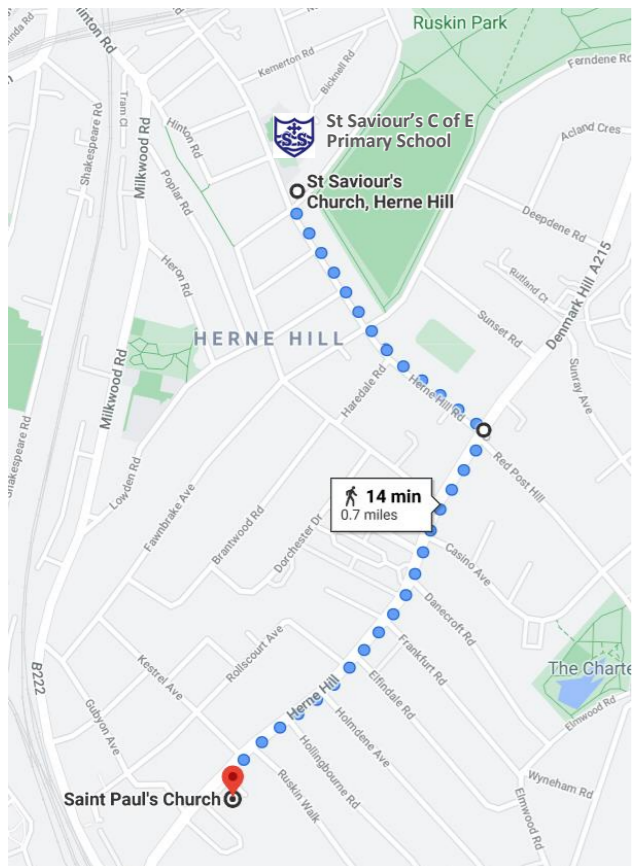


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**OUR CHURCH BUILDINGS**

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If you need to meet with any member of staff please get in touch and make an appointment.

As a Parish we are linked with **St Saviour's Church of England Primary School** on Herne Hill Road. Please use the QR code to link to the school website.



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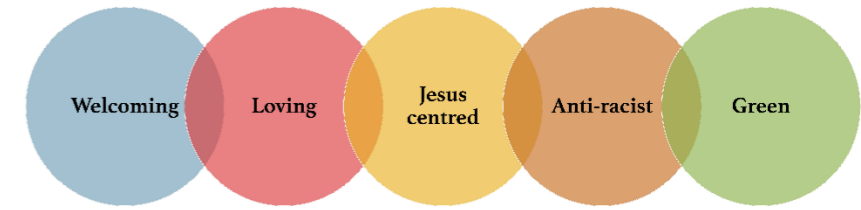
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**FEBRUARY NEWS**



**IN GOD'S STRENGTH, TO BRING JESUS TO THE CENTRE OF OUR LIVES AND TO THE HEART OF OUR COMMUNITY**

In God's strength we strive to be



*All welcome, no exceptions, come as you are.*

**Welcome** to St Saviour's or to St Paul's! We are a Parish of two churches, which means we can offer a variety of worship styles – and starting times – to suit most people. It also makes us like any normal family, a mixture of all sorts. What holds us together is a shared faith in God, and our commitment to live for him. Both churches work in close co-operation with the Parish's school, St Saviour's Primary.



**Rev Ben Goodyear**

Our regular Sunday services start with our **8am** service at St Paul's, a traditional, said Holy Communion (1662 Book of Common Prayer). The **9.30am** service (at St Saviour's) and **11.15am** service (at St Paul's) have groups for children and young people of all ages on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays in term time, and we also have creche facilities at both churches.

**The Five** is an informal evening service, **5pm** weekly at St Paul's. The Five is an inclusive and informal evening service with food, worship, great discussion, a chance to ask questions and receive prayer.

