

Sanderstead Team Newsletter

November 2018



Welcome to the Sanderstead Team Newsletter! This is your newsletter, so do send us your news and anything you would like us all to know. The newsletter will continue to be published for the first Sunday of every month, and items need to be with Rosanne the Monday of that week. admin@sanderstead-parish.org.uk

Susan writes ...

Last month Jeremy wrote about the six young men who have been sitting silently in All Saints' Church transparent and faceless but not unnamed. This made me think about something I heard some time ago, "As we get older, there is an increasing crowd of friends and family who have died but who in a strange way come alive to us when we remember them and recall their voices". Then when I reflected on this I realised it is true; sadly in just the last 15 years of ministry I can remember over 50 people who I have known on first name terms who have now died.

As I counted these people I often recalled their voices as well as their faces. So often now when someone dies we have recordings of their voices, or perhaps videos of them. For instance I have a recording of my dad recollecting his time in the Army during the Second World War including seeing action at Dunkirk and on D-Day. Of course with modern technology people who have long since departed can be seen on YouTube and other equivalent social media channels still active and seemingly alive. Maybe this can be a help for the bereaved but it is also a sharp reminder of who we have lost.

Death is a subject that many wish to avoid for obvious reasons yet in November it is unavoidable, at least in church life. We of course celebrate All Saints Day, followed by All Souls and our Parish Memorial service where we gather to remember all those we love but see no longer. This is followed on the second Sunday of the month by Remembrance Sunday, which this year is actually on 11th, Armistice Day.

Maybe this all seems a little miserable, but I believe it is important that we take the time and space to remember those who have gone. This year is the 100th Anniversary of the end of the First World War, a significant landmark of a war that there are very few around to remember first hand. Yet it is a time to remember – lest we forget.

The Argentinian poet Antonio Porchia once said, *“One lives in the hope of becoming a memory.”* Yet is that really all there is to life? I don’t think that’s what those people on YouTube, or my dad recording his memories really thought. To me that sounds rather sad. Remembrance of the kind we are thinking of here is perhaps somewhat of a solemn occasion yet it is, or should be, a time of thanksgiving too. We remember those who have gone before us but we give thanks for their lives, for the joyful times as well as the more difficult ones.

Still, whether we are pausing to offer thanksgiving for the sacrifice of so many in the pursuit of justice and freedom for others, or for those who have faithfully given their lives in the service of the gospel it is important that we do not simply spend our time looking back.

We live in the present and must always be ready to look ahead, to the future. None of us know what is around the corner but we must step forward in faith and hope.

In the words of one of my favourite hymns which I often quote:

Timothy Dudley-Smith’s ‘Lord for the years’ we should bring our thanks today for that which has passed but also pray:

*“Lord for ourselves;
in living pow’r remake us
self on the cross
and Christ upon the throne,
past put behind us,
for the future take us:
Lord of our lives
to live for Christ alone.”*



Rev. Susan



St Edmund's Church, The RRA and 19th Purley Scout Group invite you to
Riddlesdown's

Community Act of Remembrance

Sunday 11th November 2018

Gather 10.45 a.m.

Outside St Edmund's Church

- Parade by 19th Purley Scout Group - Scout Hut to Church
- Welcome - Rev Susan Atkinson-Jones
- Laying of wreaths
- Two Minutes Silence at 11.00 a.m.
- Tea, coffee and biscuits served afterwards

All welcome



ALL WHO SERVED, SACRIFICED,
AND CHANGED OUR WORLD
1918-2018

Changes to Sunday Services in 2019

From the Rector:

Dear Friends,

A few weeks ago, I wrote a letter telling you about significant changes that will be made in 2019 to our Sunday morning worship services.

I thought it would be helpful to give you an update on the progress we have made so far. I am grateful to those who have commented - either as individuals or by participating in group discussions.

The two consultative groups set up to consider issues of format and timing for the traditional and family services have now both met and have spent time reflecting on the reasons for making these changes and some of the issues which have to be addressed as we migrate to the new patterns of worship later next year.

It is good to remind ourselves of the reasons for making these changes. In January, the Church Council agreed that our priority over the next three years should be to develop our work with families and children. We cannot avoid the reality that we are an ageing congregation, that we are declining in numbers, that we need to invest in and adapt to the future, and we need to make space for a younger generation in ways that are simply not supported by our existing patterns of worship.

