

Extra Services and other dates to note August - December 2017

August

Saturday 26 Market stall

September

Saturday 2 'At home' at the Vicarage 10.30am-1.00pm

Sunday 3 Pet Service 4.00pm

Saturday 9 Coffee morning

Sunday 17 Animal service at St Paul's Walden time tbc

Sunday 24 Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving 4.00pm
with tea at 3.

Saturday 30 Concert with visiting choirs - time tbc

October

Sunday 1 Dedication Sunday - services at usual times

Sunday 8 Harvest Thanksgiving All Age

Saturday 14 Coffee morning 10.00am-12noon

Saturday 28 Market stall

November

Friday 3 Quiz evening 7.00pm

Saturday 11 Coffee morning 10.00am-12noon

Sunday 12 Remembrance Sunday All Age

Saturday 18 'Away' morning

Sunday 19 Civic service 3.00pm, followed by tea

Saturday 25 Christmas Fayre

December

Saturday 9 Coffee morning 10.00am-12noon

Sunday 17 Christmas Carol service - 4.00pm

Sunday 24 Christmas Eve, normal Sunday services

Crib service at 4.00pm

Midnight at 11.30pm

Monday 25 Christmas Day - All Age Holy Communion at 9.30am

A Summary of the JCC Meeting on 6 July

The meeting opened with prayer.

The meeting agreed that there will be a focus on Stewardship on a Sunday before Lent next year. The last review of stewardship was in February 2014. Members of the Council will consider the Parish Buying Scheme which may enable us to buy a range of goods at competitive prices.

There will be an Away Morning on Saturday 18 November to consider the possibilities for St Faith's buildings. The Council was encouraged to initiate and encourage discussions in advance of this date.

The church noticeboards were discussed. A name board with the time of the main Sunday service will be considered for the exterior west wall of the church.

Reports were received from the Churchwardens, Safeguarding officer, Methodist steward, Fellowship committee, PCC, Deanery and Churches Together in Hitchin.

It is proposed that, after the 9.30 service each Sunday, the money counters will set up a table in church to free up the vestry.

A grant of £500 has been received from North Herts District Council towards the purchase of new chairs, floor rugs and wooden jigsaws for Small Talk.

Please see the accompanying list of dates August- December.

The next meeting is Thursday 14 September at 7.30pm.

