

This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday when we gather in our communities to give thanks for all those who made the ultimate sacrifice so that we can live in peace and freedom. Consequently the readings overleaf are for the Third Sunday before Advent and not Remembrance Sunday. However do read them at home as they encourage us to be willing to keep learning throughout life and never to believe that we have reached the end of our journey of learning. This is so true for us today in our fragile world, still torn apart through war and violence in many places. Let us continue to pray for peace and especially for the fragile peace in Israel/Gaza. We pray and give thanks for the work of the British Legion, Help for Heroes and many other military charities who help ex servicemen and women. May we never forget. We pray for all who are unwell and pray for God's healing hand to be upon Jennifer, Tessa, Philomena, Nicky, Nick, George, Sally, Doreen, Joy, Shirley, Chris, Margaret, Chris, Pete, Paul, and Hannah who is currently in Kings Hospital following her recent liver transplant, that her current difficulties may be overcome. We remember those who have died recently, Rosemary Relf, Martha Ivory and Artie Arnavutian. We pray for their families and friends at this time.

Garden 'Working' Party

I hope you may have now visited the new garden of remembrance at Capel for the internment of ashes. Now that it is completed we have an area around it which has the stumps of brambles, weeds and rubbish. We would like to clear this area as much as possible to stop regrowth next year and reincorporate it back into the churchyard. Stuart is organising a working party on Saturday 15th November from 9am till noon and he requests that we bring our own tools.

Bethlehem Baubles - handblown by Muslims, painted by Christians and shipped by Israel — recycled glass decorations and peace lights from Bethlehem. Each item purchased through our unique code c40, £3.50 goes directly to our parish. See sample at Capel Church and leaflets at both churches.

Advent Course 2025 - Listening to the Music of the Soul - begins 18th Nov

Meeting for four Tuesday afternoons to share our thoughts as Christmas approaches with book is written by Bishop Guli Francis-Dehqani (Bishop of Chelmsford) We will be covering 2 short chapters each week. Please let Liz or Gill know if you would like a copy of the book (we already have 10 copies)

Chocolate Advent Calendars! - do contact Dineke for yours!

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

Sunday 9th November 2025

Remembrance Sunday



TODAY

10.45 Service of Remembrance - Ockley

3pm Service of Remembrance - Capel

Saturday 15th November

9 - 12 Capel Churchyard Working Party - see notes

Sunday 16th November - Second Sunday before Advent

10.30 Parish Communion - Capel

Tuesday 18th November - Listening to the Music of The Soul

3pm Advent Course begins at Barn Drive, Capel

Sunday 23rd November - Feast of Christ the King

9.30 Holy Communion BCP - Ockley

10.30 Morning Worship - Capel

Sunday 30th November - Advent Sunday

9.30 Parish Communion - Ockley

3-5pm Capel Church Teas (*last one of the season*)

Sunday 7th December - Second Sunday of Advent

9.30 Matins - Ockley

10.30 Family Communion - Capel

Every Wednesday 9 - 12 Pavilion Café in Ockley, Cricket Pavilion with visit from Community Fridge

'No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends'.

John 15. 13

In case of changes to events in these notes, the latest information can be found on:

www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/

