

### Intercessions

Please email [frauke.parrish@gmail.com](mailto:frauke.parrish@gmail.com) or phone 01622 756002 to add/remove names of this list.

#### Please pray for these and their families

Alan Gupwell	Carol Winter
Margaret Terry	John Coates
Brian & Elizabeth Coleman	Jeff Fernet Randell
Ken and Stella Bridges	Jane Sadler
Jeff & Beryl Foxley	Revd Kes Grant
Dawn Gamble	Jean Williamson
John Spencer	Winnie Thompson
Daphne Holland	Jane Wearne
Chrissie Milledge	Vera Alflatt
Pat Manser	Mildred Moss
John and Diana Caley	Daphne Lee
Harry Harbert	Audrey Little
Dr Enoch	Shirley Lawrence

#### The departed and all who mourn their passing

Fred Rose

### Notices

**Help Needed at All Saints** - Can you spare time to help clean our Church? If you want to be part of our rota/team please speak to Mollie Neaves Tel 759321

#### No Lite Bite Lunch in May due to Family Commitments.

**Mower Needed** – A serviceable petrol driven rotary Mower is needed with which to regularly mow “the patch “ at St Philip’s. If you have such a mower for disposal or know someone who has please call Bob on 01622 437047. Many Thanks.

**Waypoint Project** - Finding our way together imagine everyone in our community talking to each other about God to God. If you want to see this happen why not read the leaflet displayed at the back of church and get involved.

#### The draft accounts can now be viewed on the All Saints website

<http://www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk/contents2.htm> and by selecting ‘Annual Parochial Church Meetings’ Questions regard the draft accounts can be emailed to [marchant@maidstoneallsaints.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:marchant@maidstoneallsaints.freeserve.co.uk)

**Save the date** – St Philips’s May Fair, Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May, 12.00noon – 3pm. We will be asking for HELP, more details to follow.

**Wholeness and Healing Service** – Our next service will be held in All Saints on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 7pm. For more details talk to Mary Shaw or contact on 01622 631368 – [shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com](mailto:shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com).

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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

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30th April 2017

### The Third Sunday Of Easter At St Philip’s

**Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist** begin on page 139 and the service starts on page 237.

#### Music for the 9.30am Parish Eucharist for Eastertide.

##### Service: Addington

NEH 341 Blest are the pure  
NEH 385 Jesu, the very thought of thee  
NEH 417 O God our help  
NEH 443 Rejoice, the Lord is King

#### Communion Motets

O for a closer walk with God – Stanford  
O taste and see – Vaughan Williams

**11.00am** Parish Eucharist for Eastertide at St Philips

**6.30pm** Compline at All Saints

#### Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am and 11.00am Service.

### What’s on this Week

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> May</b>
10.00am - Noon	Coffee & Chat at St Philip’s
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> May</b>
10.00-12.00	St Philip’s Toddlers at St Philip’s
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> May</b>
12.00 Noon	Said Eucharist at All Saints
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> May</b>
<b>1.00pm</b>	Wedding at All Saints Gillespie & Smith
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> May</b>

### The Fourth Sunday Of Easter

**8.00am** BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints

**9.30am** Parish Eucharist with Baptism at All Saints

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

**11.00am** Family Service at St Stephens

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

#### Readings for the main Eucharist next Week

Acts 2.42-end 1 Peter 2.19-end John 10.1-10

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU ☺

## CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today

### COLLECT

Almighty Father,  
who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples  
with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such  
knowledge of his presence with us, that we may  
be strengthened and sustained by his risen life  
and serve you continually in righteousness  
and truth 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 Acts 2. 14a, 36-41

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah,\* this Jesus whom you crucified.' Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, 'Brothers,\* what should we do?' Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.' And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, 'Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.' So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

### READING 1 Peter. 1. 17-23

If you invoke as Father the one who judges all people impartially according to their deeds, live in reverent fear during the time of your exile. You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your ancestors, not with perishable things like silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without defect or blemish. He was destined before the foundation of the world, but was revealed at the end of the ages for your sake. Through him you have come to trust in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are set on God. Now that you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth\* so that you have genuine mutual love, love one another deeply\* from the heart.\* You have been born anew, not of perishable but of imperishable seed, through the living and enduring word of God.

### Gospel Acclamation

#### Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia

Jesus said, 'All who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day' **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

## GOSPEL Luke 24. 13-35

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, 'What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?' They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, 'Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?' He asked them, 'What things?' They replied, 'The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him.' Then he said to them, 'Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah\* should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?' Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, 'Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.' So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us\* while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?' That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and **their** companions gathered together. They were saying, 'The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!' Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

### POST COMMUNION

Living God,  
your Son made himself known to his disciples in  
the breaking of bread: open the eyes of our faith,  
that we may see him in all his redeeming work  
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

