

# Newsletter and Notices

**8am Holy Communion, in Church**

**10am Commemoration All Souls' Service, in Church & [Zoom](#)**

Come and enjoy fellowship and refreshments in (or outside) the WCC after the 10am service.

You are welcome to share in our worship in the following ways:

**1. Come to Church** All are welcome!

Remember to bring your order of service for the 10am service.

**2. Join Zoom on your computer**

When signed in you can 'Join a Meeting' (ID: 846 662 9590 / Passcode: 834900).

**3. Join with Audio Zoom via phone**

a) Call **0131 460 1196**

b) Enter Meeting ID followed by #, then enter Meeting Passcode followed by #

*You will be muted automatically when you join the 'meeting' (service).*



*The Forerunners of Christ with Saints and Martyrs,*  
Fra Angelico, 1423-1424, National Gallery, London

## Collect for All Saints' Day

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; 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 for ever. Amen.

## A Psalm for All Saints' Day, Psalm 24. 1-6

**Refrain: The Lord of hosts: he is the King of glory.**

The earth is the Lord's and all that fills it,  
the compass of the world and all who dwell therein.

For he has founded it upon the seas and set it firm upon the rivers of the deep. **[R]**

'Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord, or who can rise up in his holy place?'

'Those who have clean hands and a pure heart,  
who have not lifted up their soul to an idol, nor sworn an oath to a lie;

They shall receive a blessing from the Lord, a just reward from the God of their salvation.'

Such is the company of those who seek him,  
of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob. **[R]**

*O Lord of hosts, purify our hearts that the King of glory may come in, your Son,  
Jesus our redeemer. Amen.*

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## A Gospel reading for All Saints' Day, John 11. 32-44

When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days. Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away, and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother. When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home. Martha said to Jesus, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him.' Jesus said to her, 'Your brother will rise again.' Martha said to him, 'I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day.' Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?' She said to him, 'Yes, Lord, I believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world.' When she had said this, she went back and called her sister Mary, and told her privately, 'The Teacher is here and is calling for you.' And when she heard it, she got up quickly and went to him. Now Jesus had not yet come to the village, but was still at the place where Martha had met him. The Jews who were with her in the house, consoling her, saw Mary get up quickly and go out. They followed her because they thought that she was going to the tomb to weep there. When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?' Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is an odour because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

**The readings for the 8am service on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October will be as follows:**

Isaiah 56. 3-8

Psalm 33. 1-12

Hebrews 12. 18-24

Matthew 5.1-12



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**The church is open each day, from early morning to mid afternoon.**  
*An opportunity to spend some comforting time in prayer, peace and reflection.*

**Commemoration All Souls' Service, 10am, this Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October** – A reflective service, with readings, choral music, prayers and lighting of candles. If you would like loved ones to be remembered by name, enter their names CLEARLY IN CAPITALS in the book by the Lady Chapel entrance and please come to the service. All are welcome.

**TLC Club launches, this Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2-4:30pm** – A monthly event on the first Tuesday of the month for anyone who wishes to attend. The idea is for members of our community to be able to join in with tea and talk and perhaps opportunities such as making greetings cards, small flower arrangements, board games ... and then we hope that later each afternoon we will welcome families after school for a short while, to share in reading/play and enjoy a biscuit/cake/fruit snack.

**Holy Communion, Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 10am** – A service of Holy Communion, in church and via Derwyn's Zoom (ID: 846 662 9590 / Passcode: 834900). You can also dial in by phone; instructions on previous page.

**Tiny Tots, Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 11 for 11:15am** – We're delighted to be offering a new style of worship for babies/toddlers and their parents / carers. Join us for refreshments, fellowship and a little chance for the children to play before the service too!

**Prayers for our Community in Church, Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November, 9:30am** A half hour session of informal prayer. All welcome.

**Service of the Word for Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November** – Next Sunday our service at 10am will be special service focusing on the stewardship and integrity of God's creation.

**Remembrance Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> November** – Holy Communion at 8am. Then during the 10am Service of the Word we will be gathering round the War Memorial in the churchyard for our Remembrance Ceremonies. During our Godly Play session we will include Remembrance crafts to be placed at the foot of the memorial.

**Organ Recital with Richard Carr, Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November** – Proceeds to the Bells Appeal. 7-8pm with refreshments afterwards. More details in due course.

**Salisbury Flower Festival 10-12<sup>th</sup> May 2022** – There is a folder in the Publicity Area for people to register interest. Please do so soon so that we can make a definite booking! Any questions, please contact Rosemary Thomson.

**Autumn/Winter church opening** – The Church will be locked at 3:30pm Monday – Thursday. Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays may be a little later to accommodate visitors.

**Are you inspired by the singing from our Choir?** We'd love more people of all ages to join us! If you're interested in singing with the Choir more regularly, please do contact the Parish Office to find out more.

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**Come and share our short session for children and young people during our Sunday 10am service EVERY WEEK!**

We invite children, with their adults, to come into the Lady Chapel during part of the service, and share in a short Godly Play (a visual storytelling of scriptures, with wondering questions for all ages to share together). There will be a display in the Lady Chapel most weeks, if you'd like to find out more!

You might also like to explore the links on our [Children & Young People](#) page. There's a [printable sheet](#) based on today's Gospel reading, which offers a prayer / activities to help young people get to know the person of Jesus.



A recent Godly Play: The camel and the needle

**Director of Music applications invited** – We seek to employ a church musician who can help us all move forward in our worshipping and musical life. An exciting and creative opportunity awaits, as we look to remember and reclaim precious traditions, and also apply new lessons learnt in the recent testing times. The Prospectus for the role, Application Form, and further documentation are on our website [here](#). The deadline for applications is this Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November at 12 noon.

**Considering schools for your little ones? Come join our St Michaels' School Family!** We offer all day provision in Nursery. Do look at our [school website](#) and follow the link for the virtual tour to find out more about our wonderful school and our 'Outstanding' (OFSTED 2019) Early Years.

**Would you like a church kneeler? Perhaps for gardening use?** If you'd like one, perhaps in return for a small donation, please speak to Rosemary.

**Would you like to receive news and information from St Michael's electronically?** May we invite new or newer worshippers to think about completing a Welcome Card, and submitting your email on it if you wish.

**A request for refreshment helpers** – It's great to see so many people sharing fellowship at coffee times again! Would you be willing to join the coffee rota to help occasionally on either Sundays or Wednesdays? If interested, please contact Claire Conquest on 07944 431873.

More details of all services and events are available on the [Calendar](#) page on our website.  
 Do follow us on Social Media too, for regular updates.

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