

ALL SAINTS' AND ST GODWALD'S SUNDAY 21st July 2024 Eighth Sunday after Trinity



Prayer for the Week

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Sunday 21st July: Trinity 8 8.00 am All Saints': Said Holy Communion led by Rev'd Sue Humphries. 10.30 am St. Godwald's: Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd Deb Buckley Zoom ID: 712 824 8561 10.30 am All Saints': Morning Worship - led by Pam Rosewarne and Sue Ward. 6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom led by Judith Rowe.

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Next Week's Services:

Saturday 27th July: 5.00 pm St Godwald's Café/Pizza Church led by Kerstin MacDonald

Sunday 28th July: Trinity 9 9.00 am St. Godwald's: Holy Communion (BCP) led by Rev'd Sue Humphries 10.30 am St Godwald's: Morning Worship led by Emma Morris and Judith Rowe 10.30 am All Saints': Holy Communion (CW) led by Pay'd Deb Buckle

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SUNDAY @ 6 - EVENING GATHERING on ZOOM

At 6pm each Sunday on Zoom there is a short service (Compline, Celtic or Evensong) which can include prayers, meditation, visuals and music. The theme varies with the contributor. All are welcome to join our friendly little group!

SOUL AND SENSES SERVICE

This is a Service at **All Saints' Church** held on **the first Saturday of each month**. There will not be a service in July, the next service is on **Saturday 3rd August 2024**. Each Service starts at **5.00pm** and lasts for around 40 minutes. Please come and join us in wondering and exploring what God is saying to and with us. **ALL are welcome** - come as you are!

PIZZA (CAFÉ) CHURCH

Café Church is an informal service in the **Church Hall** at **St. Godwald's** for all the family to enjoy. A small buffet style supper is included. **The next Pizza Church** is on **Saturday, July 27th at 5pm** (and every last Saturday of the month).

A MESSAGE FROM DAVID AND LIZ

We would like to express our deep appreciation for Sunday's farewell lunch and all the cards and gifts received, following the wonderful service of celebration to mark All Saints' 150th anniversary. We will be in and out of Bromsgrove over the next couple of weeks so may still see you! We would also love to keep in touch via email or Facebook.

We know you will support all the clergy committed to helping out during the vacancy and will give Revd Ann Cogle a warm welcome when she arrives as Associate Priest at St Godwald's in the autumn. Hopefully it won't be too long before there is a new Team Rector appointed to lead both churches.

With love and thanks for a memorable five years, David and Liz xx

ALL SAINTS'

The WEEKLY CHATTERY MEETINGS are in the Church Hall.

Informal meetings are held weekly on Wednesdays in All Saints' Church Hall from 2.00 to 3.30 pm.



Everyone is welcome to join the chatting and to enjoy a hot drink. You can also join in quizzes, board games or jigsaws if you wish. It is a warm, friendly group of a wide range of ages. Further details from Tessa Carrick on 01527 873135.

CHOIR PRACTICES: Most weeks the choir rehearsals are on **Thursdays** from **5.30 pm to 7.00 pm**.

Members of the Choir are asked to be at church on 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays by 9.50 am for practice before the 10.30 am services. Please contact Ollie Neale regarding the choir and music and to confirm times of practices: <u>ollie.neale@hotmail.co.uk</u>



MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union will meet on the **third Monday** of each month at **2.30pm** at **12, Chapel Street, Bromsgrove**. At each meeting there is a short time of worship, a

speaker and refreshments. All are welcome.

ALL SAINTS' CREAM TEA

Wednesday 14th August 2.00 to 4.00 pm in the Church Hall - **All WELCOME** Tickets £5-00 from members of the Mission Committee (Sue Bryant, Suzanne Thompson, Barbara, Pat and Tessa) Bring and Buy Stall.



Proceeds for the All Saints' Organ Maintenance Fund.

ST GODWALD'S

"THE WAY AHEAD FOR ST GODWALD'S"

As part of the worship, on Sunday 28th July, we will look at the future prospects for our church. Please make every effort to attend either of the services, encourage others to come, hear the suggestions and help to contribute to the process going forward.

