

Parish Office: 01622 688270
office.allsaintsmaidstone@gmail.com

Intercessions

Please pray for these and their families

John & Diana Caley	Jean Williamson
Sheila Findlay & Family	Revd Kes Grant
Ken & Stella Bridges	Vera Alflatt
Clive & Andrea Lever	Millie Moss
Derek & Sue Parker	Audrey Little
Alan Gupwell	John Bull
Ray Stephens & Family	Dawn Gamble
Daphne Holland	Alistair & Ruth
Valerie	Theresa Lever
Chris CSJD	Eddie
JohnJo Flood	

The departed and all who mourn their passing

Cyril Findley

Notices

Christian Aid – Thank you to all who helped. Together we raised £430.30.

Teddy Bear Abseil – Thank you to all who helped. Together we raised £368.00 for the Restoration of All Saints.

Archbishop Courtenay School Leavers Service – All Saints at 1.45pm on Monday 23rd July. Volunteers are required to walk with the children from ABC School at 1pm and return after the service. Please call the school direct – 01622 754666

Reminder- Stewardship Envelopes should be returned ASAP ideally by the end of July. I will be pleased to receive any at the services. Robert

Maidstone River Festival – Saturday 28th July: All Saints Church will be open 11am-4pm. Could anyone help serve tea's? Please contact Mary Shaw.

Parish Outing 25th July – 1st pick-up bus-stop Hastings Road at 9.45am. 2nd pick-up Boots King St at 10.00am. Leaving Margate around 4pm. Cost £20 (£5 Children) which includes coach fare a pot of tea and cake (not lunch). Please see the poster in church for more details. Thanks Frauke.

Tea & Cake in the Garden – You are all invited to join Barbara for Tea & Cake in the Garden at St Philips Church on Sunday 5th August 3pm-5.30pm. Cost is £3 per person. All Proceeds go to St Philips Church. Please contact Barbara Cook on 01622 671782

General Synod Election – We are electing 1 Lay Representative for Canterbury Diocese. Please give it some thought and prayer, there might be someone in our deanery who is the right person to take on this very important role.. Contact Diane Enfield.

Deanery Prayer for July - Please see Community and the notice boards for further details.

1-C3678Z & 2-C1367Z

Our Facebook Page: "All Saints with St Philip and St Stephen Maidstone"

THE PARISH OF

ALL SAINTS with ST PHILIP, MAIDSTONE

And ST STEPHEN, TOVIL

www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk

22nd July 2018

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

At All Saints

Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist begin on page 168 and the service starts on page 237.

Music for the 9.30am Choral Eucharist Service: Wills (Missa Brevis)

Gradual Anthem: Jubilate in B-Flat - Stanford
NEH 440 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation

NEH 466 Thou whose almighty word

NEH 339 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart

Communion Motets:

Ave Verum – Mozart

God so loved the world - Stainer

Psalm after the Dismissal: Psalm 67

Organ Voluntary Fantasia in C minor - J.S.B

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am & 11.00am Service

What's on this Week

Tuesday **24th July**
10.00am-12noon Coffee & Chat at St Philips C & C

Wednesday **25th July**
10.00am – 12noon St Philips Toddlers at St Philips
St Philips Day Trip to Margate

Thursday **26th July**
No Mid-day Eucharist at All Saints – due to building works
1.05pm LUNCHTIME CONCERT in All Saints

Friday **27th July**
3pm-4pm Wedding at All Saints

Saturday **28th July**
No Messy Play At St Philips Summer Break
1pm Baptism Service at All Saints

Sunday **29th July**
The Ninth Sunday after Trinity
8.00am BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints
9.30am Parish Eucharist at All Saints
11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips
6.30pm Compline at All Saints

Readings for the main Eucharist next week
2 Samuel 11.1-15 Ephesians 3.14-end John 6.1-21

CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today

COLLECT

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Reading 2 Samuel 7.1-14a

Now when the king was settled in his house, and the Lord had given him rest from all his enemies around him, the king said to the prophet Nathan, 'See now, I am living in a house of cedar, but the ark of God stays in a tent.' Nathan said to the king, 'Go, do all that you have in mind; for the Lord is with you.' But that same night the word of the Lord came to Nathan: Go and tell my servant David: Thus says the Lord: Are you the one to build me a house to live in? I have not lived in a house since the day I brought up the people of Israel from Egypt to this day, but I have been moving about in a tent and a tabernacle. Wherever I have moved about among all the people of Israel, did I ever speak a word with any of the tribal leaders of Israel, whom I commanded to shepherd my people Israel, saying, 'Why have you not built me a house of cedar?' Now therefore thus you shall say to my servant David: Thus says the Lord of hosts: I took you from the pasture, from following the sheep to be prince over my people Israel; and I have been with you wherever you went, and have cut off all your enemies from before you; and I will make for you a great name, like the name of the great ones of the earth. And I will appoint a place for my people Israel and will plant them, so that they may live in their own place, and be disturbed no more; and evildoers shall afflict them no more, as formerly, from the time that I appointed judges over my people Israel; and I will give you rest from all your enemies.

Moreover, the Lord declares to you that the Lord will make you a house. When your days are fulfilled and you lie down with your ancestors, I will raise up your offspring after you, who shall come forth from your body, and I will establish his kingdom. He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever. I will be a father to him, and he shall be a son to me. When he commits iniquity, I will punish him with a rod such as mortals use, with blows inflicted by human beings.

Reading Ephesians 2.11-end

So then, remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision' a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, and might

reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

Gospel Mark 6.30-34.53-end

The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

Gospel Acclamation (All Saints Only)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia Welcome with meekness the im / planted / word / that has the power to / save / your / souls. **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

POST COMMUNION

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU