

## Parish Notices

**Deanery Prayer for June** – Please see Community Magazine and Notice Boards for further details.

**Novena 9 Days of Prayer** – Nine day journey of prayer. Please take a Novena booklet and pray the nine days of Novena Prayer between Ascension and Pentecost. Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May-8<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Booklets available in church.

**Coffee & Cake** – There will be Coffee & Cake at the Vicarage on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June between 3.00-5.00pm. Hope to see you all there. Ian and Frauke x

**Guild of Church Flower Arrangers** – Next Guild Demonstration is Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 at 7.15pm at St Mary and All Saints, Boxley. ME143DR and is entitled "2 Summer Wedding" by Helen Hare.

**Coffee & Chat** – St Philips Coffee & Chat are celebrating 30 years on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2019. We will be joined by the New Major of Maidstone. We look forward to seeing you all there. 10.00am – 12noon.

**The Maidstone Singers** – "coming of Age" Concert on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 7.00pm in All Saints Church. Tickets are £12 – Students £5 from Brian Shaw or on the door. Full details of event can be found in the Parish Magazine.

**Wholeness & Healing Service** - Held on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019 at 7pm, in Holy Name Chapel. More Information contact Mary 01622 631368.

**Mothers Union Summer Lunch** – Held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2019, 12.30 for 1pm in Mary and Brian Shaw's home in Weaving. £15pp a large choice buffet lunch with raffle in aid of MU Projects in this Diocese and abroad. Book with Mary on 01622 631368 or [shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com](mailto:shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com)  
Please book by the 6<sup>th</sup> July 2019.

**All Saints Summer Fayre** – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2019 10am-3pm. Teddy bear Abseil, cream tea's and lots of stalls. Bring your family and friends.

The Parish of All Saints  
with St Philip, Maidstone and  
St Stephen, Tovil  
[www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk](http://www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk)

Sunday 02<sup>nd</sup> June 2019  
Seventh Sunday of Easter  
Sunday after Ascension Day

At All Saints



**8.00am** Eucharist – Readings begin on page 146 and the service starts on page 237

**Music for the 9.30am Parish Eucharist**  
Service: Addington

**NEH 130** Hail the day that sees him rise

**NEH 443** Rejoice, the Lord is King

**NEH 134** The head that once was crowned  
with thorns

**NEH 352** Crown him with many crowns

**Communion Motets:**

Lift thine eyes - Mendelssohn

**Psalm after the Dismissal:**

Psalm 119:49-56

**Organ Voluntary:**

Heut Triumphant Gottes Sohn BWV 630

Today God's Son triumphs, having risen from the dead – J.S. Bach

**Please come and join us for refreshments  
after the Service**

## COLLECT

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## READING 1

Acts 16.16-34

## Reading 2

Revelation 22.12-14,16,17-20-end

## GOSPEL

John 17.20-end

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia** Go, and make disciples of all nations, / says the / Lord, and remember I am with you always to the / end / of the age. **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

## POST COMMUNION

Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Other Services in the Parish for the 02<sup>nd</sup> June 2019

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips  
11.30am, Baptism Service AS  
3pm-5pm Coffee & Cake at the Vicarage  
6.30pm Choral Evensong at AS

Music In Worship – during June

- The Communion Motets and Evensong Anthems celebrate the Ascension, Pentecost and the Trinity
- We continue our journey through Psalm 119, begun last month
- The Communion Hymns mainly reflect the Feast days and/or the Lectionary Readings

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Mon 03 <sup>rd</sup>	
Tues 04 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am -12noon Coffee & Chat at St Philip's C & C
Wed 05 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am Said Eucharist at AS 1pm-2.30pm Lite Bite at SP
Thu 06 <sup>th</sup>	
Fri 07 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm All Saints Choir (College Rooms)
Sat 08 <sup>th</sup>	
Sun 09 <sup>th</sup> Whit Sunday	8.00am Said Eucharist AS 09.30am Choral Eucharist AS 11.00am Worship for All SP 11.00am Parish Eucharist at SS

### Readings for the main Eucharist next week Sunday 09<sup>th</sup> June Whit Sunday

Acts 2.1-21

Romans 8.14-17

John 14.8-17

### Intercessions:

#### Please pray for these and their families:

Jean Williamson, Revd Kes Grant,  
Clive & Andrea Lever, Derek & Sue Parker  
Dawn Gamble, Johnjo Flood, Vera Alflatt  
Jenny Woodridge & Family, Millie Moss  
Audrey Little, Chris CSJD, Daphne Holland  
Nigel Gunyon, Diana Caley, Patty, Jane  
Sadler, Catherine Stevens & Family,  
Mo Taylor & Family, Kay Kidney

### The departed and all who mourn their Passing

Edwin Taylor

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### Our Facebook Page:

“All Saints with St Philip and St Stephen  
Maidstone”

Please take this leaflet away with you ☺

## Readings for Sunday 02<sup>nd</sup> June 2019

### **Acts 16.16-34**

One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, 'These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.' She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, 'I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.' And it came out that very hour. But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, 'These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.' The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, 'Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.' The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' They answered, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.' They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

### **Revelation 22.12-14,16,17,20-end**

'See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.' Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates. 'It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.' The Spirit and the bride say, 'Come.' And let everyone who hears say, 'Come.' And let everyone who is thirsty come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. The one who testifies to these things says, 'Surely I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

### **John 17.20-end**

'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'