We realise we have a lot of work to do in developing more family-friendly styles of worship, and we are equally clear that we do not want to jeopardise the worship and teaching that our predominantly older congregations already enjoy so much. Finding the right balance is not easy, and we have to consider the resources we have available as well as the different needs and desires that have been expressed.

We are also gathering evidence, not only from our existing congregation, but also from those whom we would like to encourage to join in worship in the future, in order to establish their preferences for the timing of services in the midst of the range of commitments that many of them already have on a Sunday morning.

Our emerging thinking is that there should be one traditional, liturgical worship service at the same time each Sunday morning. In a typical 4-week month this would be supported by the choir twice a month; it would take the form of a "said" Holy Communion once a month (rather like the quiet, non-musical service we currently have at 8.30); and would be a Service of the Word with hymns once a month. We have recently begun a midweek Holy Communion service once a month, which is also a "said" service without music. There may be scope to make this more frequent if people would like this kind of service. Where there is music as part of our liturgy, we will, as now, use a range of sources - some more familiar, older hymns but also continuing the valued tradition of introducing newer songs (such as those much loved songs written by the likes of Bernadette Farrell, John Rutter and Stuart Townend).

We also want to introduce the more family-friendly service on a Sunday morning, supported by different kinds of musicians such as a band and/or a singing group with contemporary songs and a more informal, intimate worship style. We anticipate that Family Worship

might run for 45-50 minutes and there may be some Sundays when Communion is offered in this service.

We have not yet decided the times for these services - we need more information and discussion before making decisions, and may need to experiment before reaching final conclusions. There is a range of considerations to take into account, including time required for the choir to practice and for Family Worship musicians to set up, as well as the needs and desires of our existing worshippers and of families and children.

Moreover - as was recognised in the meetings we have had so far - our patterns of worship cannot, and should not, be forever set in stone. We will need to continue to develop and adapt in the light of experience. That is why we are proposing to begin testing different patterns of worship after Easter, but do not expect to reach a settled pattern until the Autumn of next year.

One change will happen more quickly, and that is to bring what is currently "Sanderstead Light" into the main church in order to make use of the space that has been freed up by the removal of the pews in the North Aisle. From January, we will no longer conduct a separate Morning Worship service but a refreshed version of Sanderstead Light will take place at 10am on the fourth Sunday. The 8.30 Holy Communion service will continue for the time being.

Finally, I want to stress that we want anyone and everyone to feel welcome at any of our times of worship. Just because a service is liturgical, or more contemporary, in nature does not mean that anyone need feel excluded from either of the services. Our commitment to "God's welcome to all" remains undiminished. We are simply trying to adapt our ways of working to enable more to enjoy God's welcome.

I hope and pray that you will support us as we seek to move forward with this. I know we all have a heart for ensuring the very best for our church here in Sanderstead and I would be truly saddened if anyone felt unable to adapt just a little in order to fulfil our wider mission which is to make a reality of the gift of building God's Kingdom here in Sanderstead.

Yours, in Christ,

Martin

ALL SAINTS PEWS – A PROGRESS REPORT

In mid October we received the very welcome news that the Southwark Chancellor had approved our proposals to replace the "non native" pews in the north aisle with the blue upholstered chairs which are already the property of the church despite objections from the Victorian Society. The pews have now been removed and most of them are being stored at the back of the north aisle prior to their sale to a church antiques company. The blue chairs look good in their new position and can of course be moved or removed as necessary to meet our developing worship requirements. 5 pews are being retained along the walls of the north aisle, 3 of which (including a shorter pew) are available for sale to church members. If you are interested in buying a pew please speak to Richard Bird (8657 -1176).

Richard Bird

All Saints' Church Cleaners



All Saints has a merry band of volunteer cleaners who make sure the church is smart and ready to welcome parishioners every week. Unlike the church hall, which has a paid caretaker, the church itself is cleaned by members of the congregation. We currently have four teams of two or three people who take it in turns one week a month. The job is not too arduous and takes about 1½ hours on either a Friday or a Tuesday once a month. There is a list of jobs that need to be done weekly, or less often, which is pinned up in the vestry and we enjoy ticking them all off at the end of our



session. The jobs range from vacuuming the carpets and cleaning the toilets, to sweeping the floors, polishing the pews, dusting the piano, and taking out the recycling. There are also helpers who take on one job, such as cleaning the brass or silver, and washing the tea towels, that they do faithfully and regularly in their own time.

