

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 22nd FEBRUARY THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

8.00am Said Eucharist: The Revd Lizzie Hood
9.30am Family Eucharist: The Revd Lizzie Hood
3.00pm Messy Church at St Mary's
No Evening Prayer at St Mary's

9.00am Morning Prayer is said in church Monday – Friday

Monday 23rd February

10.30am Churches Together Lent course at Christ Church
1.00pm Local Ministry Development Team meets in the hall

Tuesday 24th February

7.45pm Churches Together Lent course at the home of Brian and Ella Funnell, 15 Brickfield Avenue, Leverstock Green HP3 8NP

Wednesday 25th February

10.00am Eucharist at Holy Trinity
7.45pm Bellringing practice

Thursday 26th February

9.00am Morning Prayer
9.30am Eucharist/study group

Friday 27th February 6.30pm Choir practice

SUNDAY 2nd MARCH THE SECOND 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

PRAYERS

Please pray for Alan, Bishop of St Albans; Richard, Bishop of Bedford; the Diocese of Maseno North and South (Kenya), and the Bishops, Simon Oketch and Francis Abiero; the parish of All Saints, Bedford; all who live in Great Park; farms in Kings Langley; the Churches Together Lent groups; the ongoing situation in Ukraine; the government and people of Denmark; the Jewish community of our country.

Please also pray for Jack Neighbour; Peter Wood, 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.

Please give thanks for Pam Ingleby, and the beginning of her road to recovery. Continue to remember John, Robert, Karen and Ruth in your prayers.

NOTICES

St Mary's, Apsley is following a Lent course based on the film 'The Way'. It tells the story of a bereaved father setting out to walk the famous pilgrim's Way of Santiago de Compostela, and in the course of his pilgrimage he encounters a number of other pilgrims. The film will be screened on Tuesday 24th February at 7.30pm and then subsequent meetings are on 4th/9th/17th/24th/March each evening at 7.45pm.

The diocese has once again produced material to help us grow in faith and love during Lent. The material consists of simple daily reflections for adults and children. These can be accessed at www.livethechallenge.co.uk There are hard copies of these at the back of church for anyone who does not have access to the Internet. You can also sign up to receive a daily text – simply go to **@live_challenge**

Lent Smarties Tube Challenge The congregation is invited to stop using 20p pieces during Lent and instead save them in a Smarties tube and return them to church to support fundraising in 2015. Full tubes of Smarties are available for you. Eat the Smarties, fill the tube with 20p pieces (or even £1 coins!) and bring them back on Easter Day 5th April. Please write your name on the tube, and hand it in during the offertory hymn.

Ingrid and John Allen are once again collecting **Active Kids Vouchers** for the Scouts. These can be collected from Sainsbury's between now and 5th May.

'What's stopping you reading the Bible?' This is the title of a leaflet from the Bible Reading Fellowship (BRF) introducing 5 different series of Bible reading notes. The leaflet is in a dispenser at the back of church. You will also find a **FREE** gift! This is a booklet of sample pages from the 5 different reading notes, one of which might help you overcome whatever is holding you back from reading the Bible. Alan Noyes thoroughly recommends you take one – he will be pleased to provide further information re BRF notes.

Christ Church Baptist is celebrating their 140th anniversary next weekend. On Saturday 28th February the church will be open until 4.00pm with a presentation of the life of the church over the years. On Sunday 1st March the 10.30am service will be a celebration service, guest speaker Stella Hambleton. The Three Villages United Service is at 7.00pm.

A reminder that **SEEROUND** the diocesan newspaper is now online. If anyone wishes a hard copy please contact Norma in the office.