

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 28th JULY

THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Ivor Cornish
11.30am Baptism of Verity McCarthy
6.30pm Evening Prayer at St Mary's

9.00am Morning Prayer is said in church Monday – Friday

Monday 29th July

7.30pm Baptism preparation evening in the hall

Wednesday 31st July

10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity
1.15pm Funeral of Eric Parfitt in church
NO Bellringing practice

Thursday 1st August

9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's/study group

SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST

THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

NO 8.00am Eucharist

9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Allan Medforth
11.30am Baptism of Daisy-Anna May Ash
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 Phulbani, North India; the parish of Meppershall; all who live in Fisher Close; baby Verity being baptised today; the Society of Jesus (Jesuits); all on holiday at this time; the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge's baby boy; peace talks between Israel and Palestine.

Prayers are asked for the churches and life of the Deanery and this month it is for hospital and prison chaplains, especially Phil Abrey, Chaplain at The Mount prison.

Please also pray for the Revd Duncan Campbell, Norah Curry, Xeen Beale, Ann Robinson, Frank Harrison, Jill Greenstreet, Peggy Scott, Peter and Audrey Butterick, Vivian Leger and John Major.

Among the departed please continue to remember Mike Gardner, whose memorial service was here in All Saints last week. Continue to pray for Rene and her family.

NOTICES

David is on holiday from Tuesday of next week until Friday 16th August. If you need the services of a priest please contact Norma in the office.

A warm welcome to the Revd Ivor Cornish, a retired priest from the Diocese of Oxford and who has permission to officiate in our own diocese.

Please note that there is **no supervised crèche during August** though toys will be laid out for parents who might wish to use the crèche.

At the back of church is a **booklet of photographs** of the recent Quiet Day at Douai Abbey. Thank you to Barbara le Tallec of Holy Trinity who prepared the booklet.

The Mums and Tots meeting on Wednesday mornings in the hall is looking for volunteers to help with refreshments. This would not be every Wednesday. A willing group of volunteers to draw up a rota is needed. Please think seriously about helping this extremely important support and encouragement for the group from All Saints. Contact Emma Gritten if you can help.

The BBC programme **Songs of Praise** today at 4.30pm features the St Albans Pilgrimage on Saturday 22nd June.

There will be NO 8.00am service on Sundays 4th and 11th August at All Saints. There is an 8.00am service at St Mary's and Holy Trinity on 4th August and an 8.00am service at Holy Trinity on 11th August.

The service on 4th August will be the usual Family Eucharist but no informal talk/activity with the children as it is probable that a number of families will be on holiday.

The St Albans Penal Affairs Group invites anyone interested to a meeting on Wednesday 4th September at the Diocesan Office Boardroom, Holywell Lodge, 41 Holywell Hill AL1 1HE The meeting is to hear the Police and Crime Commissioner for Hertfordshire, David Lloyd, speak about his work from a Christian perspective.

This year's united benefice service will be at All Saints on Sunday 22nd September at 10.30am.

The **al fresco art group** will not be meeting during August but will re-start on Monday 2nd September.