

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. If you need to take your children out of church during that service toys are available in the small room. **Saints on Sunday (SoS)**, a group for children, meets every Sunday in the hall.

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 JANUARY THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Canon David Lawson
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Geoff Lackey
3.00pm 2nd Birthday Party for Messy Church at St Mary's
No Evening Prayer at St Mary's

9.00am Morning Prayer is said in church Monday – Friday

Monday 19th January

11.00am Kings Langley Information Forum meets at Kings Langley Secondary School
8.00pm PCC meets in the hall.

Wednesday 21st January

10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity

Thursday 22nd January

9.00am Morning Prayer at St Mary's
9.30am Eucharist at St Mary's followed by study group
7.30pm Churches' Together meeting at the Methodist Church

Friday 23rd January 6.30pm Choir practice

SUNDAY 25th JANUARY THE CONVERSION OF PAUL

No 8.00am Said Eucharist
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Lizzie Hood
No Evening Prayer at St Mary's

PRAYERS

Please pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; the Diocese of Langtang (Jos, Nigeria), and the Diocese of Lincoln, and the bishop, Christopher Lowson; the parish of Hexton (Amphill and Shefford), and the clergy, Andrew Johnson; all who live in Fisher Close; All Saints' Christian Aid reps; The Grand Union Canal, and all who manage and use it; the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity; the Kings Langley information Forum; the Parochial Church Council.

Please also pray for Wendy Legge, Colin Parker, Adele Clapham, Mustapha Laroussi, Hilda Stewart, Keith and Margaret Johnson, Sue Harper, Michael Young, Gordon Dolman, Jack Mather, Ira Cox, Fiona Wright, Zeena Beale, Frank Harrison, Peter Butterick, Vivian Leger and John Major.

NOTICES

A very warm welcome to the Revd Geoff Lackey, a retired priest who has kindly offered to officiate today at 9.30am and again on Sunday 1st February at 9.30am.

There will be **no 8.00am service** on Sunday 25th January, 1st and 8th February.

A member of the congregation has **an American fridge/freezer** 5 years old they wish to dispose of. If you are interested please contact Norma in the office.

Please note that the **church library** has been closed. There is a selection of books on a table in the hall, and in the back pew near the font, which anyone in the congregation is welcome to take – and a donation of 50p/£1 is welcome!

Church Mums/Dads/Tots group A young mother has offered to run, once again, a church based mums/dads/tots group in the hall on Wednesday mornings 10.00am – 12 noon. However, a rota of volunteers is needed to make refreshments. If you are willing to help please contact Norma in the office.

There is a **Churches Together meeting** at the Methodist Church on Thursday 22nd January at 7.30pm.

The next Local Ministry Development Team meeting is on Monday 26th January at 2.00pm.

Friends of All Saints is holding a Race Night on Friday 6th February 7.30pm for 8.00pm at the Community Centre. Tickets £12 including light food and available from 01923 266667 or 01923 268760.

On Saturday 7th February there will be a **Hymnathon** at St Lawrence's Church, Abbots Langley, between 9.00am and 7.00pm. The aim is to sing hymns during the day and sponsor your favourite hymn. Individuals/choirs welcome to boost the singing! Details available from Steven Smith on 07876 310644.

The next PILGRIM meeting exploring the Christian faith is on Tuesday 17th February at 7.30pm in the hall. The meeting will explore what it means for Jesus to be God's Son.

The annual benefice Quiet Day is on Saturday 27th June at Douai Abbey in Berkshire. The cost is £25 for refreshments.

The diocesan newspaper **SeeRound** is now only available online each month. To sign up and receive it online visit www.stalbans.anglican.org/news/seeround Click the link and follow the instructions.

