LOOKING AHEAD

Daily Office Monday to Saturday 8am and 5.30pm (except Friday). Please note: Evening Prayer will be at 5.00pm on Tuesdays.

Sun 23 October 10 am Sun 30 October 10am Mon 31 October 7pm Wed 2 November 7pm Sun 6 November 10am

Sun 6 November 7pm Sun 13 November 10am Sun 20 November 10am

Sat 26 November

Sun 27 November 10am Sun 4 December 10am Sun 4 December 7pm Sat 10 December 1pm Sun 11 December 10am

Wed 14 December 9.30am

Sun 18 December 10am Sun 18 December 4pm

Sat 24 December 11.00pm Sat 24 December 11.30pm

Sun 25 December 11am

Bible Sunday (preacher: Frank)

Mass for All Saints Day
The Rosary Group (vicarage)

Mass for All Souls

Mass for Third Sunday before Advent

(Blessing of the Icon)

Young People's Service

Mass for Remembrance Sunday

Mass for Christ the King

Christmas Bazaar

Mass for 1st Sunday of Advent Mass for 2nd Sunday of Advent

Young People's Service

Christingle Service

Mass for 3rd Sunday of Advent School Christmas Service in church Mass for 4th Sunday of Advent (All Age)

Carol Service (6 lessons & Carols)

Carols before Midnight

Midnight Mass

Mass for Christmas Day

THIS IS THE GATE OF HEAVEN

Winner of 'The UK's Best Modern Churches' award November 2013

Next Sunday: 30th October 2016

Mass for All Saints

Hymns: 94 134 33 405

Daniel:7:1-3, 15-18 Mary Mc Ephesians 1:11-23 Mary S

Psalm 149 Gospel: Luke 6:20-31 Intercessions: Julian Chalice: Safia

Sides people: Mary S, Laurie



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THE PARISH OF ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE BOW COMMON



Sunday 23rd October 2016 **Bible Sunday**

Hymns: 318 467 72 510

Isaiah 45:22-25 Safia Romans 15:1-6 Cathy

Psalm 84 Gospel: Luke 4:16-24

Intercessions: Mary Mc Chalice: Hendrika

Sides people: Hendrika

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Edmond Brien, William Jarvis, Naomi Harris, Esther Christian, Margaret Lind-Smith, Anthony Ali; Margaret Diss, John Christian, Rachel Christian, Jackie Lelkes, Jim Mulhern, Isobel Coates, Ray Williams, Charlie Berry, Dawn Smith, Sharni Josephine, Nojahan Hamid, Margaret Whiteley, Mark Emmerson, Jane Keefe, Cresta Adcock, Jim Moore, Audrey Mameli, Iyabode Kadhiri, John Rowe, Sheena McMain, Blesie Smith, John McLean.

For our link church of **Santa Monica, Maputo** in Mozambique **October Year's Mind:** Keith Murray, Arnold Roberts

RIP: Michael Watkins

Today we celebrate Bible Sunday and we celebrate

Black History Month by recognizing the contribution that black people had made not only to our church – St Paul's but the contribution that they have made to the Church of England and the Anglican Communion.

We welcome Frank as our preacher his morning. We all know Frank's love and knowledge of the bible

Christmas Bazaar – Saturday 26 November 2016

We need donations for tombola, bottle tombola, prizes and for the Christmas Hamper. Please see the list and the back and put your name against the items you would like to donate to the Christmas Hamper. We also need additional volunteers on the day as well as volunteers to sell entrance tickets. Please talk to Mary Mc if you would like to sell tickets.

All Souls: Every year we have annual commemoration of loved ones departed this life at the Mass on the Feast of All Souls. This will be on **Wednesday 2 November at 7pm**.

Please let Mthr. Bernadette know if you would like us to pray for a departed loved one who is not already on the list. Please check the book of names which is in the Lady Chapel

Sunday 30 October 2016 – Farewell Bring & Share Lunch after the service

Next Sunday will be **Jo's last Sunday with** us, so do come along and say good bye to Jo and send her off with our love and care. We shall miss Jo and wish her the very best. We would also like to thank her for all that she has done for us at St Paul's, Bow Common over the past year or so.

GROWTH Night Shelter opens in on the 1st November 2016.

Please pray for a welcoming, peaceful and joyful shelter, that guests experience the love of God and that they may be able to move into more permanent homes.

If you are free on Sunday evenings and would like to volunteer to help (10pm-7am) then let Mthr. Bernadette know.

An introduction to the Old Testament

5 Thursday evening sessions, 7.30-9.30pm 27 October - 8 December 2016 with a break on Thursdays 17 & 24 November

Tutor: Dr Meg Warner

"Have you always felt a bit out-of-your-depth with the Old Testament? Not quite sure what to make of it? Perhaps you've always loved the stories? This is your chance to put your foot in the water and find out about the Old Testament from a specialist. Come and meet the Scriptures that Jesus knew!

TO BOOK A PLACE, contact Christopher at stepney.admin@london.anglican.org or **020 3837 5235** Full cost is £25 per person. The course takes place at: Stepney Centre for Training & Development, St Anne's Community Hall, Hemsworth Street, Hoxton, London, N1 5LF

Font Cover — we are now fundraising to repair our font cover. Some years ago, the cover was taken down due to health and safety concerns. Before we can attach the cover, the hanging mechanism needs to be stress tested and we will need some new attachments.

Our initial target is £2,000 as we believe this figure will cover the cost of the stress-test and assessment. The company will be able to give us an estimate of how much it will cost to make/repair the hanging apparatus and to hang the cover.

St Paul's Cathedral Advent Procession - Saturday 26 November at 6.00 p.m. If you wish to attend (if you have enough energy after our Christmas Bazaar) then let Mthr Bernadette know by 12 November so she can reserve a pass for you. The pass guarantees you a seat anywhere in the church on a first come/first served basis.

CONCERT & CAKE SONGS YOU KNOW & LOVE Saturday 29 October 4 p.m. at Bow Church.230 Bow Road E3 3AH Profits to Bow Church funds and Save the Children Child Refugee Crisis £10 full price • £7 concessions

Please remember the clocks go back 1 hour on at 2am Sunday 30th October 2016