All Saints', Milan

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a place to belong

Sunday 8th of December 2019
2nd Sunday of Advent

Dear Friends,
This coming weekened promises to be a rich preparation during this Advent Season. On Saturday 14th December at 4 pm we have the children's carol service. Children are invited to come dressed as shepherds, angels, kings, Joseph; Mary or one of the animals. Saturday at 6pm in the Chiesa di Santo Stefano an Armenian Choir offers their talent in support of the work of the Consiglio delle Chiese Cristiane. Entrance is free, but donations are most welcome. This is the major fundraiser for the work of the Consiglio. Do come and bring your friends.

As we light the Advent candle at the end, please join in with this song:
Stay awake, be ready, we do not know the hour when the Lord is coming, Stay awake, be ready. The Lord is coming soon. Alleluia, alleluia, the Lord is coming soon.
Vickie

Today's Hymns

Opening
401 On Jordan's bank
Before the Gospel
358 O come O come (vv 2-3)
Offertory
193 (omit v 4)
Communion
196 Hark! A herald
Final
49 Awake, awake

Thank you to Vincenzo for the music this morning.

Did you know...?
All Saints' Church must meet all the costs through Sunday fundraising, collections, donations etc: we receive no central funding. If you feel able to donate regularly via a standing order the bank details are: All Saints' Anglican Church, Milan, Unicredit,
NEW IBAN:
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GENERAL NOTICES

SUNDAY SCHOOL
8th December.

THANK YOU to everyone who participated in the Christmas Fair. We have raised nearly 8000 euro for the work of this church--- and had a wonderful time doing it!

Concerts in Church for the Christmas Season:

12th December: Santa Lucia (Swedes) Thursday
14th December: Dona Nobis concert.

Save the dates, details to follow!

19th December: Carol Singing under the Tree in Largo Treves as Part of the Tree Festival.
Listeners 18.15hrs go direct to Largo Treves.
Singers: Meet first in church at 17.30hrs for a run through. Same music as in previous years.
More info? Contact: Gillian Hope 3337906965.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

TODAY
Please stay on for coffee and tea upstairs following the service.

THIS WEEK
Tuesday 12.30pm to 2 pm Bible study. Packed lunch and chat at 12.30. Bible discussion from 1 pm. All welcome.
Tuesday 6pm to 8pm Church of Armenia, Via Jomelli, Consiglio delle Chiese Cristiane di Milano. Observers welcome.
Tuesday 7.15 pm Soul Voices Gospel rehearsal.
Wednesday 7.30 pm Eucharist
Wednesday 8.30 pm Flowing Spirit Gospel choir rehearsal.
Wednesday 9 pm Amici di strada at Garibaldi station.
Friday 7.30pm All Saints' choir rehearsal. For information, contact Darlene, tel. 3285640829
Saturday 4 pm Lessons and Carols Crib Service for Families and Children.

COMING UP
Sunday 15th December 6.30 pm Service of Nine Lessons and Carols.
Friday 20th December Flowing Spirit Gospel choir at the Chiesa Stssma Trinita, Via Giusti.
Sunday 22nd December 12.15 Anglicanism.
Tuesday 24th December 9.30 pm First Eucharist of Christmas
Wednesday 25th December 10.30 am Eucharist of Christmas Day followed by Pranzo di Natale.

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