



All Saints' weekly email: 3rd Sunday before Advent

Dear Friends

It was wonderful to be able to celebrate the Festival with some semblance of normality before entering our second lockdown, which we hope and pray will last no longer than the advertised month. The church building is, sadly, now closed to worshippers and visitors, but **weekday Masses continue to be live-streamed at 12 noon and Sunday Sung Mass at 11am.**

Experience over the past few months has shown that opening All Saints for private prayer makes little sense when we have to close for liturgies: shops, cafes, restaurants and offices around us are closed, few people come in and the building cannot be left unattended.

Happily the new rules allow the choir to be present in the closed church on Sundays to sing the Mass setting and propers as we continue to offer our worship to God. I hope many of you will be able to participate, if only online for the next few weeks.

With grateful thanks to those who made financial contributions during the Festival I have been asked to draw attention to the increasing financial pressures of this time and to ask all of you who generously support All Saints to consider joining the **PARISH GIVING SCHEME**. It has been mentioned here and elsewhere before; the details can be found below under the heading Supporting All Saints. ***Please consider joining the scheme even if you already give by Standing Order. It is a huge help administratively.***

I look forward to welcoming you back to the church building as soon as that is allowed.

Fr Michael

Click on the following links for mass on **SUNDAY**:

[Propers for 3rd Sunday before Advent](#)

[YouTube link for live stream](#)

Sunday's flowers have been given by **Ray Oram**.

This month's **Walsingham Devotion** is **next Saturday**, 14th November at **1130**, before the noon **Mass of Our Lady**.



Prayer List

Prisoners and captives: Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe, Kylie Moore-Gilbert, Ismaeil Maghrebinejad, Nasrin Satoudeh, Ahmed Almour, Mayshee Eyob .
The work of the London Prisons Mission.

The sick:

David Fettke, Joan Cooper, Vallery Tchukov, Sara Vice, Fr Ron Swan, Katherine Lee, Chris Gudgeon, Nicky Yeo, Lorna Smith, Beth Klausning, Hilary Porter, Keith Peers, Marg Ferguson, Bruce Ross-Smith, Benjamin Woolf, James Shrimpton, Tony Rodger, Rachel Pereira, Victor Sharp, Fr Michael Gudgeon, Audrey Williams, Chris and Carole Radley, Fr Harry Hodgetts, Simon Little, Ellie Lyon, Rosemary Orr, John Sibbald, Pat Hawkins, Andrew Rodger, Christine Vaughn Lillie.

Those known to us recently departed:

Philip Oakeshott
Peter Davey
Dolores King

Anniversaries of death:

8th - Dudley Sholté, Arnold Fryer
9th -
10th - John Groves, Alan Bishton
11th - Paul Leyland, Violet Vanbrugh, Malcolm McHaffie *Pr*, Dorothy Cavan
12th - John Mayo *Pr*, Miss CFR Keeble
13th - Arthur Hutchings
14th - Sidney Dines, Annie Searles, George Scott, Ethel Rawll, Sam Thorpe, Graham Hawke, Rachel Clayton

Supporting All Saints

PARISH GIVING SCHEME

Thank you to all who give in various ways to support the work of All Saints. For those who are able to make a financial contribution the details below may be useful.

Our Treasurer suggests that the preferred option for giving (from the parish's point of view) is to sign up to the **Parish Giving Scheme**: it allows contributions to be anonymous and deals with GiftAid, which saves our office a lot of time.

If you would like to do that online you can register at

<https://parishgiving.org.uk/register/>

The Parish Code, which you need to register, is

230623075.

If you don't want to do this online please let us know and the forms can be posted to you.



Donations for general Church purposes: To give by BACS please use the following details, advising the Administrator to collect Gift Aid:

PCC All Saints (Charity # 1132895)

Sort Code 60-09-15.

A/C # 04559452

Parish Legacy Policy We are always delighted to hear from anyone who wants to support us with a donation. Our PCC Legacy Policy encourages people to leave bequests specifically to one of our two related charities to be used for purposes of lasting value (rather than day to day costs):

All Saints Choir & Music Trust (Charity # 802994) or

The All Saints Foundation (Charity # 273390).