

Signpost

Welcome to All Saints' Church and to the services today. If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to the clergy or a member of the congregation. We are delighted that you have joined us today! Refreshments are served after the service in the church hall – all welcome!

All Saints is a member of the Langelei Team Ministry consisting of four churches – All Saints, King's Langley, St Mary's, Apsley End, St Benedict's, Bennetts End and Holy Trinity, Leverstock Green. The Team Rector is the Revd David Lawson who can be contacted on 01923 291077 or 07939 473717 email: davidmlawson@lineone.net Anyone wishing to receive holy communion at home, a visit, pastoral care or wishing to arrange a funeral please contact the Team Rector. David's day off is Wednesday.

The Team Office is based at All Saints and the team administrator is Norma Howie. The office telephone number is 01923 266596 email: saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk or info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk and the website is www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk All enquiries including baptisms and weddings should be made through the team office. The office is open Monday 8.30am-5.00pm, Wednesday 8.30am-5.00pm and Thursday-Friday 12noon-4.00pm.

Creche facilities are available every Sunday morning in the small room adjacent to the church hall. If your child becomes restless during a service please feel free to come out of church and your child can play with toys, books and jigsaws with adult supervision.

Saints on Sunday, a group for children, meets during the first part of the service in the hall. They have fun activities, linked to one of the Bible readings. All children welcome!

SUNDAY 30th JANUARY THE PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE CANDLEMAS

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Simon Cutmore
10.00am Family Eucharist: The Revd Simon Cutmore

Server training after the 9.30am service.

Morning Prayer is said in church Monday-Friday at 9.00am.

Monday 31st January

8.00pm PCC meeting in the Methodist Church

Wednesday 2nd CANDLEMAS

9.15am Toddler group meets in hall
7.45pm Bellringing practice

Thursday 3rd February

8.00pm Eucharist

Friday 4th February

6.00pm Children's choir practice
6.30pm Adult choir practice

SUNDAY 6th FEBRUARY THE FIFTH SUNDAY BEFORE LENT

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd David Lawson
9.30am Non Eucharistic service: The Revd John Quill

Please pray for all who live in Kings Langley, especially those who live in Meadow Way.

Pray for all who are sick or need our prayers, especially Eric Archer, Mike Gardner, Geoff Blake and Vivien Leger.

The Deanery of Hemel Hempstead has a monthly Prayer List and each month deanery churches are asked to pray for a particular church in the deanery. This month prayers are asked for St Paul's, Highfield, and the planned away day with St Mary's in the old town. All Saints will be prayed for throughout November.

NOTICES

In the weeks leading up to Lent David, the Team Rector, will be hosting at the Rectory a series of discussion groups on aspects of the Christian faith and life using a series of short DVDs. If you would like to take part please sign the list at the back of church. Each session stands on its own – so you are welcome to come to any evening or all of them!

The prayer list for those who are sick and in need is now in the process of being revised. Names may be added at any time but please seek the permission of the person concerned before their name is added to the list.

'Living God's Love' the new diocesan strategy was launched last Sunday and in due course All Saints will be developing a Mission Action Plan (MAP) to give the congregation a fresh direction in its mission, ministry and service. **To assist all the churches in the benefice with drawing up MAPs, there will be a benefice-wide meeting on Tuesday 1 March in the evening and this will be led by the Bishop of St Albans – the venue and time to be arranged.**

A group of people from All Saints and St Mary's is currently planning a major event called XCITE 2011 which hopefully will take place in September and October. The theme which seems to be emerging from recent discussions is 'Making Connections' – making connections between our faith and various aspects of our lives. Watch this space also for more information about XCITE 2011!

The Cathedral is now taking bookings for evening pilgrimages. These consist of a welcome at 7.00pm with a sandwich and cake buffet, a pilgrimage trail around the Cathedral ending with Compline by candlelight in the Quire. This is followed by a silent procession to the Shrine of St Alban. The dates being offered at present are 19th January, 26th January, 9th February, 2nd March and 16th March – these are all Wednesdays. If you are interested in joining a group from All Saints and St Mary's then please let Norma in the office know which dates you would prefer.

Women's World Day of Prayer 2011 – the service this year is being held at All Saints at 2.00pm on Friday 4 March.

Friday 4th March - Wedding preparation evening in church at 8.00pm.

Sunday 6 March – Christian Aid lunch after the 9.30am service.

The season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday 9 March and there will be a benefice service that evening at 8.00pm. Venue to be announced.

The next coffee morning at Christ Church Baptist Church will be on Saturday 12 March 10.00am until 12 noon.

The next national Census is to be held on 27 March 2011 and to carry out the census 35,000 people will need to be recruited. If you are interested in being a recruit or know someone who might be then please go to

www.censusjobs.co.uk