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**Usual day off is from 5.00 pm on Wednesday
until Thursday evening.**



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until Thursday evening.**

Our Church Wardens are:

Sue Bryant 01527 835728 and Sue Ward 0121 453 3180

**For enquiries about baptisms, banns of marriage and weddings at
All Saints'** please speak to the Church Wardens (see above).

To book All Saints' Church Hall for regular meetings or events:

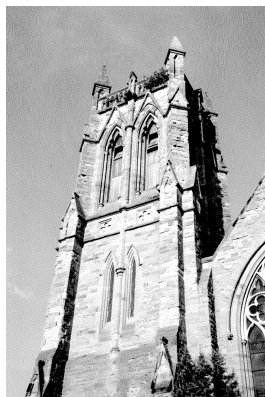
Please phone Tony Turpin on 01527 876659.

**All Saints' Organist Julian Manchee's
contacts**

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Information for the Newsletter:

Please let me, Tessa Carrick,
have any news or items for the next
Newsletter by 12 noon on Tuesday.
Telephone 01527 873135 or email
tessacarrick@gmail.com Thank you.



**All Saints' Church, Bromsgrove
28th November 2021: Advent Sunday**

Services for Sunday 28th November:

10.30 am Holy Communion (Common Worship) at All Saints
Led by Rev. David Ford.

To access the 10.30 am morning service on Zoom use:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2474115267>

Meeting ID: 247 411 5267

*If you don't have a computer or a tablet you can use a phone to join the
Zoom services. Listen in by telephone using one of these numbers:*

0203 481 5240 0203 901 7895 0131 460 1196
0330 088 5830 0203 481 5237 0208 080 6591
0208 080 6592

Meeting ID: 247 411 5267

4.00 pm Advent Carols at St. Godwald's (for both
St. Godwald's and All Saints' Churches). This service will include
Advent Carols, prose and poem readings. Mince pies and mulled wine
will be served afterwards.

Covid 19 arrangements during services:

*You are asked to leave space between you and the next
person or couple, to wear masks, to come to the altar for
Communion, and to share the peace by waving a greeting.
You may sing the hymns, wearing your mask.*

Wednesday Morning Services at St. Godwald's

These are at 10.00 am in the Ruth Heald Room behind the Church.
Morning Worship will be held on the 1st, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays and
Holy Communion on the 3rd Wednesdays. All will be welcome.

Services during December

Sunday 5th December

8.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev. Sue Humphries.

9.00 am Holy Communion (BCP) at St. Godwald's

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW) at St. Godwald's led by
Rev. David Ford.

4.00 pm A Taizé service on Zoom led by Rev. Richard Sandland.

Friday 10th December Brook Court Carols (Choir only).

Saturday 11th December 3.00 pm Ramblers' service
at St. Godwald's.

Sunday 12th December

10.30 am Holy Communion at All Saints' Church led by
Rev. David Ford.

4.00 pm Celtic Service on Zoom, led by Pam Rosewarne.

Tuesday 14 December: Lickey End School Carol service.

Wednesday 15th December

6.00 pm Advent Spiral Service at All Saints', for both Churches.

Thursday 16th December Mothers' Union Service.

Sunday 19th December

8.00 am Holy Communion led by Rev. Sue Humphries.

10.30 am Holy Communion (CW) at St. Godwald's led by
Rev. David Ford

6.00 pm Nine Lessons & Carols at All Saints' Church led by
Rev. David Ford.

Friday 24 December Christmas Eve

3.00 pm Christingle at St. Godwald's.

3.30 pm (Tentatively) Christingle at All Saints

11.00 pm Joint Midnight Service at St. Godwald's led by
Rev. David Ford.

Saturday 25th December Christmas Day

10.30 am Christmas Communion Service (Joint) at All Saints' led by
Rev. David Ford.

Sunday 26th December 10.30 am Morning Prayer at St. Godwald's.

For all Families! The Diocese of Worcester's weekly bible-based resources for children and families are on:

<https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/interactive-childrens-resources/>

The Basement Food Bank: Please leave dry or tinned foods, well within their expiry date, and basic toiletries in the plastic box at the back of All Saints' Church; these will be taken to the Basement Project for use for needy young people up to the age of 25.

Study Group on Zoom: Explore Your Faith. The group meets on Thursdays at 11.00 am, using the booklet *A Heart for Mission*. Copies of the booklet are available in All Saints' Church.

Everyone is welcome. *Zoom access will be using:*

Meeting ID: 859 6563 5117 There is no Passcode required.

Home Communion: If you are unable to come to church, Home Communion is available. Please let David know of your wishes.



Sunday 5th December: All Saints' lunch at Golf Centre. If you have booked a meal **PLEASE PAY EDNA AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.** The cost for the meal including coffee after the meal and a tip is £24 per head.

The Chatterry meets weekly on Wednesdays from 2.00 to 3.30 pm in All Saints' Church Hall. It is an informal meeting for anyone who would like some friendly company. We chat over a hot drink, play games or do jigsaws. *Tell your friends and neighbours about us. If you know of someone who would like company, please encourage them to visit the Chatterry.* Enquiries to Tessa Carrick 01527 873135.

The Parish Administrator is Lauren Jones.

She will be in the office at St. Godwald's on Monday, Thursday, and Friday mornings from 9.30 to 12.30.
pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com : 01527 577759.

