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Intercessions

Please pray for these and their families

John & Diana Caley	Jean Williamson
Sheila Findlay & Family	Revd Kes Grant
Ken & Stella Bridges	Vera Alflatt
Clive & Andrea Lever	Millie Moss
Derek & Sue Parker	Audrey Little
Alan Gupwell	John Bull
Ray Stephens & Family	Dawn Gamble
Daphne Holland	Alistair & Ruth
Valerie	Theresa Lever
Chris CSJD	Eddie
JohnJoe Flood	

The departed and all who mourn their passing
Cyril Findley

Notices

Parish Outing 25th July – 1st pickup bus-stop Hastings road at 9.45am. 2nd pick-up Boots King St at 10.00am. Leaving Margate around 4pm. Cost £20 (£5 Children) which includes coach fare a pot of tea and cake (not lunch). Please see poster in church for more details. Thanks Frauke.

Cake Sale for Great Ormond Street – Thank you so much to everyone who supplied cakes, came and bought cakes and made donations to the above event. We raised the amazing sum of £78.10. Diane

Tea & Cake in the Garden – You are all invited to join Barbara for Tea & Cake in the Garden at St Philips Church on Sunday 5th August 3pm-5.30pm. Cost is £3 per person. All Proceeds go to St Philips Church. Please contact Barbara Cook on 01622 671782

General Synod Election – We are electing 1 Lay Representative for Canterbury Diocese. Please give it some thought and prayer, there might be someone in our deanery who is the right person to take on this very important role. Contact Diane Enfield. Our 4 lay Representatives for Maidstone Deanery are: Robin Fassentfelt, Jessica O'sullivan, Janet Parkinson and Clare Torrens. They will take up their seats on the 31st August.

Deanery Prayer for July - Please see Community and the notice boards for further details.

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Our Facebook Page: "All Saints with St Philip and St Stephen Maidstone"

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ALL SAINTS with ST PHILIP, MAIDSTONE

And ST STEPHEN, TOVIL

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15th July 2018

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity
The 100th Anniversary of the
founding of the R.A.F
At All Saints

Readings at the 8.00am Said Eucharist begin on page 167 and the service starts on page 237.

Music for the 9.30am Parish Eucharist
Service: **Addington**

NEH 372 He who would valiant be

NEH 342 Breathe on me, Breath of God

NEH 268 Of the glorious body telling

O ruler of the earth and sky (the words can be found on the separate sheet)

Communion Motets:

Lead me, Lord – S S Wesley

Lord, I trust Thee - Handel

Psalm after the Dismissal: Psalm 65

Organ Voluntary – R.A.F. March Past –
H Walford Davies

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips

11.00am Baptism Service at All Saints

6.00pm Maidstone Singers Concert at All Saints

We welcome Harriet Brown & Lexi Jiles and families on this their Baptism Day!

Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am & 11.00am Service

What's on this Week

Tuesday **17th July**
10.00am-12noon Coffee & Chat at St Philips C & C

Wednesday **18th July**
10.00am – 12noon St Philips Toddlers at St Philips

Thursday **19th July**
No Mid-day Eucharist at All Saints – due to building works

Sunday **22nd July**

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am BCP Said Eucharist at All Saints

9.30am Choral Eucharist at All Saints

11.00am Parish Eucharist at St Philips

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints

Readings for the main Eucharist next week

2 Sam. 7.1-14a Mark 6.30-34, 53-end

CW Eucharistic Readings & Prayers today

COLLECT

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Reading 2.Samual 6.1-5, 12b-19

David again gathered all the chosen men of Israel, thirty thousand. David and all the people with him set out and went from Baale-judah, to bring up from there the ark of God, which is called by the name of the Lord of hosts who is enthroned on the cherubim. They carried the ark of God on a new cart, and brought it out of the house of Abinadab, which was on the hill. Uzzah and Ahio, the sons of Abinadab, were driving the new cart with the ark of God; and Ahio went in front of the ark. David and all the house of Israel were dancing before the Lord with all their might, with songs and lyres and harps and tambourines and castanets and cymbals. It was told King David, 'The Lord has blessed the household of Obed-edom and all that belongs to him, because of the ark of God.' So David went and brought up the ark of God from the house of Obed-edom to the city of David with rejoicing; and when those who bore the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed an ox and a fatling. David danced before the Lord with all his might; David was girded with a linen ephod. So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.

As the ark of the Lord came into the city of David, Michal daughter of Saul looked out of the window, and saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord; and she despised him in her heart.

They brought in the ark of the Lord, and set it in its place, inside the tent that David had pitched for it; and David offered burnt-offerings and offerings of well-being before the Lord. When David had finished offering the burnt-offerings and the offerings of well-being, he blessed the people in the name of the Lord of hosts, and distributed food among all the people, the whole multitude of Israel, both men and women, to each a cake of bread, a portion of meat, and a cake of raisins. Then all the people went back to their homes.

Reading Ephesians 1.3-14

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the

purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

Gospel Mark 6.14-29

King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, 'John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him.' But others said, 'It is Elijah.' And others said, 'It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old.' But when Herod heard of it, he said, 'John, whom I beheaded, has been raised.' For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. For John had been telling Herod, 'It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife.' And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, 'Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it.' And he solemnly swore to her, 'Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom.' She went out and said to her mother, 'What should I ask for?' She replied, 'The head of John the baptizer.' Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, 'I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.' The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

Gospel Acclamation (All Saints Only)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia We do not live by / bread alone, but by every word that / comes from / the mouth / of God. **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia**

POST COMMUNION

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU