

## Parish Notices

**Zoom Service kindly offered by St Martins Church - Thursday Morning Holy Worship 10.00am**

**St Martin's Church Zoom Link for Services**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/866070731>

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**All Saints – Corbel** An application has been made to the Commissary General for permission to carry out work to stabilise the Corbels in the Main Nave.

**CLICK** [www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk/faculty%20applications.htm](http://www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk/faculty%20applications.htm) for details.

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**Fundraising** - A huge thank you to all of the people who have been using Easyfundraising and Amazon Smile when shopping. So far, a total of **£191.55** has been raised. This is an amazing achievement in just a few months. Please keep up the good work! If you have not already registered here are the links below:

### **Amazon Smile**

[https://smile.amazon.co.uk/gp/f.html?C=2JQ2YAJ6Q58G5&K=2LBJ752K7S0NR&M=urn:rt:n:msg:202105260804473c5867f3b3b54607be0e42cf90d0p0eu&R=129P4BNN977Y4&T=C&U=https%3A%2F%2Fsmile.amazon.co.uk%2Fch%2F1134146-0%3Fref\\_%3Dpe\\_4117511\\_593892291&H=0AH5ZIKCBAJNJ48FYN2GJVR5VD0A&ref=pe\\_4117511\\_593892291](https://smile.amazon.co.uk/gp/f.html?C=2JQ2YAJ6Q58G5&K=2LBJ752K7S0NR&M=urn:rt:n:msg:202105260804473c5867f3b3b54607be0e42cf90d0p0eu&R=129P4BNN977Y4&T=C&U=https%3A%2F%2Fsmile.amazon.co.uk%2Fch%2F1134146-0%3Fref_%3Dpe_4117511_593892291&H=0AH5ZIKCBAJNJ48FYN2GJVR5VD0A&ref=pe_4117511_593892291)

### **Easyfundraising**

[http://t.e.easyfundraising.org.uk/r/?id=h3fd083a0,29f37a1a,25a8332c&utm\\_source=adobe\\_campaign&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=referral-2018&utm\\_content=trigger-supp-referee-raised-2018&origin=RTND2&p1=theparishofallsaintswithstphilipmaidstone&p2=5WJHW0](http://t.e.easyfundraising.org.uk/r/?id=h3fd083a0,29f37a1a,25a8332c&utm_source=adobe_campaign&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=referral-2018&utm_content=trigger-supp-referee-raised-2018&origin=RTND2&p1=theparishofallsaintswithstphilipmaidstone&p2=5WJHW0)

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***Una Barnes would like to thank all of those who contributed money to the Injured Jockey Fund. The amount donated came to a total of £255.00.***

Attached is a letter of thanks.  
**Lionel Marchant**

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

**Sunday 30th May 2021  
Trinity Sunday**



**10.00am Joint Eucharist Service  
At St Philips Church**

**The Churchwardens and P.C.C. have agreed to future services on a trial basis. There will be Stewarding to ensure Government Guidelines are adhered to.**

- **Masks will need to be worn at all times.**
- **Register on entry.**
- **Stewards will direct you on entry and exit.**
- **Due to Covid rules no gatherings will be permitted inside or outside the buildings.**

### **Next week's Service**

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June**

**The First Sunday after Trinity  
10am Joint Eucharist at All Saints Church**

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### **Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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**

**Isaiah 6.1-8**

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.' The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: 'Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!' Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: 'Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.' Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I; send me!'

### **Gospel**

#### **John 3.1-17**

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, 'Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.' Jesus answered him, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?' Jesus answered, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, "You must be born from above." The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can these things be?' Jesus answered him, 'Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? 'Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. 'For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone

who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. 'Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

### **Post Communion**

Almighty and eternal God,  
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

### **Special prayers for those in need**

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

Paul Crease, Vera Alflatt, Audrey Little,  
Daphne Holland, Nigel Gunyon, Mary Wheeler,  
Jane Sadler, Tricia (Barbara's Sister) David  
Johnson, Carol Winter, Ray Stephens, Debbie  
Proctor

### **Special Prayers of Hope and Compassion**

Rosemary & John Fowler

### **Departed**

Paul Keane

Our thoughts are with the family  
of Paul Keane

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***If anyone would like to add anything to the  
weekly notices please speak to  
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Mr L Marchant  
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Dear Mr Marchant

We were recently made aware of the generous donation of £255.00, on behalf of the Parishioners of All Saints and St Philips, and wanted to thank you for your kindness, as we realise these donations were made in memory of the late Reverend Brian Barnes. We were touched that, at this sad time, it was suggested they be remembered in this way. Please accept our grateful thanks on behalf of all the injured jockeys who will benefit from this.

In brief, our charity's mission is "to provide appropriate support, financial or otherwise, in a prompt and sympathetic manner to those jockeys past or present who are injured, unable to ride or generally in need".

The support we provide takes many forms, from short-term help to life-long support. It can be simple compassionate care, practical financial support, or we can arrange to provide high levels of continuing help for jockeys who have sustained life-altering injuries. The provision of this support and the running of our three rehabilitation centres in Newmarket, Yorkshire and Berkshire typically totals some £6 million each year and the IJF survives solely on the generosity of members of the public and the kindness of people who donate, as you have done, for themselves or in memory of others.

On behalf of those who will benefit from it, please accept both my condolences and my sincere thanks for this most thoughtful gift.

Yours sincerely

Alice Wood  
for Injured Jockeys Fund

# DEANERY PRAYER FOR JUNE



Thank you for your continued prayers for the churches and people of our deanery. This month we focus on the parish of St Michael and All Angels. Fr Neil provides the following guidance.

## We give thanks

- New members are physically joining us at Sunday Mass. The Lord has drawn them to us, even with the Coronavirus restrictions. As this includes children, we are able to provide safe activities in the church during the service.
- We continue to be financially solvent and have paid the parish share in full for the third year running.
- Except when HMG has closed churches to congregations, we are among the 20% of churches in the diocese that have remained open for services.
- No cases of Coronavirus have traced to our church.
- A few members have contracted the virus, but all have survived.
- The online "views" remain at a very encouraging level. The count is per device: we don't know how many people this represents.

## Prayer requests

- For continued health in body, mind and spirit of our online and physical congregations.
- For a sustained outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the congregations, resulting in:
  - \* A closer walk with the Lord;
  - \* Greater love of the Bible;
  - \* More fervent resort to the sacraments;
  - \* Enhancement of our witness to the unreached souls in our parish, to our neighbours, families and friends;
  - \* A release of finance so that we can expand our mission and effect essential repairs.
- For a clear vision of and strategy for our future as the catholic witness in this area.

Thank you so much for your support