

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 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 davidmlawson@btinternet.com Anyone in All Saints 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: saintsk12@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 and Wednesday 8.30am-4.00pm, Thursday 12 noon-3.30pm and Friday 12 noon-3.00pm.

Creche facilities are available every Sunday morning in the small room adjacent to the church hall. 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 4th MARCH THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd John Quill
6.30pm Healing Eucharist at St Mary's

Morning Prayer is said in church Monday to Friday at 9.00am

Monday 5th March

10.30am Churches Together Lent course at Christ Church
12noon Staff Lenten study at The Vicarage, Leverstock Green
3.00pm Staff meeting at The Vicarage, Leverstock Green

Wednesday 7th March

9.30am Mums and Tots meet in hall
3.00pm Memorial service for Tri Sleat
7.45pm Bellringing practice

Thursday 8th March

9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's
NO 8.00pm Eucharist at All Saints
8.00pm The NEW HOUSE GROUP meets continuing to study the prophets of Judah.
8.00pm Churches Together Lent course at the Methodist Church. Please note – no parking available!

Friday 2nd March

6.00pm Junior choir practice 6.30pm Adult choir practice

SUNDAY 11th MARCH THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd David Lawson

Please pray for all who live in Grand Union Way.

Pray for all who are sick or need our prayers, especially Peter and Audrey Butterick, Catherine Thorp, Mike Gardner, Arthur Jepsen, Vivian Leger and John Major.

Most of the congregation will already know that Tri Sleat died in the early hours of last Sunday morning. There will be a private cremation for family only at lunchtime on Wednesday 7th March and then later that day at 3.00pm there will be a memorial service in church to which everyone is invited. This will be followed by refreshments at the Community Centre. Please remember Tri with thanksgiving and her family and friends at this time.

Congratulations to Simon and Sam Pilling for the safe delivery of Kit, a brother for Wren and Oscar, on Tuesday 14th February. Please pray for all of them and especially the new addition to the family.

NOTICES

LENT CHALLENGE The diocese has produced materials and resources for use during Lent and they can be found at www.livethechallenge.co.uk/download

STEWARDSHIP Over the next few weeks, those who are members of the Stewardship Scheme, can collect boxes of envelopes for the coming year from the steps at the back of church. Peter Butterick, Stewardship Recorder, would like to thank all those who have contributed to the Scheme over the last year – your contributions are very much appreciated.

The Bishop of St Albans has written to David, the Team Rector, inviting him and other priests celebrating 35 years of ordained ministry this year, to join him at a special Evensong in the Abbey on Wednesday 14th March at 5.00pm. Members of the congregation are also invited to join in this service for all those celebrating anniversaries of ordination.

Please note the change of date for the next PCC meeting. It will now take place on Tuesday 13th March in the hall at 8.00pm.

Churches Together is planning to hold a March of Witness around Kings Langley on the morning of Good Friday 6th April. If you are willing to commit yourself to joining the march, please sign the list at the back of church.

The **NEW HOUSE GROUP** is meeting on 22nd March continuing to look at the times and messages of Old Testament prophets. The prophets of Judah are currently being studied. New members are welcome – please contact Eric Martin on 01923 267604 if you would like to join the group.

Friends of All Saints are presenting an evening of Latin Line Dancing on Friday 16th March 7.30pm for 8.00pm at Kings Langley Community Centre. Tickets £10.00 each (including food) from Brian McAdam or Clare China.,

EASTER EGGS with an Easter message are on sale today. They cost £3.99, they are FAIRTRADE and should not be eaten until Easter!

The deadline for the next Benefice Newsletter is 12th March. E-mail the Editor at langeleinews@btinternet.com or hand it to one of the churchwardens.