



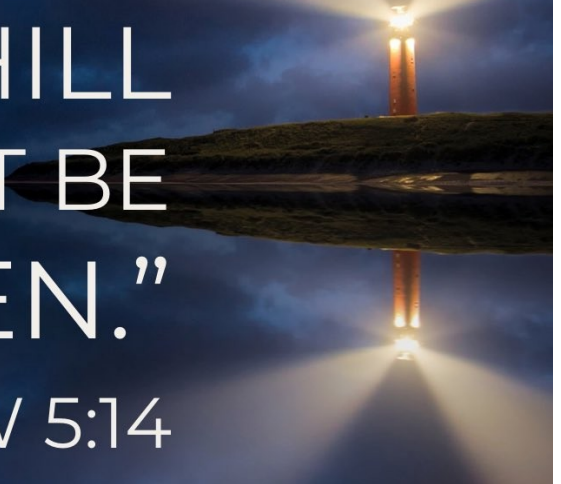
Longbeach
Anglican Church

30 November 2025

Our mission is to:

*Shine with the love of Jesus, grow mature
disciples and declare the Good News.*

“YOU ARE THE
LIGHT OF THE
WORLD.
A TOWN BUILT
ON A HILL
CANNOT BE
HIDDEN.”
MATTHEW 5:14



November 30 will be a combined service at 10am.
There will be no 11am service on this day

Bible Reading December 7—Luke 1.1-25

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Please pray...

- Give thanks to the Lord for the number of people who attended the recent Safe Ministry training. Pray that we will continue to be a Church that works toward being a safe place for children and the vulnerable.
- On Monday we had our Alpha away day and it was wonderful to see the Holy Spirit at work in each of the lives of those who came. Please pray for our last session on Monday December 8.
- Pray for our APM on Sunday that God will continue to guide our Church in the direction that he wants us to go.
- As the season of Advent starts this Sunday, pray that we as a Church will prepare our hearts as we celebrate Christ's birth and what that means for our lives.
- For sunshine for the Children's Christmas Party!

Questions about the APM Reports

If you have any questions that you would like raised at the APM, please email your questions to Sue (suzannebluett@gmail.com) before midnight on Thursday November 27, 2025.

APM Zoom Meeting Link

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87423844350?
pwd=nGeH9sy48YyTQ1WyasKG44d8ctSDJv.1](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87423844350?pwd=nGeH9sy48YyTQ1WyasKG44d8ctSDJv.1)
Meeting ID: 874 2384 4350 Passcode: 012971

Our New Archbishop Ric Thorpe

Bishop Ric has been the Bishop of Islington and the Church of England's 'Bishop for Church plants' over the past few years. He has traveled the world and spoken at many conferences on Church planting, and many have benefited from this training. He is married to Louise and has three adult children Zoe, Barny and Toby.

He was voted for the role at Synod and is being installed this Sunday. Over the next few months, he will be meeting many people and listening to many stories and ideas for the way ahead. Pray that God will give him a well attuned ear and incredible wisdom as he makes decisions regarding the vision and strategy for the Anglican Church so that the Word of God is made fully known in our Diocese.

Kanada Service

The Kanada community have held services at St Chads a few times each year. They always invite us as a Church to join them. You are welcome to come to the service and dinner afterwards from 7pm onwards.

What's on at the Longbeach Church for Christmas 2025

Sunday 30 November

4:00pm Children and Families Christmas Party
at the Hendrey's (see Sue or Jaqueline for an invitation)

Sunday 14 December at the Chelsea Town Hall

4:00pm Inter-church Council Christmas Carols
(Featuring choirs, Wayne and our Puppets)

Sunday 21 December at St Chad's

10am Seven Lessons and Carols at St Chad's (with communion)
(including pageant rehearsal for the children)

Wednesday 24 December

7pm Family service at St Chad's (With the
pageant and puppets)

11pm Holy Communion at St Aidan's

Thursday 25 December

9:30am Holy Communion at St Chad's



Opening and closing times for our outreach programs

Matt's Place & Lunch Church

Christmas lunch at 11:30am on Tuesday 16 December (last day for 2025)
and reopening on Tuesday 20 January 2026

Pantry 5000

Wednesday 17 December 9:30am-1:30pm

Wednesday 24 December & December 31 PANTRY CLOSED

Wednesday 7 January 9:30am-1pm

Wednesday 14 January 9:30am-1pm

Services in the parish over the New Year

On the Sundays following Christmas we will have combined services on
the following dates, times and churches.

December 28—10am Combined Service at St Chad's

January 4, 11, & 18 —10am Combined Service at St Chad's

25 January—10am Service at St Chad's and 11am at St Aidan's

Donations for Jaqueline and Julia

As you are aware, Jaqueline Hendrey is retiring at the end of January and Julia is finishing up with us at the end of the year. If you would like to put some money towards a gift for them, could you please place this in an envelope with their name on it and give to the office, put in the offering bowl or use the Shout for Good QR code and name the donation.

Pantry 5000 Food of the Week ... Biscuits

Worship Services

10am at St Chad's every Sunday

8am at St Chad's 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month

11am at St Aidan's 2nd, 4th & 5th Sunday of the month

This Week

Mon 10am	Pastoral Care Meeting
Tues 11:30am	Matt's Place
Tues 11:30am	Lunch Church
Wed 9:30am-1pm	Pantry 5000 at St Aidan's <i>Church Prayer Meeting—having a break until Feb 2026</i>
Thurs 7pm	Singing group at St Chad's (November 27)
Fri 10am	Quilting & Craft at St Chad's (November 28)

Upcoming Events

29 November	7pm Kananda Church and Indian dinner
30 November	Annual Parish Meeting
30 November	Children's and Families Christmas Party at the Hendrey's
8 December	Alpha continues at St Chad's
14 December	Bishop Paul Confirmation Service
14 December	Inter Church Council Carols
21 December	Nine Lessons and Carols
January 2026	Sunday 10am Combined services at St Chad's
19 February	1pm Coffee and Chat at St Chad's

Prayer Chain requests—Christine Taylor 0407 725 692

Prayer has been requested for: Baby Stacey, Barb, Chris B, Christine S, Colin H, David, Di, Evelyn, Graham, Jessica, Joanne, Karen, Kayden & Elisabeth, Kirstie, Lee, Liz, Micheal, Michelle, Nigel & Chris, Nola, Oakley, Paul, Peter, Phoebe, Robert, Ross & Irene, Russel, Sue T, Susie, Tina, Whalen family, Yolanta & Peter

Offering Via Direct Debit—Our bank details are:

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