With a team of three people, if one is away one week the other two can cope on their own, but when the team drops to two it is harder for one person to do the job on their own when the other is absent – pace Libby, I know two of us were away last month, thank you for holding the fort alone – For that reason we would really like to recruit some more helpers. We also need to recruit a team for the 3 or 4 times a year when we have a five Friday month. All cleaning materials are provided as necessary and I'm grateful when anyone lets me know that we need to replace anything.

We also have an annual Spring Clean, usually on a Thursday in March, when we take a day to complete those once a year jobs, and enjoy lunch together in the church. For this we are grateful for extra help from any member of the congregation who is free.



If you feel that you would have an hour and a half to spare once a month and would like to join one of our friendly teams, or could take on a specific job at a time convenient to you, please contact Corrie on corinna.hibberd@gmail.com, Tel 020 8657 4562. Thank you.

Corrie



Communications Group at All Saints'

The Communications group was set up in September 2017. The group meets every 4-6 weeks and reports to the DCC. The group has been asked by the DCC to look at how we currently communicate as a church and how this can be improved. The Aim is to maximise engagement opportunities with the Sanderstead Community, particularly families and children.

The terms of reference of the group are as follows:

- To agree overall objectives to deliver good communication
- To explore and expand the church's interface with its community
- To understand and agree the appropriate media for specific audiences
- To understand how combinations of media can be used effectively
- To agree appropriate action plans for specific events.

Initially we looked at current communication methods: these were the website, notices, newsletters, notice boards and word of mouth.

In the last year:

- ♦ We have looked at the website and made changes and improvements, there is now a dedicated All Saints children and families page, and improvements have been made to navigation links.
- ♦ Reviewed the notice boards and made suggestions on good practice and management
- ♦ An All Saints Facebook page has been set up, following a social media survey amongst the congregation.
- ♦ An All Saints Logo has been officially adopted, to be used on all All Saints communications.
- ♦ A good deal of time has been spent on researching a Church Administration management system. A sub group (or systems group) has been set up who have attended training sessions and have visited other churches who are using 'Iknow church' software to find out if this is the right system for All Saints. This will help us set up a database of people with whom we can communicate whilst complying with Data Protection and Safe guarding regulations. Amongst other things 'Iknow church' or a similar package should also help to streamline hall and church bookings and enable rotas to be produced for all church events. A second system – ChurchSuite is also being evaluated.

Hopefully the Bishops Review will also help to inform us of other ways that we can improve communication, so we await the results of this.

Future matters to be discussed are:

- ♦ A co-ordinated and accessible Parish Diary
- ♦ Advertising and marketing
- ♦ Policies and procedures that are available for everyone to refer to.

The minutes of all the meetings are available from the DCC secretary or Judith Robinson who is the named person for the Communications Group.

Anyone who is interested in joining the communications group will be welcome and should contact Judith Robinson.

Judith Robinson

ALL SAINTS GOES GREEN - ECO SUNDAY 21 OCTOBER

All Saints joined other Eco-churches in holding an autumn green communion service on Sunday 21 October. There was a special service liturgy provided by the Christian environmental charity A Rocha and Bishop David Atkinson preached about the Old Testament prophet Amos who called for social justice and challenges us to care for the environment.



Many of the congregation wore something green for the occasion. There was an accompanying display put together by the All Saints Green Team with practical suggestions for ways to reduce carbon emissions and save precious natural resources.

Richard Bird



What it Means to be a Member of Mothers' Union



We are part of a membership-based organisation with members from all walks of life who join together as part of the largest lay-led mission group in the world. All our charitable outreach is actively carried out by the members, and Mothers' Union's governance, leadership and programmes are driven by and undertaken through the members within their community worldwide.

Our membership isn't passive - simply handing over a sub once a year but could be described as a life-style choice - an active involvement in a fellowship that goes right around the world. This fellowship and the deeper engagement with our Christian faith is a valuable part of belonging.

Membership of the Mothers' Union is open to all Christians men and women baptised in the Trinity - not just Anglicans - with members coming from diverse denominations. We are all committed to the aims and objectives of Mothers' Union and commit to undertake Bible reading, church worship and private prayer in our lives, including supporting our fellow members in prayer.

In Mothers' Union we find a wealth of friendship, opportunity to learn, opportunities to deepen our spiritual life, opportunities to serve and to grow. The more the organisation grows the more we can make a positive impact in society to help support parents and families.

In Sanderstead our members come from All Saints, St Edmund's and St Mary's and sometimes from further afield. Interested? Find out more by talking with us or coming along to a meeting on the second Monday evening of the month in St Catherine's Aisle.