**Messy Church** Come join us at St Saviour's Church on **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 3pm** for sensory arts & crafts, games, singing, Bible stories and refreshments for all families. This ministry is suitable for Primary School aged children.



**Get ready for the best Parish Weekend Away yet!**



This is a fantastic opportunity to step away from the busyness of everyday life and connect with God, one another, and nature. Whether looking for deep spiritual renewal, meaningful fellowship, or a peaceful getaway, this weekend promises something for everyone. We want everyone to join in for an unforgettable time.

**When:** 26th - 28th September 2025

**Where:** High Leigh Conference Centre

**Theme:** Moving from fear to freedom

**Speaker:** Kiera Phyo, Director of the Reconciling Leaders Network

**Registration:** Complete the registration form linked below:

<https://hernehillparish.churchsuite.com/forms/kgbt5h3o>

Our time together will include inspiring worship, thoughtful teaching, fun activities, and opportunities to relax and recharge. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to grow together as a church family! **This is the year for everyone to come**—we want to see YOU there. Bring your friends, your family, and anyone who's looking for a place to experience joy and renewal. Space is limited, so be sure to **register early!**

We are running an auction of promises on **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March** to raise funds so that some people can come at a reduced price. Financial assistance is available - speak to Ben or Gill in confidence. Please don't let money stop you from coming.

Access the parish website via:



or visit [www.hernehillparish.org.uk](http://www.hernehillparish.org.uk)

**Follow us on social media!**

Facebook: @ParishOfHerneHill

Instagram: @hernehillparish

Twitter: @hernehillparish

## WHAT'S ON

### SERVICES IN FEBRUARY

At St Paul's every Sunday at 8am there is a service of Holy Communion using the Book of Common Prayer

St Saviour's @ 9:30am  
St Paul's @ 11:15am

2<sup>nd</sup> HC **Be with Jesus – Sacred Pathways**  
Mark 1:35-37  
Preacher: Simon Brindley

2<sup>nd</sup> **Messy Church**  
3pm @ St Saviour's



9<sup>th</sup> MW **Racial Justice Sunday**  
Matthew 25:31-46; Luke 10:25-37  
Preacher: Adjoa Andoh-Cunnell

16<sup>th</sup> HC **Become like Jesus – Spiritual Formation**  
Matthew 22:34-40;  
2 Corinthians 3:17-18  
Preacher: Winnie Obese-Bempong

23<sup>rd</sup> WT **Become like Jesus – In Community**  
Acts 2:42-47  
Preacher: Andy Blacknell

#### 'The Five' every Sunday

Informal evening service @ 5pm @ St Paul's

HC – Holy Communion MW – Morning Worship  
WT – Worship Together TFC – Together for Communion

### WEEKLY EVENTS

**Zoom prayers (link on website):**  
Tuesday 8am-8.30am

**Parish Playgroup (term time only):**  
Tuesday 10-11.30am @ St Paul's

**Tuesday Small Group (Bible study & chat):**  
Tuesday 2.30-4pm @ St Paul's

**Psalms & Stretches (£10 donation/class rec.):**  
Wednesday 7pm @ St Saviour's

**Hope Cafe & Open Church (except 20<sup>th</sup> Feb):**  
Thursday 9am-4pm @ St Paul's

**Thursday Bible Study:**  
Thursday 12.30-1.30pm @ St Paul's

**YFC Youth (school years 6+, term time only):**  
Thursday 6.30-8pm @ St Paul's

**Milkwood Kick (age 8yrs+, term time only):**  
Saturday 10-11.30am @ Milkwood Park

### Children's Church

This month, children's church will be on 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> February, at both St Saviour's (9.30am) and St Paul's (11.15am). We explore our Christian faith together in a safe and happy environment, with lots of fun activities and crafts. Children from age 4 welcome to join us - we'd love to see you!

#### Volunteers needed for Youth Ministry

Are you passionate about supporting young people in their faith journey? We're looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help with our youth activities, including YFC, YFC+, and Youth Church at the 9:30am service at St Saviour's.

