

NOTICES for SUNDAY 20th November



The flowers at the lectern are from Jim, David and John Wrigley, in loving memory of Betty who died on 18th November 2021.

It is with sadness that we let you know that Joyce Swaffield passed away on 9th November. Joyce was very well known and loved by many in our congregation. Her funeral will be at 10.30am on Wednesday 7th December at All Saints. Sadly, Gill Garside and Jean Bateman also passed away recently. Gill was part of All Saints for many years and more latterly part of St. Mary's. She would often make jams and marmalade for charity at Coffee Pot, and cakes for special occasions. Jean came regularly to Young At Heart.

Sunday 20 November – *Last Sunday before Advent, Christ the King*
After the service today...

11.30am Charity Christmas Craft Sale in the Church Halls.

'Come and join us for tea / coffee & browse through our selection of handmade gifts. Buy something a little different for friends and family this Christmas. All proceeds to charities.

Mothers' Union Cake Sale in the hall after the 9.30 service.

Children's Society Christmas cards will continue to be on sale after the services for the next few weeks.

Thursday 24 Nov - Men's Group Thirsty Thursday Curry Night

If you fancy a curry (or something different from the menu), a beer and some good company, we are meeting again at The Sir Julian Huxley in Selsdon on Thursday 24 November at 7pm. Thankfully, for the time being at least, we can meet at the Sir Julian as Wetherspoons are not planning to close it, as has happened to other local branches in the chain. No need to let me know if you would like to attend, just come along, it would be good to see you. As ever, all are welcome.

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Saturday 26 November – Parish Prayer meeting

9.00am Please join us to pray together in St. Catherine's Aisle.

Sunday 27 November – Family Worship & Holy Communion *(no baptism)*

9.30am First Sunday of Advent

Preacher: Revd Carol Bates

3.00pm ADVENT CAROLS at All Saints

Churches Together in Sanderstead (CTIS) will be holding a joint Advent Carol service at All Saints to sing some Advent carols along with our All Saints choir. Come and join the other local churches. All welcome.

Preacher: Father Malachy Keegan

Saturday 3 December – Graham Kendrick Concert

7-00pm At Purley Baptist Church - Thanksgiving, hope and vision. Book tickets here ineeds.org.uk/fundraising-events or call Tel: 01883 331332, £15 per ticket.

Sunday 4 December – Parish Eucharist with choir

9.30am Second Sunday of Advent

Preacher: Revd Jeremy Groombridge

Tuesday 6 December – A Seeking Stillness Event

10am - 1pm Advent Stillness – ‘Waiting in Hope and Expectation’ at All Saints Church, Warlingham

Jane is a Retreat and Quiet Day leader, and a musician. She has a passion for seeking stillness for prayer and contemplation, and really enjoys sharing this with others. Each day, morning or afternoon of ‘Seeking Stillness’ offers a gathering time, some input on the theme, silent space for individuals to pray, contemplate or ‘be’. Seeking Stillness offers an opportunity to step aside from the busyness of everyday. Time to sit, and be, and rest in God’s Presence.

Booking is essential.

For further information and to book your place, please ring 07398 290 969 or email j.hoskins233@btinternet.com

Saturday 10 December - All Saints Family Christmas Party

Let us know if you can be there by completing the sign-up sheet at the back of church. We would welcome donations of dishes - 'Coq au vin' (your own recipe), 'fruit pie or crumble'. The sign-up for dishes is also at the back of church (on the same sheet). Thank you.

Katheryn Hewitt

Donations for GROWBABY Charity No. 1185228

GROWBABY is a charity that helps children and families in need. As we have done in the past at Christmas time (pre-Covid), we would like to donate toiletries to mums who are in need. Let us 'Help Bring a Smile this Christmas.' Throughout November, we are collecting toiletries (not shampoo) which can be placed in the box at the back of church or the box in the Halls Foyer.

Organised by Mothers' Union

ADVENTure will not go ahead this year due to a shortage of garages.

Christmas Day Lunch 2022 is now going ahead!

If you would like to come to the Christmas Day Lunch this year from 12.30pm (Sunday 25th December) or know someone who would like an invitation, please put names and addresses on the Sign-Up sheet in the Parish Office as soon as possible.

Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church': If you ever have any concerns, speak with one of the clergy or with Margaret Quiney 8657 4087 or Katheryn Hewitt 8657 6659, our Safeguarding Officers.