

Parish Notices

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

Cake Sale – On Tuesday 24th September 10am – 12noon, St Philips Coffee & Chat will be holding a cake sale in aid of McMillan nurses. Donations of cakes would be most welcome. Please come along to St Philips and join us for a Tea or Coffee and purchase a cake. Thank you.

Music In Worship – On Saturday 28th September, our music team is leading a “Come and Sing” **Faure’s Requiem** at Marden Parish Church. Further information for interested singers from Andrew, Lionel or Phil.

Harvest Lunch at All Saints – September 29th following our 11am Eucharist (later time than usual) we will be having a “Bring & Share” lunch in church. Please tell Mary Shaw if you are coming and what you are bringing so that she can organise the food. All are welcome.

Heritage Festival – Heritage Festival Open Days at All Saints 13th September-22nd September 10.00am -4.00pm.

Harvest Supper – October 11th at St Philips Community Centre. Fish & Chips £7pp. Tea & Coffee available or bring your own drinks. 6.45 For 7.15 start. Please call Barbara ASAP to book. Everyone Welcome

Harvest at St Philips – Harvest Breakfast on Sunday 13th October from 10.15am (fresh bread & Jams) followed by an 11am Worship for All Service. All Welcome

November Praise – If you would like the congregation to sing a particular hymn and/or the Choir to sing a particular anthem/motet/psalm during November, please let Andrew know by mid-October. Thank you

Confirmation – Those wanting to be confirmed should contact Revd Ian Parrish as soon as possible.

All Saints 50/50 Club – will be restarting in September. Please collect information about how to join from the back of the church or from Mary or Brian Shaw. 01622 631368 or shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com

Please take this leaflet away with you ☺

**The Parish of All Saints
with St Philip, Maidstone and
St Stephen, Tovil
www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk**

**Sunday 08th September 2019
The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity**

At All Saints



8.00am Eucharist – Readings begin on page 175 and the service starts on page 237

Music for the 9.30am Choral Eucharist Service - Appleford

NEH 332 All hail the power of Jesu’s name
NEH 427 O praise ye, the Lord!
NEH 272 All for Jesus! All for Jesus!
NEH 420 O Jesus, I have promised

Communion Motet:
Monk - Lord of the Harvest

Organ Voluntary:
Alexandre Guilmant “March on a theme of Handel”

We Welcome Theo Ashley Gasson and Family on this his Baptism Day

Music in Worship

- *All September’s Choral Items (Anthems, Motets and Psalms) celebrate Harvest-tide; and September’s Choral Eucharist setting by Patrick Appleford will also be sung during October’s Parish and Choral Eucharist’s*

Please come and join us for refreshments after the Service ☺

Other Services/Events in the Parish for the 08th September 2019

11.00am Worship For All at St Philips
11.00am Parish Eucharist at SS
11.00am Baptism Service at AS

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God,
you are always more ready to hear than we to
pray and to give more than either we desire
or deserve: pour down upon us the
abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those
things of which our conscience is afraid
and giving us those good things which we are
not worthy to ask but through the merits and
mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity
of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READING 1

Jeremiah 18.1-11

READING 2

Philemon 1-21

GOSPEL

Luke 14.25-33

Gospel Acclamation (All Saints Only)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

I am the light of the World / says the Lord.
Whoever follows me will never walk in
darkness but will / have the / light of/ life.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

POST COMMUNION

God of all mercy, in this Eucharist you have
set aside our sins and given us your healing:
grant that we who are made whole in Christ
May bring that healing to this broken world,
In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Psalms: 65:9-14

- 9 - Thou visitest the earth, and
blessest it: thou makest it very
plenteous.
- 10 - The river of God is full of water:
thou preparest their corn, for so thou
providest for the earth.
- 11 - Thou waterest her furrows, thou
sendest rain into the little valleys
thereof: thou makest it soft with the
drops of rain, and blessest the
increase of it.
- 12 - Thou crownest the year with thy
goodness: and thy clouds drop
fatness.
- 13 - They shall drop upon the
dwellings of the wilderness: and the
little hills shall rejoice on every side.
- 14 - The folds shall be full of sheep:
the valleys also shall stand so thick

