



Remembering in the years ahead

It can be comforting to know that we are not forgotten. On the **first Sunday evening in November** the annual **Service of Thanksgiving & Remembrance** takes place at Trinity. The service, conducted by the Minister, is led in a sensitive and dignified way and in the hope that it offers comfort and reassurance to the bereaved. Against the backdrop of a candle lit for each person being remembered the key feature of the service is the reading out loud, during the playing of music, of the names of all those whose funerals have been conducted in Trinity's name (both in church and/or at the Crematorium/cemetery) in the twelve months between September 1st and August 31st, together with names submitted across the years by those wishing for their inclusion. Local Funeral Directors also attend and take part in the service.

The Pastoral Visitors' Team offers and hosts a light buffet supper, to which all are invited, after the service.

Personal invitations for those bereaved in the previous funeral-year (September-August) are sent by post for the first year; thereafter whilst invitations are not sent out any and all are welcome to return for the annual service and if wishing to include loved one's names in the service they are asked to submit details (either by 'phone or email) by mid-October.