Rosemary Kempell, Anne Rowland, Jean Harris

The Christian Resources Exhibition (CRE)

A small group of the leadership team from All Saints visited the Christian Resources Exhibition at the Sandown Park exhibition centre last month. There were almost 200 exhibitors open for 3 days, showing many interesting displays from Architects, Audio Visual, Books, Educational projects, Furniture, Music and many more useful products and services to help us to make our church a really interesting and appealing place. There were also a number of time limited free seminars on relevant topics that those of us who managed to find the time to attend came away inspired. The Exhibition handbook contains a huge resource of suppliers which we will keep on record for future reference. Please ask if you are looking for anything specific; this is a good starting point, and will probably save a lot of time on research. The event will be staged again next year on 15th, 16th and 17th October 2019. It is open to everyone, so if you fancy a visit, let the office know and we may be able to provide you a ticket.

Michael Turner



Floating Shelter – Cinema Vouchers

For some years now, we have given guests who are with us in the final shelter before Christmas a Christmas present of a voucher for VUE cinemas. For most of them, this is their only chance of a cinema trip and gives them at least one afternoon when they can sit in warm, comfortable surroundings. The vouchers (which will buy tickets for two films) have always been extremely appreciated and we would like to do the same this year. Anyone wishing to contribute, please give it to Fanny Smith. Many thanks in advance on their behalf

Paul Hollingum and Bill Jackson (Coordinators)

Supporting Survivors of Human Trafficking and Modern Slavery

Every borough in London has trafficked people and Southwark, Lewisham and Croydon have some of the highest numbers

In the UK, 51% of modern slavery victims are women, 49 % are male.

In London, the figures are 81% female, 18% male and 1% transgender. 60% of trafficked people are victims of sexual exploitation compared to a national average of 38% (England and Wales). Through modern slavery, employers force victims to work illegally against their will in a number of different sectors, brothels, cannabis farms, nail bars and agriculture.

Julie Hughes Founder and Chief Executive of the Lily Trust based in Croydon is coming to All Saints on **Monday 12th November at 8pm** to speak.

Julie said, “As a first responder, I met a young woman who had been rescued by the police - all she carried with her was a sandwich.” All the victims have, in common, vulnerability!

MU is hosting this event that is open to you all. We plan to fill a Moses basket with baby essentials {pleated cotton wool, baby wipes, Sudocrem, nappies of all sizes and nappy sacks} and for the Mums—Ladies toiletries {shampoos, conditioners, shower gels, toothpastes, toothbrushes, sanitary pads}. We will have a box in church on **Sunday 11th November** if you would like to contribute but more importantly come and find out about how women have been exploited and the compassion that is being shown by the Lily Trust and how we might help. If you are unable to come on Monday 12th, please pray for the women.

Rosemary Kempsell



FOOD LIST



At Purley Food Hub we provide food and other items for people in crisis. Please consider donating one or more of these priority items:

- Jars of peanut butter
- Small bags of sugar (500g)
- Small tins of potatoes / packets of dried potato
- Tinned meat meals
- Toddler microwavable meals
- Tinned carrots and peas
- Instant custard requiring only water
- Tinned rice pudding
- Small bottles of squash / long life fruit juice
- Children's toothbrushes
- Washing up liquid
- Unisex deodorant

*Thank you so much for your support – you have helped us to provide more than **125,000 meals** since January 2013.*



Sanderstead Parish

Christmas Day Lunch



Would you like an invitation to
Our Christmas Day Lunch ?

Do you know someone who would like
an Invitation ?

Please leave the name and address in
Sanderstead Parish Office
All Saints' Halls, Onslow Gardens
Sanderstead CR2 9AB
020 8657 0665
by Monday 19th November please





ALL SAINTS
Sanderstead Parish



Come and join us for

FAMILY FUN HOUR

Sunday 11th November

3pm—4pm

Games

fun

Church Halls

For parents, carers and children

Bible story, singing, play activities, craft

Refreshments

For more details email: children@sanderstead-parish.org.uk

FRESH ENCOUNTERS

OLD TESTAMENT WOMEN OF COURAGE



Esther

Sunday 18 November

6pm

All Saints Church

Come and hear these resonant stories;
come and encounter God
through scripture, poetry, music and meditation.

Pathways to Independence UK

(Sent to us from Bishop Jonathan)

Pathways to Independence UK CIC, a community interest company providing housing and support to Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (UASC) needs your support.



Want to help young refugees, meet people, learn new skills and be part of a great team?

