ST GODWALD'S CHURCH, FINSTALL SUNDAY NOVEMBER 1ST 2020 All Saints/All Souls

Alternative Collect for today

Almighty God, in whose service lies perfect freedom: teach us to obey you with loving hearts and steadfast wills through Jesus Christ our Lord.

TODAY'S SERVICES

Sunday 1st November

8.00 am Holy Communion at All Saints led by Revd Sue Humphries
10.30 am Holy Communion at St Godwald's Revd David Ford (Zoom)
3.00 pm Service for All Souls at St Godwald's Revd David Ford/Lay Team
5.00 pm Service for All Souls at All Saints Revd David Ford/Lay Team

Instructions for connecting online using Zoom (note new Meeting IDs)

For morning services: Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2474115267 Meeting ID: 247 411 5267

For afternoon services: Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2474115267 Meeting ID: 247 411 5267

Use one of these numbers to connect to any service using your telephone only:

+44 203 481 5240 0203 901 7895 0131 460 1196 0203 051 2874 0203 481 5237

Please note:

There are now posters in both churches with **QR** codes to enable you to record your attendance automatically for track and trace. It uses the new **NHS app**

All Souls Services during this week

Monday 2nd November 12.00 noon at All Saints Church led by Revd David Ford

Tuesday 3rd November 3.00 pm at St Godwald's Church led by Revd David Ford

If any members of the congregation cannot attend the All Souls Day Services on Sunday 1st and Tuesday 3rd November, they can write the name of their loved one on the list at the back of the Church for a candle to be lit in their memory.

Sunday 8th November is Remembrance Sunday

There will be a Joint Remembrance Service at 10.30 am at St Godwald's led by Revd David Ford

Bible Study Coffee Morning meets on zoom -

Thursdays 11am to 12 noon. Everyone is welcome, please join us at our next meeting on the



JOINING INSTRUCTIONS:

5th November

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87475861601?pwd=Uz JOVFZ6V2NWaE1mb1BOYzdGOVV4Zz09

Or Telephone: 0203 481 5240 or 0131 460 1196.

Meeting ID (new): 874 7586 1601 Password: ix723S

Please find below the link for the Crowd Funding page set up through the Hub to help support local families buy Christmas presents this year <u>https://www.gofundme.com/f/community-</u> <u>christmas-bromsgrove</u>

Christmas lunch for the vulnerable and isolated

This Christmas a range of local voluntary organisations including churches have come together to ensure that the most vulnerable in our community enjoy a Christmas lunch this year. These freshly cooked meals will be delivered to people's homes over the weekend of 18/19 December. If you or someone you know would benefit from this, please complete the form that accompanies this newsletter and return it to David Ford no later than the 11th November. Thank you!

People in Motion Refugee Collection of Clothes

Winter clothing is desperately needed. Donations can be left in church when attending services or contact Judith Rowe on 01527 871571

Diocesan e-newsletter:

The Diocese issues a fortnightly newsletter by email containing lots of news and ideas for churchgoers.

To receive it go to the home page of the Diocese <u>https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/</u> scroll to the foot of the home page and insert your email address in the box provided (beneath Sign Up).

Calling all Families

The Diocese of Worcester has launched a new series of weekly bible-based resources for children and families. Each week, centred around a particular bible passage, there are prayers, activities and games for you to explore with your children.

Follow this link:

https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/interactivechildrens-resources/

Richard Sandland:

I am pleased to announce that Richard Sandland will be joining us in the Summer of 2021 to serve his title post (curacy) in the Bromsgrove Team Ministry. Richard currently works in the music department of the RSC in Stratford-upon-Avon. I am sure you will all give Richard and his wife, Kath, a very warm welcome when they arrive; in the meantime, I know they are very excited at the prospect of joining us.

Rev David Ford

Dean Hall: LLM in training

My name is Dean Hall and from now until the 20th of December I will be joining Bromsgrove Parish on placement as part of my training as a Licensed Lay Minister. I am 52 and live in Brockhill in Redditch with my wife Jane and our 17-year-old son, Joe. I have been a worshipper at my parish church of St Bartholomew's in Tardebigge since 2001 but felt a call to be more deeply involved in church life in 2012. Since then I spent a period on church council as deputy warden and later as church warden. As warden I became involved in delivering All Age Worship in church and felt that in was in lay ministry that my calling lay. I took and completed the Bishop's Certificate in 2018/2019 and have now completed the first year of my Lay Ministry training.

I look forward to meeting as many of you as I can in these challenging times.

THE FINANCIAL IMPACT OF COVID-19

As you know, the financial impact of COVID-19 on the church is enormous. Please keep setting aside your weekly offerings. Ask for envelopes if this would help.

If you can make a one-off gift to the church at this time, or take out a standing order in favour of St Godwald's, this would be very much appreciated.

Our bank details are:

NatWest, 124 High Street, Bromsgrove, B61 8HJ Account Name: St Godwalds PCC Sort Code: 60 04 05 Account No: 03326136 If asked, this is a business account. Thank you!

You can also use the **QR code** below to take you to the giving page for St Godwald's on the website:



CONTACT DETAILS

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Address: The Vicarage, 15 Finstall Road, BromsgroveB60 2EAEmail: revdavidford@googlemail.comPhone: 01527 873831Mobile: 07973 412625NB: David's days off are from 5.00 pm Wednesdayuntil Thursday evening.

Heather Evans - our Parish Administrator

Heather's hours are 9.30am-1.30pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In order to provide Heather with a COVID19 safe environment, the parish office, Ruth Heald Room, toilets and kitchens at St Godwald's are now to be considered 'out of bounds' please.

Heather welcomes visitors but please arrange this in advance and all visitors must wear a face mask. Heather's email is

<u>pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com</u> and the office telephone number is 577759.

Every blessing, Dean