

Prayer Focus
PCC Committees

Pray for the sick Especially for Peggy Gough, Cassia Mainuddin, Sophie Stubbs, Simon Rendell, Ruth Cutfield, Peter Wright, Peter Manning, Daisy (aged 3), Susan Coates-Whay, Mary Lavery, Catherine Wilson, Alexander Barber, Fred Theobald, Peter Theobald, Kim Turton, Angela Taylor, Peter Fabian, Jean Mothersole, Mary Maddocks, Glen Hancock, Joshua Jones (son of Chris and Kelly Jones), Trevor Jones, Sheila Wynne, Mary Wallace, Adam Czerwinski, Martin Jenner, Rachel Freeman, David Pawson, Stella Welch (nee Shaw), Tony Doyle, Angela Underhill, Joyce Kirby, Kay Hope, Cath Reeve, Sister Pippa CHN, David Roberts, Andrea Wood, Carl Rathbone and Edward Ellis.

Pray for those mentioned in Grapevine

Pray for the bereaved Especially for the family and friends of the late Jean Dawson, Glenys Bellis, Eileen Serreira and James Beesley.

Pray for those bereaved a year ago Especially for the family and friends of the late Myrtle Jeffs and Lesley Walters-Delamere.

Care Group All Saints



Tel: 07711 425 366
Dawne Rendell
Care Group Co-ordinator

Please see the Care Group table 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
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All Saints Church

GROWING • LOVING • SERVING

Sunday 17th April 2016 Good morning! Welcome to All Saints and thank you for joining us to worship Almighty God. This morning we start our new series **“Encountering God: 1. Encountering the compassion of God”**. Our reading today is Exodus 3:1-15 and our sermon will be preached by Vicki Bulgin. Please do stay for refreshments after the service.



Next Sunday's Services

9.00am - Holy Communion
10.45am - Morning Praise
6.00pm - Sunday@6



Church Weekend Away

14th - 16th October 2016

Booking forms will be coming out in a few weeks time.

Do put the date in your diary!!



Housegroups start again this week.

Please pick up your discussion guide today.

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 relayed 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....

HOUSEGROUPS ARE MEETING THIS WEEK

Monday 18th	8.45am-2.30pm 10.00-11.30am 1.00-2.30pm	C Café Minis Toddler Group Dinkies Baby Group
Tuesday 19th	8.45am-2.30pm 4.00-6.00pm 5.00-6.00pm 7.30pm	C Café Big Time Tuesday (11-18yrs) Rainbows Deo Gratias Choir
Wednesday 20th	7.30-8.15am 9.55am-12 noon	Pause for Prayer Bible Study Fellowship (Women's class)
Thursday 21st	8.45am-2.30pm 9.30am 2.30-4.00pm 5.00-6.30pm 7.00pm 7.15pm	C Café Toddler Praise Senior Residents' Fellowship B-it Youth Theatre Alpha Course Week 1 Bell Ringing Practice
Friday 22nd	8.45am-2.30pm 10.00-11.30am 1.30-4.00pm	C Café Minis Toddler Group Craft Club
Saturday 23rd	10.00-11.30am 1.30 for 2.00pm 5.30 for 6.00pm	The Drama Bits/B-it Junior Theatre Grp Cinema Afternoon Cinema Night



Cinema Afternoon and Night

on Saturday 23rd April.

In the afternoon we will be showing 'Lady in a Van', arrive 1.30 for 2pm. The evening showing will be 'Inside Out', arrive 5.30 for 6pm. Tickets available from Christina and the church office.

We are a Fairtrade Church and have a regular Fairtrade stall on Sundays. Why not visit our **Café** during the week, where fair-trade and locally produced items are available? We are **usually** open on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8.45am - 2.30pm but please always check the weekly diary above.

Penny, Sheila,
Laura and
the team



Please check out the community notice board in the church centre foyer for
BUY
SELL
BORROW
Items

Please use the slips provided

The Traidcraft Stall
Come and have a look after the 10.45 service or at Café during the week. We have some new lines for you to try too so come along and help support Fair Trade.



LOOKING TO SHARE TRANSPORT FROM HOOLE LANE TO BIRKENHEAD Liscard Village/ WALLASEY.

I'm looking for anyone that travels daily from Hoole to Birkenhead/ Liscard Village/ Wallasey. Will share fuel costs on a monthly basis. Please contact me via email michelle.gebhardt09@yahoo.co.uk
Michelle Gebhardt

NIGHT CHURCH (2nd and 4th Saturday of each month) Please pray for the safety of our Night Church Team; Angela Underhill, William Barber, Stephen Beveridge and Sarah Dale and for all those people they come into contact with.

STREET PASTORS Please pray for our five street pastors; Carole Frost, Jim Ellis, Ken Wood, Sarah Cornes and Steve Tynegate, who try to show love and grace to people partying in the city centre on a Friday and Saturday night.



A collection crate is in the church centre foyer, along with a list of items that they would like to receive. This month they particularly need **tinned meat, noodles & UHT milk**. Thank you for your continued support.

