

Please Pray...

Give thanks for: All our contacts with children and families through Toddlers, Jigsaw, Family Fun, baptisms, assemblies, Cubs, Brownies.

Pray for: Annalie Taylor as she builds relationships with schools, parents, carers and children.

For those in need: All those coping with declining health, and the bereaved.

For justice in the world: Refugees; action on climate change; for our politicians & Brexit.

For our Mission links: Including Pastor Patrick and the House of Hope's work in Kenya for girls fleeing forced early marriage, and Chris & Alison Hawksbee building up the church in Paraguay. Please also pray for the Sugandh team who work in New Delhi with families and children living in the slums; pray for project leader Mrs Thangtei David.

For our community: Arkwright Road and Moir Close

Next Week:

Sunday 5th May
3rd Sunday of Easter

09.00am: Holy Communion with choir

10.30am: Parish Praise with JIGSAW

Theme: Jesus and Peter

Revelation 5:11-14

John 21:1-19

Please pray for:

Family Fun Hour: Sun 12th May at 3pm in the Church Hall.

Toddlers Picnics: Tues 14th May and Fri 17th May at 11.30am on The Gruffy. Please bring your own lunch.

Fresh Encounters: Sun 19th May, 6pm in Church— Angels in the Old Testament.

CHURCH NOTICES

The flowers at the lectern are in loving memory of Victoria Bentley, who died on 7 April 2017, with our love, *Jean, Simon, Richard, Alan and Marlene.*

Easter Flowers - thank you to everyone for all their hard work making our church look so lovely for Easter. *Lynne*

Mission Shaped Ministry Course has been postponed until 2020 New dates and details to be published soon.

Bishop's report on the Sanderstead Team Ministry. Bishop Jonathan and Chris Skilton, our Archdeacon, met with the PCC and DCCs on 8th April. The Report by the Archdeacon of Dorking recommends that the Team Ministry be brought to an end, and the parish of Sanderstead reconstituted. No decision has been made. The Bishop said there was no current proposal from the diocese as a whole to dispose of any of the buildings; nor any proposal to reduce the number of stipendiary posts funded from the diocese. At the meeting, views were freely expressed, and there will be further meetings to continue the discussion. We will keep you informed. Speak to me or Jeremy. *Martin*

Get Involved. New volunteers are always welcome to help on Sunday mornings, especially as Steward (Welcome Team), or with Computer/video/sound (Tech Team) or with serving Coffee. Fill in a 'Welcome to All Saints' Response slip or speak with Martin or a churchwarden. *Martin*

Change to Service Times Most of you will know that, during May and June, we are trialling new service times. Details are in the blue Welcome leaflet. Please pass this to others to let them know. To all of you, thank you for your co-operation. We look forward to receiving your feedback. Let me emphasise that this is a trial period. *Martin*

DATES

SANDERSTEAD VESTRY/APCM— TODAY The 2019 Sanderstead Vestry (Meeting of Parishioners to elect churchwardens) and Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held at All Saints' today. It will take place after the 10am Team Communion Service at approximately 11.45am. The documentation is available on the website, or paper copies can be collected from the churches. *Chris Babbs, PCC Secretary, 020 8668 2775*

Midweek Communion, Thurs 2 May at 12.30pm in Church. Take time out midweek, and be blessed.

Family Fun Hour Sun 12 May at 3pm in the Church Hall. Come along and lend a helping hand if you can. All welcome. Speak with Annalie if you would like to know more.

Christian Aid week is coming up, 12th to 18th May If you are able to help with the door to door collecting, please get in touch with Judith Johnson 020 8651 0478 or judith32johnson@yahoo.co.uk

Stan Shakespeare's accordion concert on Sun 9 June in the afternoon—more details to follow. Please save the date.

PIANO RECITAL BY VERITY BROOKS: Sat 15 June at 7.00 pm in All Saints Church, to raise funds for Sugandh, New Delhi. Please save the date and tell your friends. Tickets will be on sale in due course. For further information please speak to Emma Greenfield

Sandra Groombridge's Commissioning as a SPA on Mon 24 June in the evening at the Cathedral. More details to follow. Save the date! *Jeremy*

Holy Communion: Regular communicants, including children, are welcome to receive the sacrament with us here. Gluten-free wafers are available on request.

A children's area for pre-school is available with toys and books on the far left in St Catherine's Aisle.

JIGSAW for school aged children meets for Bible stories.

Pastoral Care: If you'd like a chat with Canon Martin, call 8657 1366 or email rector@sanderstead-parish.org.uk

Prayer Chain: To put a confidential message on the chain call Penny 8657 1176 or Arnold 8657 4695.

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.

Health & Safety: Please ensure that you know the location of your nearest fire exit.

Sermons at All Saints are often recorded, so if you missed a Sunday or want to hear a message again, you can find sermons to listen to on our website- www.sanderstead-parish.org.uk/talks

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Psalm 118: 14-24

14 The Lord is my strength and my defence;
he has become my salvation.

**15 Shouts of joy and victory
resound in the tents of the righteous:
'The Lord's right hand has done mighty
things!'**

16 The Lord's right hand is lifted high;
the Lord's right hand has done mighty things!

**17 I will not die but live,
and will proclaim what the Lord has done.**

18 The Lord has chastened me severely,
but he has not given me over to death.

**19 Open for me the gates of the righteous;
I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.**

20 This is the gate of the Lord
through which the righteous may enter.

**21 I will give you thanks, for you answered
me; you have become my salvation.**

22 The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;

**23 the Lord has done this,
and it is marvellous in our eyes.**

24 The Lord has done it this very day;
let us rejoice today and be glad.



WELCOME

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*Extending God's Welcome to All.
Committed to GROW:
in Discipleship, Service & Numbers*

TODAY

**Sunday 28th April
2nd Sunday of Easter**

08.30am: Holy Communion

10.00am: Sanderstead Team Communion
(Sanderstead Light)
followed by **APCM**

Theme: Road to Emmaus

Revelation 1:4-8 (Bible page: 1233)
Acts 5:27-32 8.30 only (Bible page: 1097)
Luke 24:13-35 (Bible page: 1061)

**3.00pm: St. George's Day Parade
Service** with Renewal of
Promises

Collect for 2nd Sunday after Easter

O risen Christ,
for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred,
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,
to the praise of God the Father.

Amen