#### **LOOKING AHEAD**

Daily Office Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday: 8.00am and 5.30pm Tuesday: 8am & 4.30pm

Sun 24 September 2017 10am

Mon 25 September 2017 7pm

Sun 1 October 2017 10am

Sun 1 October 2017 2pm

Sun 8 October 2017 10am

Mon 9 October 2017 7pm

Sun 15 October 2017 10am

Sun 22 October 2017 10am

Sun 29 October 2017 10am

Thurs 2 November 2017 7pm

Sun 5 November 2017 10am

Sun 5 November 2017 7pm

Sun 12 November 2017 10am

Sun 19 November 2017 10am

Sat 25 November 12-4pm

Sun 26 November 2017 10am

Sun 3 December 2017 10am

Sun 10 December 2017 10am

Sun 17 December 2017 10am

Sat 16 December 2017 12.30pm

Sun 17 December 2017 4pm Wed 20 December 2017 9.30am Mass for Michael & All Angels (baptism)

Rosary Group (vicarage)

**Mass for Trinity 16** (baptism)

**Animal Blessing Service** 

Mass for Harvest Sunday (All Age)

Bow Group Quiz (St Mary's, Bow)

**Mass for Trinity 18** 

Mass for St Luke

Mass for Bible Sunday

**Mass for All Souls** 

**Mass for All Saints** 

Young People's Service

Mass for Remembrance Sunday

Mass for 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Advent

Christmas Bazaar

Mass for the Feast of Christ the King

Mass for the First Sunday of Advent

Mass for the Second Sunday of Advent

Mass for the Third Sunday of Advent

**Christingle Service** (with Christingle making in

church hall from 11.30am)

**Carol Service** 

School Christmas Service (in church)

### THIS IS THE GATE OF HEAVEN

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

### Next Sunday: 1 October 2017 Mass for Trinity 16 & St Francis

**Hymns: 9 372 328 275** music group

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32 Arthur Philippians 2:1-13 Nikki

Psalm 25 Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32

Intercessions: Jennea Chalice: Nikki

Sidespeople: Arthur & Jennea

Vicar Mother Bernadette Hegarty 020 3774 6833 Churchwarden: Julian Bream 07818 048048

Churchwarden: Safia Dimsdale

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THE CHURCH

## THE PARISH OF ST. PAUL WITH ST. LUKE \* BOW COMMON



# Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017 Mass for the Feast of St Michael & All Angels

(with baptism)

Hymns: 33 490 503 35 21

**Genesis 28:10-17** Mary S **Gospel: John 1:47-51** 

Intercessions: Carly Chalice: May S

Sidespeople: Hendrika/Ayo & Cathy

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Edmond Brien, William Jarvis, Naomi Harris, Esther Christian, Margaret Diss, John Christian, Rachel Christian, Isobel Coates, Ray Williams, Charlie Berry, Dawn Smith, Sharni Josephine, Nojahan Hamid, Mark Emmerson, Jane Keefe, Audrey Mameli, Blesie Smith, John McLean, Kenneth Lambert, Joseph Agatha, Winnie Hegarty Pegden, Mary McKenzie

For our link church of Santa Monica, Maputo in Mozambique

September Year's Mind: Sylvia Fellows, Bishop Jim Thompson

Today, just a few days early, we celebrate the **feast of St Michael & All Angels also widely known as Michaelmas.** 

Today we baptize Ellie-Jane, so we especially welcome her parents Nicola and Daniel and all her family and friends to our service.



**Check out our new Facebook Page** by typing in the following: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/stpaulschurchbowcommon/">https://www.facebook.com/stpaulschurchbowcommon/</a>
Thank you Aimée!

**Saturday 30 September 2017: Jumble Sale in Church 12-2pm**. Volunteers needed. Please take a flyer and put it through a neighbour's door.



### Animal Blessing Service Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017 at 2pm in church.

Please do let friends and neighbours who have pets know about this very special service where we give thanks for all God's creation.

### Harvest Festival Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017

We look forward, as always, to our Sunday School presentation.



### Bow Group Quiz: Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2017 at St Mary's Church Bow 7pm.

Fun evening and an opportunity to gather with other churches in our group. If you would like to come along and help our team win, then talk to Mthr. Bernadette, Debbie and/or Julian our Bow Council Reps

#### Christmas Bazaar – Saturday 25 November 2017

We need donations for tombola, bottle tombola, prizes and for the Christmas Hamper. **We also need additional volunteers.** If you have ideas and/or want to help, there will be a **brief meeting on Sunday 1 October** after the service to start to plan for this amazing event we run every year.



### Pack A Shoe Box with gifts and make a difference to a child this Christmas Children need:

**Toys**: Include items that children will immediately embrace such as dolls or stuffed toys (with CE label), toy trucks, harmonica, yo-yo, skipping rope, ball, small puzzles etc.

Things for schools: Pens, pencils &

sharpeners, crayons or felt pens, stamps & ink pad sets, writing pads or notebooks & paper, solar calculators, colouring & picture books etc.

**Other ideas:** Hat, cap, gloves or scarf, sunglasses, hair accessories, jewellery set, wind up torch, wrapped sweets (best-before-date must be at least March of the following year). For more details read poster in church hall.

https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/how-to-pack-a-shoebox/#gift suggest

Shoeboxes need to be handed in by Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October so that the children will receive their presents by Christmas.

Church Christmas Meal at Wetherspoons, Canary Wharf, Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm. If you are planning to come, then let **Tiny know by 8<sup>th</sup> October** so she can book a table.

### Volunteering Opportunity Opportunities.

#### Volunteering Opportunity in Chaplaincy

The Chaplaincy of the Royal London Hospital is recruiting volunteers. If you are a compassionate listener, a good communicator, and a person of deep faith/belief and would like to offer you time and skills then do consider volunteering.

A training and induction course will be run from 10-12 October 2017. **To enrol, ring: 02035942070 before 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2017.** 

#### **Volunteering Matters:**

Volunteering Matters are seeking volunteers 50+ to mentor and inspire disabled young people to move towards achieving their full potential. They will provide free training and support. You would be taking part in a 3- month project for up to 15 hours a week.

If you are interested in finding out more then call **David on 0203 780 5901** or email <u>david.hedges@volunteeringmatters.org.uk</u>