Children's Society boxes: Please bring your boxes for emptying to church as soon as possible. If you need your box to be collected from your home please telephone Helen Waller on 01527 875521. Any boxes brought to church will be stored in the safe if Helen is not there.

Please remember to pray every day that God may draw new people into our churches and that we may have the grace, not simply to welcome newcomers, but to be changed by their presence.

Requests for Prayers: If you would like someone included in the Parish Prayer List (*and have their permission to do so*) please send details to Rev. David Ford (01527 873831). To find the list see: https://bromsgroveparish.org.uk/Groups/338679/Prayer_requests.aspx.

The Regular Pattern of Morning Services at All Saints' and St Godwald's will change in the new Year. Also, the pattern in December will vary through Advent and as we approach Christmas.

Hot drinks are available in All Saints' Church Hall after 10.30 am services. Do join us at that time.

Please hold the following people & their families in your prayers
Recent Baptisms

Seth David Hawkins baptised on 21st November.

Freddie Burrows to be baptised on 4th December.

Funerals

Stephen Maben Godber whose funeral was on 16th November.

Carol Ann Hurdiss whose funeral was on 16th November.

Barry Charles Dallaway whose funeral was on 16th November.

Susan Carol Chinner whose funeral was on 17th November with burial at Westall Park.

Winifred Betty Woolvin whose funeral was on 19th November.

Shirley Ann Hollett whose funeral was at St. Mary de Wyche Church, Wychbold on 23rd November.

A prayer for Advent: *Jesus as a baby you were a refugee, as a man you had no place to lay your head. Make us aware of the homeless on our streets and of families without adequate shelter. Give us the wisdom to deal with the causes of these problems, that all may work together for better living conditions. Amen.*



All Saints' finance! THE CHURCH NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Our Church needs your help even more than in the past, especially since we have been unable to have fundraising events during the Covid restrictions. If you can give a little more either weekly or as a single donation that will help our church finances. If it can be gift-aided, that will be even better. Here is how you may make a donation:

- A) **If you are not able to pay through the Bank:** any donations that you have been saving may be collected from your home. Please get in touch with churchwarden Sue Bryant (01527 835728).
- B) **Through the Bank.** If you are already using this method of giving, please continue to do so. For more information on how to set up bank payments, please get in touch with Andrew or Ann Smeeton at a Church service.

Religious broadcasts this week:

- **BBC Hereford & Worcester:** You can listen to Radio H & W on FM: 94.7, 104.0, 104.4, or 104.6, and MW: 73.8, 584.
- **Wednesday Radio 3:** 3.30 pm **Choral Evensong** with a repeat on the following Sunday at 3.00 pm. Full information including a service outline is on : <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006tp7r/episodes/player>

Sunday 21st November broadcasts

- 8.10 am **Radio 4:** Sunday Worship
- 1.15 pm **BBC 1:** Songs of Praise on TV
- 3.00 pm **Radio 3:** Choral Evensong (Repeat)



The Bromsgrove Parish web-site is:

<https://www.bromsgroveparish.org.uk/>

The Diocese of Worcester web-site is:

<https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk>

2021 ANNUAL BAZAAR

in All Saints' Church Hall

Saturday 4th December 2.00 to 4.00.p.m.

We can always use more helpers so please volunteer.

Stalls holders:

General Raffle: Clare Brampton

Cakes, preserves and pickles: Dianne Knowles

Jigsaw puzzles: Suzanne Thompson

Books: Andrew and Ann Smeeton

White elephant: Teresa Veitch, John Wyatt, Stella Noon

Tombola: bottles (non-alc.) & sweets: Sue Bryant, Helen Waller

Fancy goods and jewellery: Sue Ward, ? Nickie Schirmacher

Christmas paraphernalia: Mike Carrick, Win Cadd

Name me! Jenny Parry and friends

Crafts: Carol Muldoon, Margaret and Ron Bearman.

Refreshments: Brenda Timmins, Barbara Murphy

General organization: Tessa Carrick (tel 873135)



PLEASE LET ALL
YOUR FRIENDS
KNOW ABOUT IT!



The Bazaar will run from 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm.

Preparation will be in the morning. Tables need to be put out at 10.00 am and stalls set up from 10.30 am. Tables will need cloths —Tessa has a supply.

At the end of the day the stalls need to be cleared away.

Goods: Please collect goods for all the stalls and place them at the back of church or bring them to the Church Hall on Wednesday between 2.00 and 3.30 pm.

On Dec. 4th goods will need to be brought over from the church to the hall.

Raffle prizes: Clare needs a few good quality raffle prizes.

Tombola: We need packaged sweets and non alcoholic bottles for the Tombola.

Cakes and preserves: We need cakes for both refreshments and the cake stall. Please bring them on the day.

Helpers: Thank you to all who have volunteered and all donors - we can use a few more people on the day.

Money: You will need a container for money. A small float will be provided for each stall. Please label your takings & return the float plus your takings to Andrew and Ann Smeeton at 4.00 pm.

Publicity: Leaflets to be distributed to houses in the neighbourhood will be in All Saints' Church on Sunday 28th November. Please deliver them to your neighbours.

Covid Precautions: Mask-wearing will be encouraged and safe distancing used wherever possible.