



Today's worship

10.00 am Service of the Word

**Sunday 6 November 2022
Service of the Word
Third Sunday before Advent**

Bible Readings:
2 Thess. 2.1-5, 13-end(Pg 1189) Luke 20.27-38
(Pg 1056)

St Francis Church is a loving family
that is Bible based and Spirit led.
We exist to worship God,
to grow in community,
and to be sent out into the world.

**13 November 2022
Remembrance Sunday
Second Sunday before Advent**
Bible Readings:
2 Thess 3.6-13 & Luke 21.5-19
**20 November 2022
Holy Communion**
The Sunday next before Advent
Bible Readings:
Col. 1.11-20 & Luke 23.33-43

Thursday Morning Prayer on Zoom

LET US PRAY FOR: Sheila Eyre, Alan Smith, Yvonne Hellewell, Jackson Lees, Jean Toher, Wyn Hibberd, Graham Watts, John & Audrey Attwood, Tony Carter, Stephen & Miriam Dotse Peter Jackson, and all on the prayer board.

Pearl Longden's funeral will be held at 11.45am at Rotherham Crematorium, followed by a service of celebration for Pearl's life at St. Francis church at 12.45. There will be refreshments service in the church hall afterwards. All money donations in memory of Pearl will go to St. Francis Church.

Cuppa & Chat - the first Saturday every month

10am to 12 noon
Further details please see Sylvia Graham.
Including Baptism & Wedding Enquiries
**NEXT CUPPA & CHAT WILL BE ON SATURDAY
3 DECEMBER 2022**

Bramley Friendship Group 2-4pm.

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month for ladies and gents.

£2.00 voluntary contribution per session.
Refreshments are provided.

We provide the tables, so you just bring your own art & crafts projects. We have a selection of games, puzzles, dominos, cards etc, or just come a social chat.

Next date Thursday 17th November

**CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 26
NOVEMBER 2-4PM. (setting up from noon)**

We need volunteers to set up and run a stall.
Tombola, Raffle, Books/CD's, Bottles, Table Games, flowers & plants, Bric-a-brac & Refreshments.

Donations of items for the stalls would be appreciated.

Please let Sylvia know if you can help!!

Should you wish to use the hall or worship area please contact Katy Dunigan, so the correct information can be booked in the church diary

CONTACTS

Church Administrator: bramley.stfrancis@gmail.com or 01709 702576

Church office hours Tues & Thurs 9am to 3.00pm

Curate in Charge—Revd. Helen Terry (all contact via the office phone or church email)

Bulletin: to Sylvia Graham, 540947 or sylvia.i.graham@hotmail.co.uk by Thursday morning please

Magazine items to Irene Magill (magazinesfrancis@gmail.com) by 15th of the month

Church Wardens: James Moore

Church Website www.stfrancisbramley.org

Lay Reader - Sue Watts - 01709 548242 or postmaster@sukiwatts.plus.com for emergency prayer chain

Enquiries about homegroups should be directed to Judy Sutton (email

judy@sutton100force9.co.uk)

Baptism and wedding enquiries - phone the church office 01709 702576

Please let Sue Watts know if someone is sick or in need

Bible Readings—Please be encouraged to join in our daily bible readings

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| Mon 7 Nov | Psalm 20/Daniel 4.19-end Rev 5 |
| Tues 8 Nov | Psalm 21/Daniel 5.1-12 Rev 6 |
| Wed 9 Nov | Psalm 23/Daniel 5.13-end Rev 7.1-4, 9-end |
| Thurs 10 Nov | Psalm 26/Daniel 6 Rev 8 |
| Fri 11 Nov | Psalm 32/Daniel 7.1-14 Rev 9.1-12 |
| Sat 12 Nov | Psalm 33/Daniel 7.15-end Rev 9.13-end |

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| Mon 14 Nov | Psalm 47/Daniel 8.1-14 Rev 10 |
| Tues 15 Nov | Psalm 52/Daniel 8.15-end Luke 11.1-14 |
| Wed 16 Nov | Psalm 56/Daniel 9.1-19 Rev 11.15-end |
| Thurs 17 Nov | Psalm 62/Daniel 9.20-end Rev 12 |
| Fri 18 Nov | Psalm 63/Daniel 10.1—11.1 Rev 13.1-10 |
| Sat 19 Nov | Psalm/Daniel 12 Rev 13.11-end |

Sunnyside Supplies—Urgent Appeal

We are seeing unprecedented demand for our services and our stock are depleted. If you can donate any food please do! We are after anything—tins, packets, frozen (apart from pot noodles and pasta). We are open 12 till 2pm on a Tuesday at Sunnyside Community Centre or we have a donation point at Woodlathes Co-op.

THERE IS A DONATION BOX ON THE STAGE IN THE CHURCH HALL

Sunday Morning Tea/Coffee Rota

Volunteers needed to help with refreshments (once a month would be a big help). If you are able to help there is a sign up sheet on the noticeboard. Thank you Sylvia.

DATES TO NOTE - NOV, DEC & JAN

Saturday 5 Nov. 10am—noon Cuppa & Chat (includes raising Poppies up the Church Tower)

Sunday 13 Nov 10am Remembrance Service — concludes at Memorial Garden on Cross Street

Thursday 17 Nov 2-4pm Bramley Friendship Group

Saturday 26 Nov 2-4pm Christmas Fair

Saturday 3 Dec 10am-noon Cuppa and Chat (making up of Christingles)

Saturday 3 Dec 6.30pm—9pm Ethan's concert in memory of his Grandad all money raised will go to The Heart Foundation.

Sunday 4 Dec 4pm Christingle Service

Saturday 10 Dec 7pm Concert by Friends in Harmony

Thursday 15 Dec 6pm Carol Singing at The King Henry

Sunday 18 Dec 4pm Carol Service in church

Saturday 24 Dec 11.15pm Christmas Eve Holy Communion Service

Sunday 25 Dec 10am Christmas Day Family Service

Sunday 1 Jan 10am New Year's Day Morning Worship

CHRISTIAN AID

Christian Aid Christmas Cards and the meaningful Advent Calendars are available from the Traidcraft Catalogue. You can order through Gill Haggie on 542571 for free postage.

Wyn Hibberd or Anne Walker has the catalogue, or order online : traidcraftshop.co.uk

Items for Christmas Shoeboxes for Rotherham Homeless Charities

- Toiletries
- Sanitizer
- Socks
- Gloves and Scarves
- Biscuits
- Sweets
- Notebooks, Pens and Pencils
- Tissues

Drop off by 30th November please. Anne is going to collect from church or you can drop off with her. Contact Anne Markham 07906 838657 for more details.

The Diocese of Sheffield Prayer

Living God, Jesus calls his followers to seek first your Kingdom. **Renew** us as we make your love known. **Release** us to share freely together in mission; and **Rejuvenate** us to be fruitful in your service. Give us courage, wisdom and compassion, that strengthened with the grace of the Holy Spirit, we may, as the Diocese of Sheffield, both flourish and grow through Christ our Lord. Amen.