

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 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 or info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk and the website is 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 17th FEBRUARY THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

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

Monday 18th February

Morning Prayer is said in church at 9.00am Monday – Friday
10.30am Monday Lent Group meets at Christ Church

Tuesday 19th February

7.45pm Tuesday Lent Group meets at 45 Watford Road, the home of Jenni and Hilda Stuart (tel.01923 262326)

Wednesday 20th February

10.00am Half term family coffee morning
10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity
7.45pm Bellringing practice

Thursday 21st February

9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's followed by Bible study
7.45pm Thursday Lent Group meets The Rectory
No clergy/reader Lenten study during half term

Friday 22nd February

6.30pm Choir practice

SUNDAY 24th FEBRUARY THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd John Quill
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 Malakal (Sudan); the parish of Blunham; all who live in Willow Edge; the Lent groups; Pope Benedict XV1 and the Papal Election. **Please also pray for** Ann-Marie Neilsen, Keith and Ann Robinson, Frank Harrison, Jill Greenstreet, Peggy Scott, Derek Coleman, Peter and Audrey Butterick, Mike Gardner, Vivian Leger and John Major.

NOTICES

'live the words of Jesus this Lent' you can sign up for a daily email or text' at www.livethechallenge.co.uk This invites you to journey through Matthew's Gospel from the beginnings of Jesus' ministry to the events of Holy Week. There is also a section for children and can be used by families, schools and church groups.

Family Coffee Morning on Wednesday of this week from 10.00am until 12noon in the hall in place of the normal toddler group. There will be children's activities with all funds raised going to the church. Coffee and tea – and yummy cakes on sale! If anyone can bake a cake or come along and help serve refreshments they will be most welcome. If you can help please speak to Emma Gritten after the service today or call her on 01923 260667.

The Electoral Roll of the church – a list of all members of the congregation – has to be completely revised this year – this happens every 6 years. During the next 2 weeks all members of the congregation currently on the Roll will be given a new form for completion. Please complete it promptly and place your completed form in the box at the back of the church. If you are not already on the Roll and would like to be, please take a form. Carolyn Andrews is our Electoral Roll Officer.

Fill a tube of **SMARTIES** with 20p pieces and help church funds! SMARTIE tubes available if you have not already received one and return to church on Easter Day.

Dates of other fundraising events to put in your diaries! There will be **Bake sale** after the 9.30am service on Mothering Sunday on 10th March. Cakes/biscuits etc will be needed. On Monday 22nd April there will be a **Curry Night** at the Cinnamon Lounge. On Thursday 23rd May there will be a **concert** in church featuring Kings Langley Junior School Choir and Orchestra. On Friday 12th July there will be **another concert** with the Kings Langley Community Choir.

Visit of the Chair of the Diocesan Board of Finance and the Diocesan Stewardship Development Officer on Friday 8th March at 8.00pm in church. This visit has been arranged as a result of concerns expressed at the last PCC meeting concerning the parish share. This is an open meeting. Sign the sign the list at the back of church if you are coming.

The 'Leading intercessions' training session is on Saturday 16th March 9.30am until 12.15pm. Please sign the list if you intend to come. All those who lead intercessions are strongly encouraged to attend this event.

SERVERS WANTED! New recruits are required to join the team of servers see John or Ingrid Allen for details.

Ingrid Allen is collecting 'Active Kids Vouchers' from Sainsbury's - so pass on your saved vouchers to Ingrid!

Friends of All Saints are holding a **Race Night** at 8.00pm on Friday 12th April at The Community Centre. Other FOAS events are the **Wine Tasting evening** on Friday 21st June at The Rudolph Steiner School and the **Quiz Night** on Friday 11th October at The Community Centre.