Pathways to Independence are looking for volunteers to join our new Connect project

The Connect project

This new project has been co-designed with young refugees and aims to increase self-confidence and sense of belonging as part of a community by increasing young refugees social connections

Community connectors What's the role?

Community connectors meet young people for a few hours a week to do activities that increase social connections and confidence.

Examples may include going for a walk to the local park or café, talking about life in England; visiting a local new group, playing football in the park, going to the shops, practicing conversational English, sharing local knowledge, finding out about new things in the area, helping a young person to meet other people, help with finding a volunteering opportunity, attending an appointment. As well as being out and about 'community connectors' also spend time with young people in their homes for example, cooking together, socialising, gardening.

An important part of the role is being a good listener as our young people may have limited English and are often on a challenging journey of seeking sanctuary and dealing with past trauma as well as being in the asylum system here in the UK.

For an application form / further information please contact Mary Jane Burkett at maryjane@ptiuk.org.uk

Croydon Patient Participation Group Network,

in collaboration with Croydon CCG

Thursday 1st November 2.00pm – 4.00pm



LOOKING AFTER THE CHAPS

Prostate Cancer

come and listen to a presentation by

Mr Stephen Gordon, Consultant Urologist

Urology is a branch of medicine that refers to the treatment of the male and female urinary system and male reproductive problems

and

Terry Garrigan

Prostate Support Group, Purley Cancer Centre

Venue: Christ Church, Brighton Road, Purley, CR8 2BN

Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/prostate-cancer-tickets-51328380568>

or telephone 07342 056407

OBERAMMERGAU AND AUSTRIA



Churches in Croydon Ecumenical Pilgrimages to Passion Play 2020

29 May – 5 June

**Led by The Rt Revd Jonathan Clark, Bishop of Croydon
and The Revd Nicola Furley-Smith**

14-21 August

Led by The Revd Andrew Letby and Deacon Belinda Letby

A visit to Oberammergau is combined with time among the sparkling lakes and majestic mountains of Austria and a visit to Salzburg. These pilgrimages will give the opportunity of fellowship together with the common purpose of attending the Passion Play.

For full details please call or email Toni
0208 654 9035 / 07786 935 554
Toni.suffolk@btinternet.com



*Around and About Sanderstead,
and beyond ...*



FAMILY FUN

3-4pm

All Saints Church Hall

11th November

And our Christmas Event will be in Church on:
Wed 5th December, 3.15-5pm

PURLEY CLASSICS NOVEMBER RECITAL

PAVEL RALEV—Classical Guitar

Includes works by J.S. Bach, Fernando Sor, Augustin Barrios and Antonio Lauro

We welcome back Pavel after two years. He graduated from the National School of Music and Dance Arts in his native Bulgaria and continued at the Royal Academy of Music. He has participated in several masterclasses and has played for Julian Bream. In the autumn of 2018 Pavel started a post graduate course at the University of Surrey.

Wednesday 14th November 1.15pm to 2.00pm

The Lounge, Purley United Reformed Church, Brighton Road Purley

Open to all with a retiring collection to cover costs. Light refreshments served before the start.

For more details purleyclassics.wix.com/purleyclassics

CAMEO

Come And Meet Each Other

Jubilee Room @ St. Mary's

Thursday 15th November 2.30pm – 4.00pm

All are welcome



We meet once a month on the **third Thursday, 2.30pm—4pm**. We provide a place where people who are lonely can come and enjoy friendship and fun. We offer tea and cakes and a huge welcome. Whether you want to sit and chat or get involved in a game such as Scrabble, Bingo, skittles or cards, Cameo is a place to come and meet new friends.

Upcoming CAMEO dates:

SANDERSTEAD TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD

November

We meet at 2.00 p.m. - 4.30 p.m. in the All Saints' Small Hall on the second Wednesday of each month.

Wednesday 14th November

Clare Walker will give a talk on

'Founding your own Orchestra - Docklands Sinfonia'.

Refreshments available. Visitors welcome. £2.00

Any enquiries please contact our Secretary,

Mrs Doreen Nicholls, on 0208 657 2072.