Gill Holt would like to thank you all for the cards and lovely flowers she received on her 70th birthday

CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL The revised Electoral Roll is on display at the back of church. Please take a minute to check the details of your entry. Corrections can be made but no more names can be added until after the APCM on 27th April.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

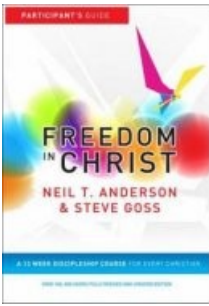
Wednesday 27th April 2016 at 7.30pm in Church

You are warmly invited to attend the APCM, as we give thanks for God's faithfulness and share the vision for All Saints in the year to come. Any other business for the agenda to John Kirkland by today, Sunday 17th April.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS

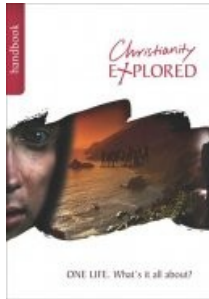
WE SHALL ELECT OUR TWO CHURCH WARDENS TO SERVE FOR THE NEXT YEAR AND FOUR PCC MEMBERS TO SERVE FOR THREE YEARS. NOMINATION FORMS ARE ON THE BLUE NOTICE BOARD IN CHURCH.

The Annual and Statutory Reports are now available to read on our website www.allsaints.church
If however you require a paper copy, these can be found at the back of church.



Freedom in Christ

I would recommend Freedom in Christ to every Christian, even if you have been a Christian for years. It is based firmly on the Truth portrayed in the Bible and shows us how we can get the Truth to set us free to be the Believer that God believes we can be. Everybody who was on the last course has said how good this course was. This time the course will be led by John Patterson, Kate Kirkland and William Barber, so speak to one of them or to Ron or Helen Glenn if you want more information.



Christianity Explored

This course is for new Christians, but is also suitable for those who are still just looking. It looks at the person of Jesus through the eyes of the Gospel of Mark. It involves working gradually through that gospel and discussing what it has to say about what Jesus means to us today. This course will be presented by Stephen Beveridge and Helen Glenn, so speak to one of them, or myself, if you want more information.

Both these courses start along with Alpha on Thursday Evening 7pm for drinks followed by a meal at 7:15pm. All these courses involve a DVD presentation and free discussion.

Finally, have you prayed about people on your front line? Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you to invite someone to Alpha this week (if you haven't already done so). Don't feel guilty if you haven't and certainly don't feel guilty if they say no. It may take more than one prayer and one invite over the years before someone takes the plunge. But if you can invite someone, please do so, and if possible offer to come with them. Do let us know though for catering purposes. There are invites available at the back of Church.

Ron Glenn
alpha@allsaints.church

Ron & Helen Glenn
Alpha Co-ordinators for All Saints, Hoole
alpha@allsaints.church
<http://www.allsaints.church/alpha>



APPEAL FOR A DEFIBRILLATOR FOR ALL SAINTS

A defibrillator is a piece of equipment that can be used by anyone to help someone who is having a heart attack. Several user groups have asked Christina whether we have a defibrillator on site and it would also seem to make sense to have one available for the church family.

The technology is both tested and available. No special training is necessary, the equipment tells you what to do, and won't work if it is not needed. David Cottier has very graciously used his contacts in the medical equipment world to find us an extremely good unit at a price that cannot be beaten! We estimate that we will need a budget of £2k to buy the unit, install it and run a power supply to keep it charged. If you would like to support this project to provide a defibrillator for All Saints please mark your donations "defib" and give them to Roy, Christina or myself.

Thank you,
Steve Tynegate

The new 2016 range of handmade candles by Angela are now on sale in the Craft Café (20 hours burning time for £5) New fragrances include:- black raspberry & vanilla, pineapple & jasmine, beach babe



Save the Children

London Marathon update one week to go!

Many thanks to everyone who has so generously sponsored Geoff to run the London Marathon to raise funds for Save the Children, his total is now nearly £1,800 but is hoping to reach £3,000. He will be praying as he runs on April 24th, for everyone who is on the church prayer list. It isn't too late to sponsor Geoff on line at virginmoneygiving.com/GeoffCollins or www.justgiving.com/Geoff-Collins2. His running number is 46585 if anyone wants to track his progress with the VM online tracking system!

THE BEST EXOTIC "NOT-PUB" PUB QUIZ!

Date ~ Saturday 7th May

Time ~ 6:00pm for 6:30pm start

Venue ~ All Saints Church Centre, 2 Vicarage Rd, Chester CH2 3HZ

All in aid to raise funds for Hannah Wilkinson's trip to Congo.

Adults ~ £5.00

Concessions ~ £3.00

Ticket includes admission to "THE BEST EXOTIC "NOT-PUB" PUB QUIZ!" plus food. Bring your favourite drink!

Please see Hannah or Elaine for details.

Bluebell Walk

HOSPICE
OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

in aid of the Hospice & Tushingham Church

Sunday 24th April 2016

2pm - 5pm

Tushingham Hall, SY13 4QP

by kind permission of Peter Moore - Dutton

£5 Admission fee

inc. Tea & Scone. Cake, produce

& bric-a-brac stalls

(Children free, Dogs on leads welcome)

For further details, call Sarah Collard on:

☎ 01948 860 294



Hoole Quarter

MAY DAY FESTIVAL

FAULKNER STREET & CHARLES STREET

SUNDAY MAY 1ST, 11AM TO 5PM

Live Music From

THE RODDAI

A PAIR OF BROGUES

DAN PEARCE

(AS SEEN ON BRITAIN'S GOT TALENT)
SHEM AND THOR

Street Stalls

INTERNATIONAL

& LOCAL FOOD

ART & CRAFT

VINTAGE CLOTHING
HOG ROAST

For The Children

ENTERTAINMENT
ART AND CRAFTS

"COOL HOOLE"
ART COMPETITION



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