

SANDERSTEAD PARISH

All Saints & St Antony's

PARISH NEWS

Sunday 28th June 2026: *Trinity 4*



WHAT'S ON AT ALL SAINTS?....

You can watch the 9.30am service online (live or catch up) by going to 'Talks & Sermons' on the church website <https://www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks>

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Preacher: Revd Doug McHardie



9.30am

FAMILY WORSHIP

Preacher:

Revd Doug McHardie

Theme:

Good News in Hard Times – Job, Ecclesiastes

Today's Readings: Ecclesiastes 12:9-14 (pg 677) and Job 42:1-9 (pg 452).

Collect (pronounced "coll-ect", is a prayer set for each day and is said in churches all around the world...):

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

SONGS ON SUNDAY

- You're the source of all we have (*Jubilate Hymns*)
- Lord, hear my prayer (*Taize*)
- May the peace we share among us (*Jubilate Hymns*)
- Only by grace



2.00pm OPEN CHURCH

The Gresham Pop Concert has been cancelled.

Cancelled

5.30pm Bishop Christopher's Farewell Choral Evensong service TODAY at the Croydon Minster All are welcome to celebrate with Bishop Christopher as he nears retirement. You are welcome to just turn up.



BRING YOUR OWN CUP

If you can bring your own cup for refreshments after church, it would help us be more eco-friendly. 😊

ROADS OF THE WEEK

Please remember the residents of these two roads in your prayers this week...

- All Saints Drive
- Ashdown Gardens



RECTOR'S OFFICE

Rosanne will be in the office Tuesday (30th June) and Thursday (2nd July) this week, 10am to 4pm, **not Monday**.

CONGREGATION MEETING FEEDBACK

It was the inaugural monthly congregation meeting on Sunday. Doug outlined some of the things that he has found from meeting various teams. Key points were that the existing **morning services will be preserved, especially 1st and 3rd traditional robed services** with choir! It's about preserving what is good and nurturing the existing congregation. But it's also about meeting the aspiration to reach out and welcome new people, possibly growing younger, through other services and activities. In particular **expanding the services we have at 3pm in the afternoon** on the second and third Sundays. There are many opportunities and God is already doing stuff in our community. **We can only do what we can resource.** The **most important thing people can do now is pray boldly** for revival and God's action amongst our community to bring people to know him as Lord as we reach out in love!

The weekly blog has a lot more detail – please look back for details.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK at All Saints?...

MORNING PRAYER

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday each week at 9am in church: a Psalm, an Old Testament reading and a New Testament reading, then prayer.

You can download the Morning Prayer App ...

<https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/apps/daily-prayer>

Daily
Prayer



TODDLER GROUPS – Tuesdays & Fridays in term time

9.30am–11.30am. Toys, dressing up, snacks, singing.

This week: *Tuesday 30th June and Friday 3rd July.*

TUESDAY SHORT WALK – Tuesday 30 June, 3.00pm

We shall be walking as usual on Tuesday 30th June. Once round the Recreation Ground then back to St Catherine's Aisle for tea, cake and chat. Meet in the All Saints Car Park at 3.00pm. All are welcome including dogs and if you prefer to join us just for tea, we should get back at around 3.45pm.



YOUNG AT HEART CLUB, Friday 3 July, 10am - 1.30pm

Come and join us - SNC Social Club for over 65s, programme & lunch. £3 or £8 if you stay for lunch.

Call 020 8657 8289. ***This week – Debbie Lewington talks about Flamenco and Ballroom Dancing.***

Young
at
Heart

CRAFT GROUP, Friday 3 July, 2pm - 4pm

We meet in the Small Hall and enjoying making a variety of things. If you have any questions, call Sue Chillman 020 8657 7397.

LOOKING FORWARD – what’s coming up?...

Sunday 5 July – *Trinity 5*

9.30am **HOLY COMMUNION** with choir & healing prayer

Preacher: *Revd Doug McHardie*

Theme: **Good News in: Creation promises – Genesis**

NEW! 3pm - 4pm – PRAISE!

An afternoon of sung worship, sharing God’s Word and prayer ministry.

Doug and guests will lead a time of worship in a chilled contemporary style.

All welcome.



WAIT AND LISTEN – starting in July, every Monday 7-8pm



Monday 6 July - an hour waiting on the Lord to hear his voice for the churches here and for our parish (*it will be a different time and day each month*).