with corn, that they shall laugh and
sing.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Mon 09 th	
Tues 10 th	10.00am -12noon Coffee & Chat at SP 10.00am Restoration Trust AGM at AS 7pm Standing Committee Meeting at the Vicarage
Wed 11 th	10.30am Said Eucharist at AS
Thu 12 th	
Fri 13 th	10.00am – 4.00pm Heritage Festival- Open days at AS Time TBA - Maidstone Grammar School Founders Day Service at AS 7.00pm All Saints Choir (Collage Rooms)
Sat 14 th	10.00am – 4pm Heritage Festival Open Day at AS 6.30pm Confirmation Service at Canterbury Cathedral
Sun 15 th	08.00am Said BCP HC at AS 9.30am Parish Eucharist at AS 10.00am – 4pm Heritage Festival Open Day at AS 11.00am Parish Eucharist at SP 6.30pm Choral Evensong at AS

Readings for the main Eucharist next week Sunday 15th September 2019

13th Sunday after Trinity

Jeremiah 4.11-12, 22-28

1 Timothy 1.12-17

Luke 15.1-10

Intercessions:

Please pray for these and their families:

Jean Williamson, Revd Kes Grant,
Clive & Andrea Lever, Dawn Gamble, Johnjo
Flood, Vera Alflatt, Millie Moss, Audrey Little,
Chris CSJD, Daphne Holland, Nigel Gunyon,
Patty, Jane Sadler, Revd Brian Barnes,
Family & friends of Sue Parker, Family of
Diana Caley, Keith Manuell. Brian Dewar,
Mary Wheeler

The departed and all who mourn their Passing:

Sue Parker
Diana Caley
David Palmer

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Stephen Maidstone"
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Readings for Sunday 8th September

12th Sunday after Trinity

Jeremiah 18.1-11

The word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD: 'Come, go down to the potter's house, and there I will let you hear my words.' So I went down to the potter's house, and there he was working at his wheel. The vessel he was making of clay was spoiled in the potter's hand, and he reworked it into another vessel, as seemed good to him. Then the word of the LORD came to me: Can I not do with you, O house of Israel, just as this potter has done? says the LORD. Just like the clay in the potter's hand, so are you in my hand, O house of Israel. At one moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom, that I will pluck up and break down and destroy it, but if that nation, concerning which I have spoken, turns from its evil, I will change my mind about the disaster that I intended to bring on it. And at another moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom that I will build and plant it, but if it does evil in my sight, not listening to my voice, then I will change my mind about the good that I had intended to do to it. Now, therefore, say to the people of Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem: Thus says the LORD: Look, I am a potter shaping evil against you and devising a plan against you. Turn now, all of you from your evil way, and amend your ways and your doings.

Philemon 1-21

Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our dear friend and co-worker, to Apphia our sister, to Archippus our fellow-soldier, and to the church in your house: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. When I remember you in my prayers, I always thank my God because I hear of your love for all the saints and your faith towards the Lord Jesus. I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective when you perceive all the good that we may do for Christ. I have indeed received much joy and encouragement from your love, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you, my brother. For this reason, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do your duty, yet I would rather appeal to you on the basis of love—and I, Paul, do this as an old man, and now also as a prisoner of Christ Jesus. I am appealing to you for my child, Onesimus, whose father I have become during my imprisonment. Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful both to you and to me. I am sending him, that is, my own heart, back to you. I wanted to keep him with me, so that he might be of service to me in your place during my imprisonment for the gospel; but I preferred to do nothing without your consent, in order that your good deed might be voluntary and not something forced. Perhaps this is the reason he was separated from you for a while, so that you might have him back for ever, no longer as a slave but as more than a slave, a beloved brother—especially to me but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord. So if you

consider me your partner, welcome him as you would welcome me. If he has wronged you in any way, or owes you anything, charge that to my account. I, Paul, am writing this with my own hand: I will repay it. I say nothing about your owing me even your own self. Yes, brother, let me have this benefit from you in the Lord! Refresh my heart in Christ. Confident of your obedience, I am writing to you, knowing that you will do even more than I say.

Luke 14.25-33

Now large crowds were travelling with him; and he turned and said to them, 'Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, saying, "This fellow began to build and was not able to finish." Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions.