.30am

Saturday 9th December 7pm

Sunday 10th December 10am

Sunday 10th December 11.30am

Sunday 17th December 10am

Sunday 17th December 4pm

Sunday 24th December 11pm

Sunday 24th December 11.30pm

Monday 25th December 11am

Mass for Safeguarding Sunday

Christmas Bazaar

Mass for Christ the King

Mass for 1st Sunday of Advent

Prayer Group

A THANK YOU Party for the Tuesday Sale Team (*bring & share*) *in the church hall*

Mass for 2nd Sunday of Advent

Bible Study

Mass for 3rd Sunday of Advent

Carol Service by Candlelight

Carols by candlelight

Midnight Mass (*the 1st Mass of Christmas*)

Mass for Christmas Day

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Next Sunday: 26th November 2023

Mass for Christ the King

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Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24: Hendrika

Ephesians 1:15-end: Ed

Gospel: Matthew 25:31-end

Chalice: Hendrika Intercessions: Julian

Welcomers: Hendrika & Ed

Refreshments: Hendrika

Vicar Mother Bernadette Hegarty 020 3774 6833

Churchwarden: Julian Bream 07818 048048

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