Coffee Pot

Alternate Fridays 10am-12pm , All Saints' Small Hall

Coffee, Cake and Company

Onslow Gardens

Meet and Mingle

Everyone's invited

Friday 16th November

Friday 30th November



YOUNG AT HEART Social Club

Sanderstead Neighbourhood Care, All Saints' Church Hall

Registered Charity Number: 1039939

10am—12.30pm, **£3 or £5 with lunch**

For information or transport call: **020 8657 8289**

Fri 9 November

Alison Hoyland with “Never Judge a Book By its Cover”

Followed by a soup lunch

Fri 23 November

John Halligan talks about “Lord Mayor of the City of London”

Followed by a ploughman's lunch

Fri 7 December

Gresham School present the choir for Christmas song

Followed by a soup lunch

DIOCESAN EVENTS & TRAINING

Introducing Diddy Disciples

Date & Time:

Wed 14/11/2018 18.30-21.00

Refreshments available

Venue: St. Peter's Church, Walworth SE17 2HH

Cost: £15

Led by Sharon Moughtin-Mumby.

Book here:

<https://diddydisciplesnovember.eventbrite.co.uk>

Baptism Matters

This day conference with lunch provided will explore recent developments in support for this key ministry where we meet families for their first steps on their journey of faith. Sandra is an engaging speaker and will be bringing latest resources available from the Church of England. For all those involved in baptism and family ministry, including Clergy, SPA's, Readers and volunteers.

Date & Time:

Wed 21/11/2018 10.00-16.00

Venue: Spurgeon's College, Norwood SE25 6DJ

Cost: £10. Lunch & refreshments included.

Led by Revd. Dr. Sandra Millar.

***Final numbers needed by 14/11/2018 so please book soon!**

Book here: <http://bit.ly/2uU7hGx>

Parenting and Faith

How do we better equip parents to raise God-connected children and teens?

Date & Time:

Tuesday 13/11/2018 19.00-21.00

Cost: Free. Refreshments from 18.45

Venue: Trinity House, SE1 1HW.

Led by Rachel Turner from BRF Parenting for Faith.

*** Last few spaces remaining! Book here:** <http://bit.ly/2uU7hGx>

Messy Church & Discipleship with Lucy Moore

Date for the diary

Date & Time: Thurs 7th Feb 2019, 19.00-21.30

Venue: St. James Kidbrooke, SE3 0DU

Soul food- Dates for your diary 2018

⇒ **6–8 November** AGM & Retreat

Take your shoes off (APR)

Bishop John Stroyan

St Columba's House, Woking, Surrey

Association for Promoting Retreats (Anglican): Demelza Henderson
01395 272243 promoting.retreats@gmail.com

⇒ **23–25 November**

Waiting, watching & wonderment (CSN) Magdalen Lawler &
Christopher Chapman Kairos Centre, London SW15

Catholic Spirituality Network: Margaret Palladino

07756 864784 catholicspiritualitynetwork@gmail.com

If anyone has any questions about these, they are welcome to contact Penny Bird on 020 8657 1176 or ppennybird@yahoo.co.uk

Penny

AUTUMN COURSE FOR St Edmund's and St. Antony's
Tuesday 30 October 2018 at 11.00 am

Autumn Course – The Mystery of Everything

based on the film “The Theory of Everything” will be meeting Tuesday evenings 7.30 for 7.45pm commencing **Tuesday 23rd October**. Location tba.

The course will run for six weeks. We will have a showing of the film on the first week and then five sessions based around the film.

All Welcome but it would be helpful if you can indicate your intention to attend (even if not every week) so that the correct number of books may be bought. Please contact Rev Susan Atkinson-Jones Susan@sanderstead-parish.org.uk or Gill Pates Email gill.pates@gmail.com / Tel 07752 0058 to register your interest, or for more information.

Susan Atkinson-Jones and Gill Pates

Please look at the website for regular Sunday services:

www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk

WHAT?	WHEN?	WHERE?
RIDDLEDOWN'S COMMUNITY ACT of REMEMBRANCE	Sun 11 November, 10.45am	Gather outside St Edmund's Church
FAMILY FUN Hour All welcome for stories, crafts, singing and more.	Sun 11 November, 3-4pm	All Saints' Church Hall
Coffee Pot All welcome for coffee, cakes and company.	Fri 16 November, 10am—12pm	All Saints' Church Hall
FRESH ENCOUNTERS ... "Old Testament Women of Courage—Esther" Come encounter God through scripture, poetry, music and meditation.	Sun 18 November, 6pm	All Saints' Church
Call to Prayer All welcome.	Sat 24 November, 9am	All Saints' Church
Coffee Pot All welcome for coffee, cakes and company.	Fri 30 November 10am—12pm	All Saints' Church Hall
FAMILY FUN CHRISTMAS Event All welcome for this annual event of celebrating Christmas with stories, crafts, singing and more.	Wed 5 December, 3.15pm-5.00pm	All Saints' Church



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