

# Signpost

**Welcome to All Saints' Church, Kings Langley**, 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! Refreshments are served after the 9.30am service in the church hall.

All Saints is a member of the Langelei Team Ministry consisting of All Saints, Kings Langley, St Mary's, Apsley End, St Benedict's, Bennetts End and Holy Trinity, Leverstock Green. The Team Rector is the Revd Canon David Lawson who can be contacted on 01923 291077 or 07939 473717 [davidmlawson@btinternet.com](mailto: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: [saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk) or [info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk](mailto:info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk) and the website is [www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk](http://www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk) 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.

There is a **supervised crèche** every Sunday morning in the small room adjacent to the church hall – except on the first Sunday of the month. On that Sunday parents are encouraged to remain in church with their children for the service which is more child-friendly. If you need to take your children out of church during that service toys are available in the small room. **Saints of Sunday (SOS)**, a group for children, meets every Sunday in the hall except the first Sunday of the month.

**If you place a cash collection in the offertory plate and are a UK taxpayer, please use the white envelope in the pews adding details of your name, address and post code. The church is then able to claim Gift Aid on your offering.**

## SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### THE EPIPHANY

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson

**No 9.30am service**

10.30am Methodist Covenant Service at Christ Church Baptist

6.30pm Healing Eucharist at St Mary's

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

### Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January

10.00am Mums and Toddlers meet in the hall

7.45pm Bellringing practice

### Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> January

9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's followed by study group

7.30pm Meeting in the hall re the Flower Festival and future fundraising events. All welcome.

### Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January

6.30pm Choir practice

## SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JANUARY

### THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson

9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson

6.30pm Evening Prayer (said) at St Mary's

**Please pray for** Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Paul, Bishop of Hertford; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; the Diocese of Kuching, South East Asia; the parish of Wymington; all who live in

Church Lane; the new year; the continuing development of All Saints' mission and ministry; peace in the Middle East.

**Please also pray for** Frank Harrison, Jill Greenstreet, Peggy Scott, Derek Coleman, Peter and Audrey Butterick, Mike Gardner, Vivian Leger and John Major.

## NOTICES

**Members of the congregation may be interested to know** that the six bells of St Mary's have recently been removed from the church for refurbishment. They will return to St Mary's on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January. On Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January the bells will be on display in the church all that day, and are available to view. Refreshments will also be available throughout the day. During the morning service on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January the bells will be blessed prior to being re-hung on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January.

**The PCC at its last meeting** before Christmas made the decision that in due course a machine to make FAIRTRADE filter coffee should be introduced at the refreshments after the 9.30am service on Sundays. David, the Team Rector, along with Rus and Sue Downham, have agreed to raise the funds for this. To that end there is a raffle for the next few weeks for a FAIRTRADE chocolate hamper. Tickets are £1.00 per strip. See David or Rus or Sue for tickets.

**The Bible Reading Fellowship** produces regular Bible readings and commentaries for daily use. There is a sample copy at the back of church. If you would like to subscribe to the notes please speak to Alan Noyes.

**Churches Together Kings Langley** The next meeting of the review process will be on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 10.15am at the Methodist Church. At this meeting the various working groups will begin to explore how fresh collaboration might begin across the churches. For all those who have been attending the review process please put the date in your diary now.

**The Flower Festival & Autumn Fayre DVD** is now available at £6.00 per DVD. The DVD contains a brief history of the church, preparations for the Festival and the days of the Festival itself. If you have not already ordered one please speak to Richard Garnett-Harper one of the churchwardens. This is an excellent production and a worthy souvenir of the 2012 Flower Festival!

**The next Baptism Preparations Evenings** are on Mondays 14<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> January at All Saints.

**The next meeting of the Local Ministry Team** is on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January at Harold Taylor's home.

**The next meeting of the Parochial Church Council** is on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 8.00pm in the hall. This will be a business meeting.

**Job opportunity!** Boxmoor PCC is seeking a part-time administrator to work in the parish office at St John's. Competence with email communication and MS software is required. Flexible working hours can be negotiated. Payment is at £8.00 per hour. For further details or apply with a CV, contact the Vicar, the Revd James Reveley, 10 Charles Street, Hemel Hempstead HP1 1JH Email: [revjumble@aol.com](mailto:revjumble@aol.com) Closing date 16<sup>th</sup> January. Interviews to be held on 24<sup>th</sup> January.

**Volunteers required** after the 9.30am service on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> to take down the decorations.