

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 12.30pm -3.00pm 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 15th SEPTEMBER

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson with the baptism of Joseph Tongue
6.30pm Said Eucharist at St Mary's

9.00am Morning Prayer is said in church Monday – Friday

Monday 16th September 8.00pm PCC meets in the church

Wednesday 18th September

10.00am Mums and Tots meet in the hall
10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity 7.45pm Bellingring practice

Thursday 19th September

9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's/study group

Friday 20th September 6.30pm Choir practice

Saturday 21st September MATTHEW THE APOSTLE

10.00am Churches Together review meeting at the Methodist Church

SUNDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
10.30am United benefice service
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 Sokoto, Nigeria, and its Bishop, Augustine Omole; the parish of St Cuthbert's, Rye Park, and Jonathan Evans the Vicar; all who live in Havelock Road; the baptism of Joseph Tongue; the Parochial Church Council; Churches Together in Kings Langley; preparations for the benefice service and the Harvest Fair; the Syrian crisis.

Prayers are asked for the churches and life of the Deanery and this month it is for St Albans, Warners End, and their home groups.

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

NOTICES

Historic Churches Bike'nHike Thank you to all those who supported yesterday's Bike'nHike. Keith successfully visited 10 local churches without getting a puncture and so will be happy to collect any sponsor money promised. It is not too late to make a donation if you missed the sponsorship form. The event has raised over £30.00 for All Saints.

As part of the Mission Action Plan it is hoped to form one two or **house groups**. If you would like to join such a group please add your name to the list at the back of church.

Christian Aid Today is the last opportunity to buy tickets from Jean or Keith after today's service for the Christian Aid concert being held on Saturday of this week. Tickets are £10.00 each and all proceeds are going towards the Syrian Refugee Fund. Please support the concert if you can.

Churches Together in Kings Langley Following a series of meetings with the aim of developing a closer working relationship between our churches, all who want to assist in this process are invited to attend the meeting at the Methodist Church on Saturday 21st September at 10.00am when important decisions will be taken on the way ahead.

Articles for inclusion in the next issue of the Benefice Newsletter should be in the hands of the editor or our churchwardens by September 23rd at the latest. Please email articles to langeleinews@btinternet.com

The Harvest Fair is on Saturday 5th October from 10.00am until 4.00pm. There will be a variety of stalls during the day and help will be needed. If you can help please speak to a member of the fundraising group – Carolyn Andrews, Richard Garnett-Harper, Brian Mc Adam, Emma Gritten and Sheila Peevers. Donations of the following items are needed: for the tombola – bottles, gifts, toiletries, chocolates, novelty items; raffle items for a 'Grand Draw'; new or nearly new teddy bears or soft toys.

Members of All Saints are invited to a **Barn Dance** at Leverstock Green School on Saturday 5th October 7.00pm for 7.30pm. For further details contact Beverley Burgess on 07594 141188.

The next Friends of All Saints event is the annual quiz night on Friday 11th October at the Community Centre. Tickets are £10.00 each which includes a light supper.

All those who ordered their own **personal copy of the new hymn book**, please let Emma Gritten either have a cheque (payable to 'All Saints Kings Langley PCC') or cash. The cost of the books is £8.13 (small version) or £19.50 (large version.)