

Intercessions

Please email frauke.parrish@gmail.com or phone 01622 756002 to add/remove names of this list.

Please pray for these and their families

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| Alan Gupwell | Audrey Little |
| Harry Harbert | John Coates |
| Brian & Elizabeth Coleman | Jeff Fernet Randall |
| Ken and Stella Bridges | Jane Sadler |
| Jeff & Beryl Foxley | Revd Kes Grant |
| Dawn Gamble | Jean Williamson |
| John Spencer | Winnie Thompson |
| Daphne Holland | Jane Wearne |
| Shirley Lawrence | Vera Alflatt |
| Pat Manser | Mildred Moss |
| John and Diana Caley | Daphne Lee |

The departed and all who mourn their passing

Margaret Terry

Notices

Mollie- would like to thank the Parish very much for the lovely THANK YOU rose and the garden gift vouchers. It has been an honour to serve as Churchwarden for all of our Parish and the three churches. I thank all who has helped and worked with me and hope you will now all support the present Churchwardens Denise Joy & Lionel Marchant.

A Summer of Hope Garden Party in aid of Mother's Union Projects – Will be held in Mary & Brian's garden in Weaving on Tuesday 13th June 2.30-4.30pm. Please book with Mary so that there is sufficient cake & strawberries. Contact Mary on 631368 or shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com.

Help Needed at All Saints- Can you spare time to help clean our church? If you want to be part of our rota/team please speak to Mollie Neaves Tel 759321

Waypoint Project - Finding our way together imagine everyone in our community talking to each other about God to God. If you want to see this happen why not read the leaflet displayed at the back of church and get involved.

Wholeness and Healing Service – Our next service will be held in All Saints on Wednesday 17th May 7pm. For more details talk to Mary Shaw or contact on 01622 631368 – shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com

A Summer Lunch in aid of the All Saints Heritage Trail- will be held at Mary and Brian's house in Weaving on Saturday 10th June @ 12.30 for 1pm. Tickets cost £20 each from Mary Shaw or contact on 01622 631368 or shaw12cornflower@btinternet.com

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and ST STEPHEN, TOVIL

www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk

14th May 2017

The Fith Sunday Of Easter

At All Saints

Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist begin on page 142 and the service starts on page 237.

Music for the 9.30am Parish Eucharist Service: Ireland in C

NEH 205 Christ is made the sure foundation
NEH 107 Good Christian men
NEH 445 Rock of ages, Cleft for me
NEH 484 The Church's one foundation

Communion Motets

O taste and see - Vaughan Williams

Clare Benediction - Rutter

Psalm after Dismissal: Psalm 31 vv 1-8

We welcome James Paul David Beckford and family on this his baptism day!

11.00am Family Service with Baptism at St Philips

Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am and 11.00am Service.

What's on this Week

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| Tuesday | 16th May |
| 10.00am - Noon | Coffee & Chat at St Philip's |
| Wednesday | 17th May |
| 10.00-12.00 | St Philip's Toddlers at St Philip's |
| 7pm | Wholeness & Healing Service at All Saints |
| Thursday | 18th May |
| 12.00 Noon | Said Eucharist at All Saints |
| Sunday | 21st May |

The Sixth Sunday Of Easter

8.00am BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints

9.30am Parish Eucharist at All Saints

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philip's

11.00am Café Sundae at St Stephens

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

Readings for the main Eucharist next Week

Acts 17.22-31, 1Peter 3.13-end, John 14.15-21

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU ☺

CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today

COLLECT

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

READING Acts 7.55-end

But filled with the Holy Spirit, he gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. 'Look,' he said, 'I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!' But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, 'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, 'Lord, do not hold this sin against them.' When he had said this, he died.

READING 1 Peter 2.2-10

Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation, if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in scripture: 'See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.' To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe, 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the very head of the corner', and 'A stone that makes them stumble, and a rock that makes them fall.' They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

GOSPEL John 14.1-14

'Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling-places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going, 'Thomas said to him, 'Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?' Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him. Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

POST COMMUNION

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.