

During the week please pray for:

Those who have recently died: Maryrose, Joe Raff

Those whose anniversaries fall in December: Audrey Marcola, Alice Augustus, Minnie Grimwood, Leslie Mayne, Jack Pacey, Leslie Stimpson, Ivan Highley,

Those in need: Dani, Josie, Owen, Joana and Sandra, Dean and Roy, Eva, Luis and Mary, Gail Needham, Emma G, Emma, Jonathan Navarro & family, Ian Cochran, Jesus Robert, Georgeann Tisdale and David, James, Eli, Chris, Mary Pacey, Grace, Danny, Mark, Luke, Ellie, Tony, Mary and Derek Strahan, Andria, Maria Jose, Simon, Sebastian, Ann, Clive, Brenda Lownes, Lynn Hughes, Tony Inscoe, John Scott, Damian Walker, Julia Kostilek, Beata

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.

Tue 10th Dec 11-2pm – Craft event lunch more details to follow

Fri 6th Dec 11-3pm – Art session with Bernadette – bring your own lunch

Mon 16th Dec – Christmas Party with food and entertainment organized by Sharry and the team



EXTENDED - Harvest/Advent appeal for non perishable goods and blankets for our local Caritas collection in church. ends 18th December please be generous

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**in Port de Pollença
Saint Andrew's**

Sunday 1st December 2019

**Welcome to our 10am
Sung Eucharist
Advent Sunday**

Lead by Rev'd Paul Southern

A special welcome if you are visiting.
If you require Gluten-free Altar bread – please have a word with one of the Welcomers.

Hymn Nos: 263, 552, 216, (480), 19
Do join us for refreshments after the Service, which are served at the back of church

If you pay tax in the UK and are visiting – please make use of the Gift Aid envelopes – it helps us a great deal. Please complete all the details required - Thank you!

Prayer Ministry is offered during Holy Communion:
Just make your way to the Quiet Room at the front of Church after receiving Holy Communion & someone will be there to pray with you or for you.

During the week all in the Church

Mon 2nd Dec 7.30 – Christmas quiz with light supper

Tue 3rd Dec 11-2pm - Craft Fair and Lunch

Said Eucharist - Cancelled

Wed 4th Dec 7.30pm – Fellowship

Fri 6th Dec 11-3 – Art Session with Bernadette.
Bring your own lunch

**Next Sunday 10am Sung Eucharist
Advent Sunday
Lead by Rev'd Paul Southern**

*why not look up the readings we will use:
Romans 15:4-13 and Matthew 24:36-end*

*More of Jesus,
Less of me*

Advent Sunday

God of Abraham and Sarah, and all the patriarchs of old, you are our Father too. Your love is revealed to us in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of David.

Help us in preparing to celebrate his birth to make our hearts ready for your Holy Spirit to make his home among us.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, the light who is coming into the world.

Amen.

Romans 13:11-14

This is the Word of the Lord

¹¹And do this, understanding the present time: The hour has already come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. ¹²The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. ¹³Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. ¹⁴Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh.

Thanks be to God

GOSPEL

Matthew 24:36-44

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁶“But about that day or hour no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son,^[a] but only the Father. ³⁷As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. ³⁸For in the

days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; ³⁹and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them all away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. ⁴⁰Two men will be in the field; one will be taken and the other left.⁴¹Two women will be grinding with a hand mill; one will be taken and the other left.

⁴²“Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. ⁴³But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁴So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Wednesday 18th December 12.30pm

Blessing of the Caritas collection in St. Andrew's Church with Msñr Danilo of the Catholic Church in Puerto Pollensa

Saturday 21st December, 6.00pm

Carol Service

Christmas Eve, 6.00pm

First Eucharist of Christmas

An 'Early' Midnight Mass for all the family with building the crib

Christmas Day, 10.30am

Sung Eucharist with Carols

Saturday 28th December, 5.30pm

Christingle Service

