

Parish Notices

The Funeral for Bob Macham - The funeral service will be held at Vinters Crematorium, Maidstone, on Wednesday 1st September at 12.30pm. Members of the congregation are welcome to attend.

If you would like to view the Funeral Service online please use the details below.

Website <https://watch.obitus.com>
User name jore 2503
Password 071894
Webcast Live Webcast and watch again.

Zoom Service kindly offered by St Martins Church - Thursday Morning Holy Worship 10.00am
St Martin's Church Zoom Link for Services
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/866070731>

Future Services September - November

September 2021

05 th Sept	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
12 th Sept	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
19 th Sept	Joint Eucharist	St Philips
26 th Sept	Joint Eucharist	All Saints

October 2021

03rd Oct	Joint Eucharist	St Philips
10 th Oct	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
17 th Oct	Joint Eucharist	St Philips
24 th Oct	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
31 st Oct	Joint Service of the Word	St Philips

November 2021

07 th Nov	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
14 th Nov	Joint Eucharist	St Philips
21 st Nov	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
28 th Nov	Joint Service of the Word	St Philips

The Parish of All Saints
With St Philip, Maidstone and
St Stephen, Tovil
www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk

Sunday 29th August 2021
The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity



**10.00am Joint Eucharist Service
at All Saints**

Hymns

NEH 456 - Teach me my God and King

NEH 333 - All my hope on God is founded

The Churchwardens and P.C.C. have agreed to future services on a trial basis. There will be Stewarding to ensure Government Guidelines are adhered to.

- Continue to encourage wearing of Face Masks in Church
- Register on entry.
- Stewards will direct you on entry and exit.
- No gatherings inside or outside the buildings.

Next week's Service

Sunday 05th September 2021
The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity
Climate Sunday
10am Joint Eucharist Service at All Saints

Collect

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Reading

James 1:17-27

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no

variation or shadow due to change. In fulfilment of his own purpose, he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures. You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore, rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and, ongoing away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing. If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

Gospel

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around him, they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?' He said to them, 'Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written, "This people honours me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching human precepts as doctrines." You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition.' Then he called the crowd again and said to them, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that

come out are what defile.' For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.'

Post Communion

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Special prayers for those in need

*Matt 5.3 'Blessed are the poor in spirit,
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven'*

Paul Crease, Vera Alflatt, Audrey Little,
Daphne Holland, Nigel Gunyon, Mary Wheeler,
Jane Sadler, Ray Stephens, Debbie Proctor, Roger
Doe

Special Prayers of Hope and Compassion

Departed

Robert (Bob) Macham

Our Prayers are with Pat and their family at this sad time.

David Johnson

Our Prayers are with the family at this sad time.

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Our Facebook Page:

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If anyone would like to add anything to the weekly notices please speak to mollieneaves@gmail.com

Additional Notice

50/50 Club

50/50 Club - The August draw took place on 8 August and the winning numbers were as follows:

1st Prize Unit No 7 Joyce Parkinson

2nd Prize Unit No 36 Andrew Marchant

This was the last draw in the 2020/21 Club so many thanks to all those who participated. A total of £1496 was distributed in prize money and the same amount was given to the Restoration Fund.

The 1st draw for the 2021/22 Club will take place in September and it is still not too late to purchase units! We have not yet reached our target of 200 units sold. Please find application forms at the back of the church or speak to myself or Mary.

Brian Shaw

East Fundraising

A huge thank you to all those people who have been using Easyfundraising and Amazon Smile when shopping. So far, a total of £255.72 has been raised. This is an amazing achievement. Please keep up the good work!

https://smile.amazon.co.uk/gp/f.html?C=2JQ2YAJ6Q58G5&K=2LBJ752K7S0NR&M=urn:rtn:msg:202105260804473c5867f3b3b54607be0e42cf90d0p0eu&R=129P4BN N977Y4&T=C&U=https%3A%2F%2Fsmile.amazon.co.uk%2Fch%2F1134146-0%3Fref_%3Dpe_4117511_593892291&H=0AH5ZIKCBAJNJ48FYN2GJVR5VD0A&ref_pe_4117511_593892291

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