Prayer Focus

All those involved with the preparation of our Christmas Services

Pray for the sick Especially for Christopher Rogers, Kathleen Warren, Mary, Lydia & Bob Marks, Wendy Barley, Katie Jones, Zoe Greenwood, Charlie (aged 3), Paula Warren, Jean Taylor, Barbara Beveridge, Reg Bolton, Andy Seale, Matthew Reeve, Dennis Clayton, Doreen Clayton (in hospital), Megan Jones, Sheila Cosby, William Barber, Ruth Cutfield, Peter Wright, Peter Manning, Angela Taylor, Glen Hancock, Rachel Freeman, Stella Welch (nee Shaw) and Angela Underhill.

Pray for those mentioned in Grapevine



A collection crate is in the church foodbank centre foyer, along with a list of items that they would like to

receive. This month they particularly need canned mixed vegetables, porridge oats and biscuits. Thank you for your continued support.

Pray for the bereaved

Especially for the family and friends of the late Edna Lloyd, David Griffiths, Tim Woodruff, Irene Roberts, Geoffrey Briggs. Vera Wheeler, Raymond Long and Norma Lord.

Pray for those bereaved a year ago

Especially for the family and friends of the late Anne Simkiss.



Dawne Rendell Care Group Co-ordinator

Information relating to the Care Group is in the leaflet rack in Church

Keep in touch

Office hours 9am-3pm Monday to Friday

There are plenty of ways to contact the church:

Call 01244 322056 to speak to our vicar Rev John Kirkland or our administrator Helen Dymond or email: office@allsaints.church

Call 01244 345649 for church centre bookings or to speak to our centre manager Christina Beveridge or email: centre@allsaints.church

Our web address is www.allsaints.church Follow us on Twitter @allsaintshoole



NOTICES **SUNDAY 11TH DECEMBER 2016**



Good morning! Welcome to All Saints and thank you for joining us to worship Almighty God. This morning we continue our series "Living the Kingdom - 10. The two ways". Our reading today is Matthew 7:13-29 and our sermon will be preached by John Benson. Please do stay for refreshments after the service.

Nativity treasure hunt

Join us as we try to track down the Nativity characters running around Hoole. Find them all, collect their treasure and bring it back to All Saints to finish the story

17th December 3.00-5.00pm

The trail begins at Premier Roberts Family Store Cedar Grove, Hoole

Next Sunday's Services

9.00am - Holy Communion 10.45am - Nativity Service 6.30pm - Carol Service

Student Christmas

Lunch will be held in the church centre. If you would like to join us for lunch then please meet at the back of church after the 10.45am Service.

About Us

We don't take a **collection** during the service, but giving boxes are available at the entrances.

Song sheets (including large print) are available from welcomers. Please ask. We have a **hearing loop** system, please switch your hearing aid to the T position. Our music group leads a time of worship before the 10.45am service. The words are displayed on the screen so please feel free to join in the singing.

Crèche facilities for the under-3s are in Sparrow room in the Church Centre, where the service is relaved onto a TV screen. Children can be taken to it at any time.

Everyone working with children, young people and vulnerable adults at All Saints is DBS (formerly CRB) checked.

This week at All Saints Church....

HOUSEGROUP SOCIALS

Monday 12th Tuesday 13th	10.00-11.30am 1.00-2.30pm 7.30pm 5.00-6.00pm	Minis Nativity and Christmas Party Dinkies Baby Group Carol Service Rehearsal Rainbows
Wednesday 14th	7.30-8.15am 9.55am-12 noon 1.00-2.30pm	Pause for Prayer Bible Study Fellowship (Women's class) Little Acorns
Thursday 15th	9.30am 5.00-6.30pm 7.15pm 7.30pm	Toddler Praise B-it Youth Theatre Bell Ringing Practice Carol Service Rehearsal
Friday 16th	7.00pm	B-it Performance
Saturday 17th	3.00-5.00pm 7.00pm	Nativity Treasure Hunt from Premier Roberts Family Store, Cedar Grove B-it Performance



Volunteers are needed to serve mulled wine and mince pies after the Carol Service. Please let the office staff know if you are able to help. Thank you.



SPECIAL MESSAGE Today, 4-6pm

Carol Service rehearsals for our Carol Service on 18th December

Monday Dec 12th and Thursday Dec 15th [all these at 7.30pm] Sunday Dec 18th in the afternoon, before the Service in the evening.

The Traidcraft Stall

Come and see Patience and Victoria after the 10.45am
Service. We still have lots of Christmas goodies for sale including Christmas cards and decorations.

Christmas Trees

available from the Community Centre car park, Westminster Road, 9am-8pm. For every tree sold, a donation will be made to the centre. Please support if you can.

Safeguarding Training

Certificates have been emailed to all who attended the evening in November, please check your junk mail folders!

DIARIES FOR 2017

Coming soon!!! Proceeds will go to All Saints Care Group





The CATH sleep-out is now done and dusted. If you kindly sponsored one of the team, and you haven't already paid up, please will you do so as soon as you can? And if you haven't yet sponsored us - it's not too late to do so. See one of the team to add your name (and money!) to the list.

Thanks <u>very</u> much for all the generosity shown so far!



Christmas Cards for the Church family

can be pinned to the board at the back of church.

The money that you save by sending just one card to the whole church can be placed (in an envelope) in the basket. This year we will be supporting WaterAid.

To find out more about the work of WaterAid to go www.wateraid.org/uk