

## Notices

### All Saints Choir

1. Anyone who wants to join or re-join the choir you are very welcome to do so
  2. Evensong rehearsal for everyone who wants to sing is at 6pm
- Thank you
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Harvest Supper -The Harvest Supper will take place on **Saturday October 8th 2022** from 6:30pm until 8:30pm at St.Philip's. Please sign up on the lists from September 25th if you wish to come. Hot drinks will be provided but if you would prefer something different or stronger please bring your own.

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### SAVE THE DATE

November 11<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm for 7pm  
Revd John Richardson is holding  
A First Anniversary, Cavery Supper at  
Archbishop Courtenay School.  
Details to follow

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### Services In October 2022 All at 10am

October 16th - St. Philip's - Healing  
Service with Holy Communion and the  
Laying on Hands.

October 23rd - All Saints - Parish  
Eucharist for Bible Sunday with Mr. Chris  
Dale, Head teacher at St. Nicholas School,  
New Romney as the Preached.

October 30th - St. Philip's Parish  
Eucharist

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### **Hazlitt Theatre – Willington Players** **An Ideal Husband**

Di Daniels is taking orders at £15/ticket (no concessions) for any performance. We get 50% of the sale of tickets, at the moment for Friends of St Philips, towards the cost of toilets for the disabled in the community centre.

The Parish of All Saints  
With St Philip, Maidstone and  
St Stephen, Tovil  
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**Sunday 02nd October 2022**  
**The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity**

**10.00am Parish Eucharist**  
**at All Saints Church**

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**  
**at All Saints Church**

### Next Week's Service's

Sunday 09th October 2022  
The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

**10am Harvest Thanksgiving at St  
Stephen's – Archbishop Courtenay  
School**

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### Collect

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### Reading

#### 2 Timothy 1.1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when

I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

### **Gospel**

#### **Luke 17.5-10**

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you. 'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!" '

### **Post Communion**

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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#### **Special prayers**

*Matt 5.3 'Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven'*

Paul Crease, Daphne Holland, Nigel Gunyon,  
Mary Wheeler, Jane Sadler, Ray Stephens,  
Debbie Proctor, Roger Doe, Sue Marks,  
Pamela Hocking, Graham Jarvis, Kelly,  
Claire & Family, Allan Seeley, Michael Costen

**Please remember those on the Anniversary of  
their passing**  
*Audrey Little*

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