Whether you enjoy leading discussions, helping with activities, or simply being a supportive presence, there's a place for you to make a difference in the lives of our youth.

If you're interested or would like to learn more, please get in touch with Cas. Together, we can help nurture and inspire the next generation.

Thank you for your support!

Email: [cas@hernehillparish.org.uk](mailto:cas@hernehillparish.org.uk)

Phone: 07938961699

#### Fair Trade – looking back, looking forward

2024 was the 30<sup>th</sup> year of the Fairtrade Foundation. A lot was achieved and the future of the organization is still good but of course there is more to be done. 2024 saw UK shoppers generating £28 million in Fair Trade premium payments. There are now 5000 Fair Trade products available - search them out in your supermarket. There were dozens of new partners joining. 2024 also saw lots of Fair Trade groups in schools set up - is there one in your school? Our goal in 2025 is to continue to spread the message and do even more. Our next church Fairtrade stall will be on 23<sup>rd</sup> March. The other dates for stalls are 18<sup>th</sup> May, 21<sup>st</sup> September and 30<sup>th</sup> November.



#### Revd Ben's book of the month: Just Mercy by Bryan Stevenson

Bryan Stevenson grew up poor in the racially segregated South. His innate sense of justice made him a brilliant young lawyer, and one of his first defendants was Walter McMillian, a black man sentenced to die for the murder of a white woman — a crime he insisted he didn't commit. The case drew Bryan into a tangle of conspiracy, political machination, startling racial inequality, and legal brinkmanship — and transformed his understanding of mercy and justice forever. At once an unforgettable account of an idealistic lawyer's coming of age and a moving portrait of the lives of those he has defended, Just Mercy is an inspiring argument for compassion in the pursuit of justice.

### Auction of Promises – can you contribute?

Do you have time, talents, or something else you could share with others? Could you offer an afternoon of DIY work, an hour of babysitting, car washing, a piano lesson, a week's stay at your holiday home, a photography session, dog walking, a couple of hours of ironing, sports coaching, or help with computing? Alternatively, you could come over for tea with a plate of homemade cakes or suggest anything others might appreciate or benefit from. All funds raised will go towards funding the Parish Weekend Away and financial assistance for those who might need it. If you would like to propose a promise, please reach out to Beckee or Winnie. [beckee@hernehillparish.org.uk](mailto:beckee@hernehillparish.org.uk) or [winnie@hernehillparish.org.uk](mailto:winnie@hernehillparish.org.uk)



#### The Robes Project

The Robes shelter for people experiencing homelessness continues throughout February and March, at St Saviour's on Tuesday nights as part of a weekly circuit of churches in Lambeth and Southwark. Please continue to pray for our guests, that they will feel safe and welcome in our parish and that, with the help of the Robes advice workers, they will soon find longer-term accommodation.



#### Watch our online service every week

On our YouTube channel:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCacBXmpZ2\\_eCq3hI9uX8sJQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCacBXmpZ2_eCq3hI9uX8sJQ)

### Parish Giving Scheme



It costs almost £6,000 per week to run all that the Parish of Herne Hill offers. In order for us to finance God's work in Herne Hill, you can help by giving regularly in a planned way through our Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). You can sign up via phone, by calling 0333 002 1271. You will need your personal bank account details and the PGS code for the Parish of Herne Hill: 370637043.



You can also sign up online:

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/parish-of-herne-hill-london/>

#### Giving electronically

To give a one-off donation to the parish please use the QR code:



#### Are you new to the parish?

# Welcome!

We would love to get to know you better. Please scan the QR code and fill out our connect form if you would like to hear from us.



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#### Christians Against Poverty

News from Beckee, our Community and CAP worker.



#### CAP Christmas hamper update

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the CAP Christmas hampers. The generous hampers were greatly appreciated and blessed over 50 clients.

CAP free debt help number is **0800 328 0006**