

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 8.00am-3.30pm, 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 18th MAY THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd John Quill
3.00pm Messy Church at St Mary's
No Evening Prayer (said) at St Mary's

9.00am Morning Prayer is said in church Monday – Friday

Monday 19th May
9.30am Staff meeting at The Rectory

Wednesday 21st
10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity

Thursday 22nd May
9.00am Morning Prayer at St Mary's
9.30am Eucharist followed by study group at St Mary's
2.30pm Holy Communion at Garrad House

Friday 23rd May
6.30pm Choir practice

Saturday 24th May
9.30am Local Ministry Development Team meets in the hall
3.00pm Wedding of Adam Baughen and Amy Reed

SUNDAY 25th MAY THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Lizzie Hood
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Lizzie Hood
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 Anglican Church of Melanesia and David Vunagi, Archbishop of Melanesia; the parish of Clothall and Fiona Wheatley, the new priest; all who live in The Glebe; All Saints' Christian Aid reps; the Grand Union Canal; the wedding of Adam Baughen and Amy Reed; the local and European elections; the Nigerian girls who have been abducted, and their families in their torment and anxiety; all who died and were injured in the Turkish mining explosion. **Deanery prayers this month** are asked for The Mount Prison and men on their first sentence and finding it hard to cope. **Please also pray for** Sue Harper, Gordon Dolman, Jack Mather, Ira Cox, Fiona Wright, Sheila Abbott, Norah Curry, Zeena Beale, Ann Robinson, Frank Harrison, Jill Greenstreet, Peter Butterick, Vivian Leger and John Major. **Among the departed please remember** Vivica Flynn who has been on the prayer list for some time and has now died. Pray for her and her family as they come to terms with her death.

NOTICES

The first events to mark 'A Year of Faith' at All Saints will be coming soon! The first will be a screening of a film about the life of Jesus as a historical person. This will be followed by an evening explaining how the Gospels were written, telling the story of Jesus from the point of view of the first Christians. Then, there will be a whistle stop tour of St Mark's Gospel, the first Gospel to be written – and those who sign up for these events will receive a free copy of St Mark's Gospel with commentary. Keep looking out for further details in Signpost.

Forthcoming fundraising events

Curry Night Monday 9th June at the Cinnamon Lounge – tickets from Brian McAdam or Carolyn Andrews £15 each.
Kings Langley Carnival Saturday 21st June – All Saints will have a stall once again operating a tombola, bottles, chocolate, gift items, cans and other attractive prizes are requested for the tombola. Please leave donated items in the front pew in the south aisle.
'Songs for a Summer's Evening' Thursday 26th June 7.30pm – a concert at All Saints featuring the Abbot's Hill School Chamber Choir and Thomas Isherwood, Baritone. Tickets £10 adults, £3 children – and again, they are available from Brian McAdam (01923 266667) or Carolyn Andrews (01923 261607).

There will be a **united benefice service for Ascension Day** on Thursday 29th May at 8.00pm at Holy Trinity Church.

The first meeting of the new PCC will be on Monday 2nd June at 8.00pm in the hall.

Car Rota – more drivers are required for the car rota as due to unforeseen circumstances some people have had to drop off the rota. If you can help please speak to Margaret Sutcliffe.

Congratulations to Eric Martin, Sheila and Donald Abbott who are among the 2014 Kings Langley Community Award Winners for their significant contributions to the life of the local community.

The next Fabric Committee meeting is 8pm on Thursday 19th June in the hall.