

## Intercessions.

Please email [clintonendavis@btinternet.com](mailto:clintonendavis@btinternet.com) or phone 01622 682330 to add or remove names from the list.

### Please pray for these and their families

Vera Alflatt	Augustine Marchie
John Coates	Wendy Marks
Joe Daniels	Mollie Neaves
Cathy Garner	Jeff Fernet Randell
Michael Greenstreet	Jane Sadler
Marguerite Hart	Stephen
Daphne Holland	Ray & Margaret Stephens
Brenda Hope	Michael Walsh
Audrey Little	Jane Wearne

### the departed and all who mourn their passing

Anne Andrews	Maurice Mowbray
Harold Cannell	

## Notices

### Debriefing

Could members of our congregations let the Churchwardens or Deputy Wardens have their thoughts about our Advent and Christmas Services (things that you think have gone well and suggestions for next year). Otherwise e-mail [mneaves@btinternet.com](mailto:mneaves@btinternet.com) or phone 01622 759321. Mollie Neaves

**Information to go on the Notice Sheet** needs to be with me by **11.00 am** on **Thursdays** to guarantee inclusion. Occasionally, printing is delayed until Saturday. If this happens, any late material will be included. Please hand me your item or phone or email me (contact details are in the Intercessions section above). Revd Clinton

### Maidstone Churches Winter Shelter

This is running until 1<sup>st</sup> March providing 15 beds every night for the homeless.

To volunteer your help, please use the form at <https://podio.com/webforms/9529966/722903>.

To sponsor a bed for £40, please donate online at [mydonate.bt.com/charities/mcws](http://mydonate.bt.com/charities/mcws) or send a cheque made payable to 'Maidstone Churches Winter Shelter' to MCWS, c/o The Salvation Army, 74-80 Union Street, Maidstone ME14 1ED.

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## THE PARISH OF ALL SAINTS with ST PHILIP, MAIDSTONE and ST STEPHEN, TOVIL

Sunday 11 January 2015

### The Baptism of Christ

#### At All Saints

**Readings for the 8.00 am Eucharist** (the First Sunday after the Epiphany) begin on page 67 in the BCP and the service starts on page 237.

#### Music for the 9.30 am Choral Eucharist:

Service: Vaughan Williams

NEH 55 Hail to the Lord's Anointed!

NEH 58 The sinless one to Jordan came

NEH 294 Just as I am, without one plea

NEH 342 Breathe on me, Breath of God

Communion Motets:

The Three Kings

Cornelius

O Lord give thy Holy Spirit

Tallis

Psalm after Dismissal: 61

#### At St Philip's

Hymns are announced and/or displayed.

**Do stay for refreshments after 9.30 and 11.00!**

## What's on this Week

**Tuesday 13 January 2015**

10.00 am - noon Coffee & Chat at St Philip's

**Wednesday 14 January 2015**

10.00 am - noon Seedlings restarts at St Philip's

**Thursday 15 January 2015**

12.30 pm Eucharist said in All Saints

**Sunday 18 January 2015**

### The Second Sunday of Epiphany

8.00 am Eucharist said at All Saints

**9.30 am Parish Eucharist at All Saints**

**11.00 am Parish Eucharist at St Philip's**

**11.00 am Family Eucharist at St Stephen's**

2.00 pm Holy Baptism at All Saints

**6.30 pm Choral Evensong at All Saints**

Readings for the main Eucharists:

1 Samuel 3.1-10

Revelation 5.1-10

John 1.43-end

**PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU**

## **CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today**

### **COLLECT**

Eternal Father,  
who at the baptism of Jesus  
revealed him to be your Son,  
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:  
grant to us, who are born again by water  
and the Spirit,  
that we may be faithful to our calling  
as your adopted children;  
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 Genesis 1.1-5**

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

### **READING Acts 19.1-7 (All Saints only)**

While Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the inland regions and came to Ephesus, where he found some disciples. He said to them, 'Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?' They replied, 'No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.' Then he said, 'Into what then were you baptized?' They answered, 'Into John's baptism.' Paul said, 'John baptized with the baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, in Jesus.' On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. When Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied— altogether there were about twelve of them.

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (All Saints only)**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

This is my Son, the Beloved,  
with whom I am well pleased

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

### **GOSPEL Mark 1.4-11**

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He

proclaimed, 'The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.'

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

### **POST COMMUNION**

Lord of all time and eternity,  
you opened the heavens and revealed yourself  
as Father  
in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son:  
by the power of your Spirit  
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth  
through the waters of the new creation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.