Wednesday 22 July, 7.30pm - PPC Meeting

Pray for the members of the Sanderstead Parish PCC as they prepare for the next meeting.



ALPHA COURSE



Starting September. For information contact the Parish Office.

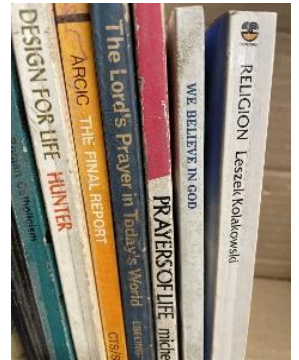
Get praying about who to invite!

OTHER NEWS...

GOOD QUALITY CHRISTIAN BOOKS

Dear Church friends,

Have you any good quality Christian books that you would be happy to donate for a good cause overseas? There is a charitable organisation called Book Aid Charitable Trust who organise books to be sent abroad to help poorer people in their faith.



If you would like to donate any books, they can be dropped off at the Jubilee Church office in Selsdon (located beneath Sainsbury's). Office hours are usually 9.00am to 4pm, and the cafe next door is happy to take them if no one is in the office. Please ensure they are in a strong bag or easily portable boxes.

Friends at the church have organised the charity to collect towards the end of July. if you would like more information about the charity the website is <https://book-aid.org/>.

Thank you! *Pam Rees*

! BEWARE – SCAM ALERT !

There are lots of ads like this all over the internet



This is NOT an air-conditioner, it is a fan heater. Yes, you can turn the heat off, but that just makes it a very expensive fan.

As a rule of thumb, if it costs less than £150 it isn't aircon,
Just buy a fan and a plant spray mister (make sure it mists not just sprays else you'll get quite wet!)

Green Team Tip of the Week

to help you be even better stewards of God's lovely creation
(and probably save you money too!).

Tip 21 – Save water. It's hot - you may have noticed!



But the good news is there are SO many ways to save water.

The biggest users around the home are - The Garden and The Bathroom.

- If you see a leak that's yours, fix it, and if you see one that isn't yours, tell somebody, whether that's your neighbour or your water company.
- You can water the plants with washing up water.
- Ideally leave watering the lawn to the Good Lord, but if you absolutely must, then at least do it at dawn or dusk else half of it just evaporates.
- When you swill off the plates, catch it in your washing up bowl.
- When you run the hot tap, waiting for it to run warm, don't waste it, run it into your bowl or a little watering can.
- Don't run the tap while you are brushing your teeth.
- You don't have to flush the loo after every 'nr 1'
- Think about getting a water butt (AND USE THE WATER FROM IT!)
- A water butt with stand, tap, and connection to your drainpipe is £38, but you could just get a plastic 20 gallon dustbin (92 ltr) for less than £20

Finally, remember, even the combined might of All Saints and St Antony's can't save the planet alone, so SPREAD THE WORD!

WHAT'S ON AT ST. ANTONY'S?



HOLY COMMUNION – 4th Sunday of the month, 3pm TODAY!! Sunday 28 June – *led by Revd Steve Cooper.*

Café Church, 2.30pm – all the other Sundays (*except 4th Sundays*).

Women's Social Group (WSG), alternate Thursdays at 7.30pm.
Thursday 2 July – *'Our last Supper'. We will start again in September.*

T4U – 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month, 3.15pm
Monday 13 & 27 July. T4U will continue throughout the summer.

Use easyfundraising to donate to Project 800

Turn your online shopping into free donations for Sanderstead All Saints Church with easyfundraising. All the big names, including John Lewis & Partners, Argos and eBay, are ready to donate when you shop. Sign up and raise free donations, at no extra cost to you. Sign up here: www.easyfundraising.org.uk/sanderstead-all-saints-church



Or download the easyfundraising app on your smart phone.



GIVING – regular members are encouraged to support our work for God financially. This can be through the plate collection on a Sunday, via the QR code which will take you to the giving page on the website or in church by card. Contributions welcome for the glory of God!

Safeguarding / 'A Safe Church'

If you ever have any concerns, contact one of our Parish Safeguarding Officers: Julie Marsh julie.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk or Katheryn Hewitt katheryn.safeguarding@sanderstead-parish.org.uk



CONTACT US

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