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Intercessions

Please pray for these and their families

Diana Caley & Family	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	Chris CSJD
Ray Stephens & Family	Dawn Gamble
Daphne Holland	Alistair & Ruth
JohnJo Flood	Theresa Lever
Debbie Proctor & Family	Manuell Family
Stella Bridges & Family	
Barbara Cook & Family	

The departed and all who mourn their passing

John Caley
Ken Bridges
Georgina Reynolds
Carl Proctor

Notices

The funeral for John Caley will be held at All Saints on Tuesday 9th October at 11am.

All Saints Christmas Fair Stall Holders needed – Saturday 1st December from 11am-2pm. If you have friends / family who would like to sell their goods please ask them to contact frauke.parish@gmail.com for more info.

The Maidstone Churches Winter Shelter – Will run from Friday 21st December until the 23rd March 2019. Volunteer Applications will open from 16th September until the 23rd November 2018, to enable rotas to be developed. <http://www.maidstoneshelter.org.uk> paper application forms are available by contacting 01622 296450.

Communion Motets – if you would like to suggest future motets, for any or a special occasion, please contact Andrew.

Faith & Environment Conference - Saturday 6th October 9.30am to 4pm at the Holy Trinity Church Sittingbourne .Details on Notice Boards.

The Mothers Union Lunch – which was due to take place on the 9th October has now been post phoned.

A Wholeness & Healing Service - Will be held in All Saints on Wednesday 10th October at 7.30pm.

Nancy & Clinton - are selling a paperback called "What did you do in the Great War, daddy?" and donating £1 from each sale to church funds. The books can be found at All Saints & St Philips.

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

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

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ALL SAINTS with ST PHILIP, MAIDSTONE

And ST STEPHEN, TOVIL

www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk

30th September 2018

The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

At All Saints

Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist begin on page 185 and the service starts on page 237.

Music for the 9.30am Parish Eucharist

Service: **Addington**

NEH 238 New every morning is the Love

NEH 333 All my hope on God is founded

NEH 307 Sweet Sacrament divine

NEH 413 Now thank we all our God

Communion Motets:

Ave Verum – Mozart

Sanctus - Schubert

Psalm after the Dismissal – Psalm 122

Organ Voluntary – Nun Danket Alle Gott –

Sigfrid Karg- Elert

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips

12.00pm Baptism Service at All Saints

6.30pm Compline at All Saints

We welcome Oaley, Boau, Charlie Garrott and family & Olly Huckstep and family on this their Baptism Day!

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

What's on this Week

Tuesday **02nd October**
10.00am – 12noon Coffee & Chat at St Philips C & C

Wednesday **03rd October**
10.00am -12noon St Philips Toddlers at St Philips
1.00pm-2.30pm Lite- Bite Lunch at St Philips

Thursday **04th October**
12.00noon Mid - Day Eucharist at All Saints

Sunday **07th October**

The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints

9.30am Parish Eucharist with Baptism at All Saints

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips

1.00pm Baptism Service at All Saints

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Readings for the main Eucharist next week

Job 1.1;2,1-10 Heb 1.1-4;2.5-12 Mark 10.2-16

Whilst Revd Ian is on leave please contact the Churchwardens.

CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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 Esther 7.1-6,9-10;9.20-22

So the king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. On the second day, as they were drinking wine, the king again said to Esther, 'What is your petition, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled.' Then Queen Esther answered, 'If I have won your favour, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me that is my petition and the lives of my people that is my request. For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have held my peace; but no enemy can compensate for this damage to the king.' Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, 'Who is he, and where is he, who has presumed to do this?' Esther said, 'A foe and enemy, this wicked Haman!' Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen. Then Harbona, one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, 'Look, the very gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, stands at Haman's house, fifty cubits high.' And the king said, 'Hang him on that.' So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the anger of the king abated. Mordecai recorded these things, and sent letters to all the Jews who were in all the provinces of King Ahasuerus, both near and far, enjoining them that they should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar and also the fifteenth day of the same month, year by year, as the days on which the Jews gained relief from their enemies, and as the month that had been turned for them from sorrow into gladness and from mourning into a holiday; that they should make them days of feasting and gladness, days for sending gifts of food to one another and presents to the poor.

Reading James 5.13-end

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. Therefore

confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Gospel Mark 9.38-end

John said to him, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward. 'If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell., And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched. 'For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

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

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever.

**PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY
WITH YOU**