**ST MARY THE VIRGIN - ACOCKS GREEN**

**PEWSLIP 12th – 18th November 2017**

**TODAY**

**Remembrance 8.00am Holy Communion } Fr A - Preside & Preach**

**Sunday 10.30am Family Communion}**

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***10am - booklet***

**Wednesday 10.30am Safeguarding Meeting**

 **11.30am Fab ‘n’ Fundraising Meeting**

**Thursday 10am Holy Communion**

 **6.15 pm Choir Practice for Regulars**

 **7pm Choir Extras**

**Saturday 10- 12 Open Church**

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**2 bf Advent 8.00am Holy Communion - Fr A - Preside / Sheila - Preach**

 **10.00am Parish Communion- Fr A – Preside / Rev Sue -Preach**

 **11.30am Debrief of Autumn Fair – come share your thoughts**

 ***Morning Prayer is said in church this week – Mon-Fri at 9am***

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***Envelopes are available for tax payers to gift aid your cash offering.***

 ***Please have a word with the Wardens at the back of church***

***\*\*Our website -*** [***www.stmarysacocksgreen.org\*\****](http://www.stmarysacocksgreen.org**)

 **TODAY’S MUSIC HYMNS**

 **494**

**Setting:** Murray  **35NH**

**Agnus:** McCrimmon  **163NH**

 **265NH**

 **489 + 488**

**Choir:** Take this moment : *Iona*

**Before**: Berceuse: *L. Vierne*, & Gynopedie no. 1: *E. Satie*

**After:** Crown Imperial: *William Walton*

**Organist:** *Gillian Bullock*

 ***\*Please join us for refreshments at the back of church\****

 ***Welcome to St Mary’s***

 ***on Remembrance Sunday***

***…a special welcome today to the Uniformed Organisations***

**Christmas Shoebox Appeal – deadline: today**

**A Big Thank You**

…from Viv & Muriel - Shoeboxes are sorted together with your generous donations towards their transport. Any donations over will go towards next year’s boxes. Please see Viv & Muriel for further details.

***Autumn Fair Debrief***

*An AF debrief will be held next Sunday, 11.30am in the Meeting Room,*

*Come and share your thoughts on possible improvements*

**City Choir Concert** - Classic Carols with Tony Robinson

at Symphony Hall Monday 18th December, 7.30pm

Stalls/Terrace Tickets £36. See Fr Andrew or Gillian if interested.

***Safeguarding Meeting*** *– Wednesday, 10.30am, Vicar’s Vestry*

**Fabric & Fundraising** - Wednesday, 11.30am, Meeting Room

***Village Christmas Lights Switch-on Event - Sat 25th Nov, 10–5*** *Community outreach & fundraising continues at this event. Our stall needs to be stocked: Homemade, Craft, Christmas, Children’s Lucky Dip items required.  Please speak to Isobelle if you can help in any way.*

***Diocesan Synod -*** *Sat 25th Nov, 9.30am at St Barnabas Church, Kingshurst*

**Swan Group** – next meeting Tuesday 28th Nov, 7pm in the Meeting Rm

***Next Week's Readings***

 ***Thursday 16th November Sunday 19th November***

 ***Philemon 7-20 Zephaniah 1 v 7, 12-18***

 ***Luke 17 v 20-25 1 Thessalonians 5 v 1-11***

 ***Matthew 25 v 14-30***