CRONDALL & EWSHOT CHURCH MATTERS

Sunday 22nd November 2026 – Christ the King

Bible readings: please ask for a spiral service book.
Gluten-free wafer: please take a chit on arrival at the back of the church.
Non-alcoholic communion wine is available in the small chalice on the small table to the left of the chalice assistant, for dipping communion wafers.
Join us online: Zoom code **494 248 0953** · Facebook page via **www.assm.org.uk**
Key: AS All Saints, Crondall · SM St Mary's, Ewshot · CR Church Rooms

TODAY'S SERVICES

8.00am Holy Communion SM · Year A

READINGS Eph. 1.15–23 Page 193
(Matt. 25.31–46)

9.30am Parish Communion AS

READINGS Eph. 1.15–23 Page 193
(Matt. 25.31–46)
HYMNS 497 Let all the world in every corner sing
140 Christ is alive
601 Thou didst leave thy throne
563 Rejoice, the Lord is King

11.00am Matins SM

READINGS Ezek. 34.11–16, 20–24 Page 192
Matt. 25.31–46
PSALM 95.1–7
HYMNS 119 Come, ye faithful, raise the anthem
630 The head that once was crowned with thorns
671 Thou didst leave thy throne
565 Rejoice, the Lord is King

4.00pm Informal Service AS

READING Luke 18.1–8
HYMNS 306 Immortal, invisible
143 Father, I place into your hands

6.00pm Evensong AS

READINGS 2 Sam. 23.1–7
Matt. 28.16–end
PSALM 93
HYMNS 563 Rejoice, the Lord is King
496 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
589 The King of love my shepherd is

Welcome! Please make yourself known to a member of the church if you are visiting us for the first time and would like to find out more.

THIS WEEK

Monday 23rd November
9.30am Churchyard maintenance AS
10.30am Bible Explore – Vicarage
7.30pm Bellringing practice AS

Tuesday 24th November
3.15pm Art Club CR

Wednesday 25th November
9.00am Morning Prayer (CW)
Zoom 494 248 0953

Thursday 26th November

Friday 27th November
9.30am Croft Café CR
11.00am Tots and Tinies AS

Saturday 28th November
9.00am Morning Prayer (CW)
Zoom 494 248 0953
9.30am Croft Café CR
3.00pm Private booking CR

Sunday 29th November – Advent Sunday
8.00am Holy Communion (BCP said) SM
9.30am Parish Communion (CW sung) AS
11.00am Matins (BCP sung) SM
4.00pm Christingle AS
5.00pm Choir Rehearsal AS
6.00pm Advent Carols by candlelight AS

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

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HEALING & WHOLENESS: Simon Marshall, Geraldine Wilkins, MJ Curtis, Megan Raw, Tim Sturt, Helen Davies, Anna Lloyd, Dan Gibson, Dick Wallis, Emily.
RIP: Edward Kannemeyer, John Viner.

DIARY IN DETAIL

CHRISTINGLE: Sunday 29th November, 4pm, All Saints. A family service for Advent Sunday – all welcome.

ADVENT CAROLS: Sunday 29th November, 6pm, All Saints. Advent carols by candlelight – all welcome.

NEXT BISHOP OF GUILDFORD: As part of the appointment process, Stephen Knott (Archbishops' Secretary for Appointments) and Jonathan Hellewell (Prime Minister's Appointments Secretary) are holding an online consultation on **Wednesday 25th November, 7–8pm**. Meeting ID **332 479 171 988 423 0**, Passcode **ED79b8Tb**. Everyone is warmly invited to join and share their views.

MID-MORNING BIBLE EXPLORE: Monday 23rd November,10.30am at the Vicarage, looking at the prophecies foretelling Jesus. Contact Rev Tara to find out more or just come along. Coffee and biscuits will be at the ready.

EVENING BIBLE EXPLORATION: Monday 7th December, 8pm at the Vicarage, looking at Ephesians. No preparation necessary, all welcome, with a variety of refreshments on hand.

OMEGA 2026: Do you ever wonder why has Christianity lasted so long? Is Christianity relevant today? Does prayer work? What happens when we die? How should we read the Bible? Why not come and join the next group exploring these questions and many more over 6 evenings at Crondall Vicarage over supper, starting in January 2027? To find out more, or sign up, please contact Rev Tara on **07807 115038**.

CHURCH ROOMS REFURBISHMENT
The Church Rooms, home to the thriving Croft Café and used for the monthly Community Film Evening, monthly soup lunches each first Friday of the month, as well as private hirings for birthday parties, family drinks parties, fitness classes etc, need refreshing. We aim to refurbish the main room to make it more welcoming and versatile and improve and update the kitchen facilities. The estimated cost is £20,000. One villager has very kindly offered to match the first £4,000 raised, so the challenge is on! Please help.

- Donate through this QR code
  or click on https://justgiving.com/page/churchrooms2027
  or donate through the Parish Office
- Volunteer your professional skills
- Visit Croft Café on Fridays/ Saturdays 9.30am –1pm. You will find a warm welcome!
- Hire the Church Rooms for family / friends' gatherings, functions, meetings or classes
- Encourage others to get involved

Your support will be greatly appreciated, and benefit our community, thank you!

REGULAR EVENTS

Bible Exploration	First Monday of each month, **8pm, the Vicarage** – all welcome.
Churchyard	Every Monday, **9.30am–12, All Saints** – maintenance, all help welcome.
Croft Café	Fridays & Saturdays, **9.30am–1pm, Church Rooms**. Volunteers welcome!
Parish Magazine	News and articles (A5 Word) to **editors.parishmag@assm.org.uk** by the 13th.
Soup Lunch	First Friday of each month, **Church Rooms** – soup, bread & cheese, £7 donation.
Tots and Tinies	Fridays in term time, **11am, All Saints** – songs and music for tinies and carers.

PARISH GIVING SCHEME
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