TOTWALDS

Totwalds is our worship time in church for 0-5 year-olds and their parents/carers. There is always a story, lovely songs and an activity. Everyone is welcome at **9.30am each Monday morning**. *Totwalds is now enjoying the Summer break; back again in September!*

TUESDAY WALKS_meet on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. **Please note that the next walk** is on **23rd July 2024 at 10.00 am** starting from the Ruth Heald Room and returning at 12 noon for refreshments.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SERVICE

Join us in the Ruth Heald Room at 10.00 am for Worship followed by refreshments.

Communion Services will be on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays and Morning Worship on the alternate Wednesdays.

ST GODWALD'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ:

The Community Café is open *every alternate Friday*. The next café will be **Friday 19th July 2024** 10.00 am until 12 noon.

No charge but donations always very welcome



STRAWBERRY CREAM TEA

The Friends of St Godwald would like to thank everyone who helped and supported the Cream Tea last Saturday. A wonderful **£523.00** was raised!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 14th August: Cream Tea 2.00-4.00pm in All Saints' Church Hall, for charity.

Saturday 7th September: Heritage Weekend at All Saints' Church

Saturday 30th November: All Saints' Christmas Bazaar

FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

Pat Cattell Kath Pitt

The Christian Union at South Bromsgrove High School

Please pray for the youngsters and for the emergence of appropriate adult leadership. Please pray too for the termly online prayer meetings that are held to support the school.

Please include our schools – first, middle and high – in our prayers.

CHURCH REGISTERS

BAPTISMS:

Harley Grayson Mark Ford	 4th August (St Godwald's)
Eliana-Grey Kallie Vollrath	 4th August (St Godwald's)

WEDDINGS:

Heather Clunie and Ben Doolan - 21st September (St Godwald's)

MONTHLY PATTERN of SERVICES at ALL SAINTS' and St GODWALD'S:

1st Sunday: 8.00 am Holy Communion CW at All Saints'
10.30am Joint Holy Communion CW at St Godwald's
6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom

2nd Sunday: 9.00am Holy Communion BCP at St Godwald's
 10.30 am Joint Holy Communion CW at All Saints'
 6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom.

3rd Sunday: 8.00 am Holy Communion CW at All Saints.
 10.30am Holy Communion CW at St Godwald's
 10.30 am Morning Worship at All Saints'.
 6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom

4th Sunday: 9.00 am Holy Communion BCP at St Godwald's 10.30 am Holy Communion CW at All Saints'.
10.30 am Morning Worship at St Godwald's.
6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom.

5th Sunday: Team Service in various churches.

First Saturday:5.00pm Soul and Sense at All Saints'Last Saturday:5.00pm Café/Pizza Church at St Godwald's

St Godwald's and All Saints' Services for AUGUST:

Saturday 3rd August:

5.00 pm All Saints': Soul and Senses Service led by Rev'd Deb Buckley and Gill Gould

Sunday 4th August: Trinity 10

8.00 am All Saints': Said Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd Sue Humphries.

10.30 am St. Godwald's: Joint Holy Communion (CW) with All Saints' led by Rev'd David Lingwood

6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom led by Tessa Carrick.

Sunday 11th August: Trinity 11

9.00 am St. Godwald's: Holy Communion (BCP) led by Rev'd Sue Humphries.

10.30 am All Saints': Joint Holy Communion (CW) with St Godwald's6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom led by Rosemary Sumner

Sunday 18th August: Trinity 12

8.00 am All Saints': Said Holy Communion led by Rev'd Sue Humphries.10.30 am St. Godwald's: Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd NikkiGroake, Archdeacon

10.30 am All Saints': Morning Worship - led by Pam Rosewarne and Sue Ward.

6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom led by Judith Rowe.

Sunday 25th August: Trinity 13

9.00 am St. Godwald's: Holy Communion (BCP) led by Rev'd Sue Humphries.

