

Cathedral Notices

Advice & Support – The Cathedral Clergy are always pleased to provide support and advice to people whenever they can. Cathedral Chaplains are on duty most days; however, duty clergy can be contacted via the Cathedral office on (01437) 720202 or via email info@stdavidscathedral.org.uk

Donations and collections – Due to the pandemic, donations can be made via the contactless pay point or via the gift aid envelopes in your pew. Please be guided by the stewards if you are unsure about where to put your envelope as you leave.

Food Bank – Food bank donations and contributions are especially important in the current environment, and the Cathedral continues to support the local food bank by having a donation point near the font at the rear of the nave. Any non-perishable food donations are always welcome and special requests will be noted at the donation point.

Plant Dewi Boxes – If you hold a Plant Dewi collection box could you please return it to Moira Phillips in the Cathedral or Deanery Office.

Cathedral Library and Treasury - The Cathedral Library is open on Monday and Friday afternoons 2pm to 4pm. Bookings can be made on EventBrite. The public display in the Treasury, off the north transept, includes 12th century croziers and artefacts, with a display of the medieval Brut y Tywysogion / Chronicles of the Princes.

There are still a few copies remaining in the Cathedral shop of the British Museum catalogue book "Thomas Becket Murder and the Making of a Saint", based on the Museum's exhibition this summer including one of St Davids Cathedral's 12th century croziers.

Changes to the weekly pattern of services – Having run through a cycle of services, we have amended the Sunday 9.30am Parish Services to reflect that. The 9.30am Parish Communion will continue in the Lady Chapel, with the amendment of there not being a concurrent Family Service on the 4th Sunday of the month, there will only be the Welsh Cymun y Plwyf. In November and December there will be joint services on Remembrance Sunday, Advent Sunday and the Sunday before Christmas.

Please note - British Summer time ended on the 31st October, and Sunday Evensong, as well as all Evening Prayer services in the week (NOT weekday Choral Evensongs) move to the winter time of 4pm. Due to the large congregations on Sundays at the moment, we will also not be moving to the Quire for Sunday services.

Stewards – If you had been stewarding on Sundays in the normal times, or if you're brand new to St. Davids and would like to help (no more than once a month) please let Canon Leigh Richardson or Vicar's Warden Mr Richard Hayward know. We are particularly keen to have Stewards for the 11.15am Sunday Choral services as well as Sunday Evensongs.

Volunteer stewards needed for the formal concerts. - Do you have a love of music? If so this could be perfect for you.

Would you like to help being a steward for a few hours a month.

To assist the audience to their seats and to help with general enquiries.

The verging staff will always be there to assist should the need arise.

For full information please contact Marty Makin on 01437 720202 or email

marty@stdavidscathedral.org.uk

For those we hold dear – you'll remember that a week or so before Christmas, we hold a service to remember those we have loved and lost awhile. This year, we will be putting a Christmas tree in the S.Presbytery Aisle, (near the High Altar), on which you hang a decorated star which can be inscribed with your loved one's name – more details of this to follow.

If you would like to receive an email with a copy of this newsletter weekly, please email info@stdavidscathedral.org.uk