2nd Sunday before Advent

Parish of All Saints with St Philip Maidstone & St Stephen, Tovil

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

17th November 2013

The 2nd Sunday before Advent

At the 8.00 am Eucharist we use the readings for the 4th Sunday after Epiphany which begin on page 19572. The service starts on page 237.

At the 9.30 am Parish Eucharist we use the Printed Order of Service. We sing the service to the Aston setting.

Opening Hymn: 434 Oft in danger

Ist Lesson: Malachi 4. I - 2 Reader: Kitty Morgan-Jones

Gradual Anthem:

Make me a channel of your peace Temple

2nd Lesson 2 Thessalonians 3. 6 - 13

Reader: Geoff Lay

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to stand with confidence before the <u>Son</u> of Man.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Gospel: Luke 21.5 - 19

Preacher: Christopher Morgan-Jones

Intercessions: Mary Shaw

Offertory Hymn: 307

Sweet Sacrament divine

(During this hymn the collection will be taken)

During communion the choir sing:

Jesu word of God incarnate Elgar

Then did priests make offering Byrd

Final Hymn: 362 Glorious things

Everyone is invited to stay for refreshments at the back of the church after the service

This evening:

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Heavenly Father,
whose blessed Son was revealed
to destroy the works of the devil
and to make us the children of God
and heirs of eternal life:
grant that we, having this hope,
may purify ourselves even as he is pure;
that when he shall appear in power
and great glory
we may be made like him in his eternal
and glorious kingdom;
where he is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. Amen.

POST COMMUNION

COLLECT

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

BLESSING

Christ our King make you faithful and strong to do his will, that you may reign with him in glory; and the blessing + of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen**

6.30 pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

18th November 2013 **Monday** 7.45 pm PCC at St Philip's **Tuesday** 19th November 2013 8.30 am Eucharist at St Philip's 10 am – Noon Coffee & Chat at St Philip's Youth Committee at St Philip's 7.30 pm 20th November 2013 Wednesday 10.30 am **Eucharist at All Saints** 10.30 am - Noon Seedlings at St Philip's **Thursday** 21st November 2013 **Eucharist at All Saints** 12.30 pm

Friday 22nd November 2013

Saturday 23rd November 2013

Sunday 24th November 2013

Christ the King

8 am Eucharist said at All Saints
9.30 pm Choral Eucharist at All Saints
I I am Parish Eucharist at Philip's
6.30 pm Evensong said at All Saints

Readings for the Parish Eucharist:

Jeremiah 23. I - 6 Colossians I. II - 20 Luke 23. 33 - 43

The next **Choral Evensong** at All Saints will be at 6.30 pm on 17th November.

PLEASE TAKE THIS AWAY WITH YOU

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We pray for Samuel James, Michael Walsh, Sue Busby, Ken Bridges, Jane Wearne, Kelly Browncey, Leyton Gayle, the Hughes family, Jeff Fernett-Randall, Richard Sibley, Jill Grant, the Chapman family, Muriel Hynes, Claire, Peter, Joe Daniels, Jane Critchley, Andrea, Iris Duke, Daphne Holland, Brenda Hope, Avril Majewski, Michael Greenstreet, Pearl Caney, Jean Williamson, June, Annett, Sandy Kane, John Matthews, Chris Payne, Sharon and Eira.

We pray for those who have recently died, and for those whose anniversaries fall at this time.

Saturday 30th November, **Christmas Fair** at St. Philip's Community Centre, I I am to 2pm. We need Cakes, Tombola Prizes, Gifts for the Christmas Hamper, Good Bric-a-Brac, and Clean Cuddly Toys. We also need your HELP before and on the day. Please speak to Janice or Barbara. Don't forget to book your lunch with Barbara on 671782. Soup & Roll - £1.50, Ploughman's - £3.50.

Sunday 8th December 2013. St. Philip's Community Centre, **Christmas Lunch** with all the trimmings, (Veggie option), Christmas Pudding / Fresh Fruit Salad. 12.30 for Ipm, Adults £8. Children £4. To book speak to Barbara Cook 671782. Everyone Welcome

The **Mothers' Union** in this Deanery gives a Christmas present to Maidstone Priority Care patients. Donations of small presents such as chocolate bars and shower gel will be gratefully received by Mary Shaw.