10.30 am St Godwald's: Morning Worship led by Emma Morris and Judith Rowe

10.30 am All Saints': Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd Deb Buckley6.00 pm Evening Gathering on Zoom led by Rosemary Sumner.

Saturday 31st August: 5.00 pm St Godwald's Café/Pizza Church led by Kirsten MacDonald

OUR VICAR'S FAREWELL by Judith Rowe

Five years have gone just like that in a mere blink of the eye We are now all 5 years older as we let out one great sigh What you have done in your five years will stay and carry on Our churches here in Bromsgrove God willing will go on New friendships have developed slowly the tide will turn The realisation Gods great plan will dispel all our concern It didn't start that smoothly just after your arrived A massive virus hit the world too many people died "Stay in" the message was sent out by Government with grim faces You are not allowed to leave your home forget your favourite places The doors of churches everywhere will all be locked for now But we all knew that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow Then suddenly we found out Zoom could solve some of our woes David was the techy one how he knew (well no one knows) But suddenly we meet again sat at home we all zoomed in Just like a séance meeting someone shouts "I can't get in" But David ever patient explained just what you do "Move that plant that's to your left because that will spoil your view" And we got there, and we managed, and we said our prayers and sung That day will come and once again the church bells will be rung And slowly we were all allowed to venture out some more To breath the air so fresh was Gods will for us I'm sure Despite the months of nervousness and pressure for us all One man remained quite steadfast in answering his call Many things were changing new ideas kept coming through Café Church was opened, and at first with just a few But suddenly the word got round "join in and see what you can do" There's Pizza and there's singing and then we have our prayers If you are little or are all grown up well no one really cares Working through this time we all saw the strength you had Keeping calm and focused through the good times and the bad But now is your time, sad for us but new projects beckon you With Liz and dogs and cat as well, you are off to pastures new

All Saints Church, Bromsgrove **1874-2024 Anniversary Celebrations** Serving our Community in Faith and Love



Saturday 20thFlute Recital1pmElizabeth Haining and Oliver Neale

Summer Fair

2pm-5pm

Saturday 27th Come and Sing Join the instant choir to sing Faure's Requiem in a day! <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/come-and-sing-vivaldi-gloria-and-faure-requiem-registration-</u> 812452937607?aff=oddtdtcreator&keep_tld=1

150 YEAR ANNIVERSARY CONCERTS

As part of **All Saints' 150 year Anniversary Celebrations** there will be a **Church Concert Series**, details of which are on the attached poster. The online booking page for the Come and Sing event,

is <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/come-and-sing-vivaldi-gloria-and-faure-requiem-registration-</u>

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All of the concerts are **Free to attend** with a suggested donation of £5, unless otherwise stated.

For participants wishing to register for the **Come and Sing!** on the 27th July, participants can register online via Eventbrite, or by contacting Ollie Neale at <u>ollie.neale@hotmail.co.uk</u>.



Here is an online <u>link</u> to the Concert Series Trailer Video which will only work for those reading the Newsletter online!

https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/1p7q2ouajyxbtzbqn9lui/2024-Concert-Series-Trailer.mov?rlkey=ce3wcqg4slxp4ig5zwxgjdmxi&e=1&dl=0

CONTACT DETAILS:

Lauren Jones – Parish Administrator (For all enquiries including the booking of Church Halls) St Godwald's Office: 01527 577759 pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 9.30am-2.30pm.

All Saints' Church Wardens: Sue Ward 0121 453 3180 and Sue Bryant 01527 835728 St Godwald's Church Wardens: Caroline Spencer 01527 832414 and Norman Hewer 01527 871722

All Saints' Organist and Choirmaster Ollie Neale, email: <u>ollie.neale@hotmail.co.uk</u>

All Saints' Safeguarding Lead: Gill Gould 07824 368584 St Godwald's Safeguarding Lead: Catherine Maund 07788 418045

Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor: Hilary Higton 07495 060869

Information for the Newsletter:

Please let me have any news or items for next week's Newsletter from either St Godwald's or All Saints' by 12 noon on Tuesday, Thank you, Catherine Maund: <u>cmaund1@sky.com</u>