

Locum Chaplains at St Thomas Becket Church January-June 2011

During the vacancy period, STB is privileged to be served by a number of very distinguished locum chaplains who we are very pleased to welcome to lead our worship.

Revd Tony Rutherford

Sundays 16th January - February 13th

Tony Rutherford is 73 and has been 'actively retired' for 8 years as an associate priest in Rusthall, a village just outside Tunbridge Wells, UK. He worked for 25 years in education, married to Janet who will be here for the first week. Tony Rutherford has visited Hamburg previously in 1985 for the Kirchentag and has attended 9 other Kirchentagen. (A longer profile is given in Becket News No. 45.)

Archdeacon David Ratcliff

Sundays 23rd February – 14th March

Archdeacon Ratcliff is our former archdeacon, and now is living in retirement in Kent. He will come with his wife Gillian.

Bishop Rupert Hoare

Sundays 20th March - 10th April

Bishop Hoare is an eminent theologian and the former Dean of Liverpool (2000-2007), Bishop of Dudley (1993-2000) and Principal of Westcott House Theological College, Cambridge (1981-1993). He and his wife both speak German.

Canon Paul Rose

Holy Week and Easter, 1st May 2011

Revd Erika Anders will take the service on the 8th of May. A locum for 15th May has yet to be confirmed.

The Very Revd Dr John Arnold

Sundays 22nd May – 5th June

Dr Arnold is a former Dean of Durham, a very distinguished priest, and has been President of the Council of European Churches. His wife Annaliese is German, and they both speak fluent German.