

WEEKLY NOTICES

SUNDAY 15th SEPTEMBER 2024

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SERVICES SUNDAY 15th SEPTEMBER

9.30am – Café Church in the Church Hall

11am – Holy Communion

SERVICES SUNDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER

8am – Holy Communion BCP

9.30am – Family Service with Kids' Groups in the Hall

11am – Morning Prayer BCP

Ride and Stride

Every year we take part in the Dorset Historic Churches Trust 'Ride and Stride' that raises funds for historic churches in Dorset. We take a leisurely cycle ride around local Churches and stop on the way for tea and biscuits. We will be setting off from All Saints' Church on

Saturday 14th September at 9.30am



Please join us if you can and make a donation to the Trust. If you cannot make the day, or cycling days are behind you, then perhaps you would consider supporting those who are riding. Many thanks. John Gunton.



Faith and Fellowship

The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 25th September - 10.30am to 12.00pm**. At the home of Kate and Johnty Edwards,
12 Western Avenue.

All are welcome for cake, conversations and fellowship!

Stepping Stones Walk

The next walk will be on **Wednesday 25th September** Stourton Caundle with lunch at The Trooper Inn.



4.5 miles. Meet at Church at **9.30am**.

NEW - Slow Stroller Walks

Do you enjoy walking but **can't walk too far?**

Then join in the new **shorter, slower walks**

with just a **short steady stroll** at your own pace ending with lunch.



The next stroll will be on **Friday 27th September** Canford Park SANG with lunch at The Bear Cross. **Meet outside church at 11am** for car sharing.

No dogs please.

For more details ring Liz Pedley on 07901 016893 or 01202 708629

or Sheila Jackson on 07470 337675 or 01202 251190.

Pick up a leaflet from the porch for details of future walks.

Bereavement Support Group

In the Church Hall on the first Wednesday of every month. The next one will be on **Wednesday 2nd October 2.30pm – 4pm**



Wildlife Group

We are continuing to meet on a **Friday morning** to clear the area along the path to the Bury Memorial. Luke and John the verger have designated 12 graves which we can work with the Beavers, Cubs and Scouts to seed. We have turned over a few turves on each as markers and aim to clear the middle sections on each grave to seed this October with long season perennial meadow mix and top up with annual cornfield mix in the Spring. Do join us from **10am** if you can spare an hour.



Future Dates for your Diary

Harvest Sunday and Bring & Share Lunch –
Sunday 29th September – A joint service for everyone at 10.30am with Kids' Groups – Please bring harvest gifts and and/or something for the Bring & Share Lunch



Silver Sunday at 11am – **Sunday 6th October** – a special service to celebrate older people

Charity Opera Night in Church – **Thursday 24th October** 7pm – 9pm

Quiz Night in the Church Hall – **Friday 22nd November** 6.30pm – 9pm

Job Opportunity

The All Saints' Nursery is seeking to appoint a special person with lots of patience and a kind heart to support a gorgeous little boy with additional needs who we have been asked to accommodate at short notice. This role will be a temporary role, term time only, for approx. 25 hours per week. Please contact Stephanie for more information on 01202 020440 or email allsaintsnursery@yahoo.co.uk .

Fairtrade Fortnight

Fairtrade Fortnight 2024 runs from

9th September to 22nd September

It's 30 years since Fairtrade products came into our shops. Please look out for Fairtrade products to support over 2 million farmers and workers in 58 countries.

Be the Change in 2024 to ensure they earn a fairer wage.



Knit & Natter

Knit & Natter is in the Church Hall on **Fridays between 2.30pm and 4.30pm**

All are welcome!

Poole Foodbank

We have a **box in our Church porch** for Foodbank items.

Please pick up a couple of items with your weekly shop and bring them along to church on a Sunday or any morning during the week.

Any items you can give would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.



10 urgent items needed this week are:

Tinned corned beef, tinned fish, tinned ham, tinned minced beef, tinned soup, tinned tomatoes, tinned vegetables, teabags, toilet rolls, UHT milk.

You can **download the Bank the Food app** to see which items they require urgently each week.

Eco Collections

There are black collection boxes in the porch for **plastic milk carton lids**.



Please do not give plastic lids from other products and please do not leave any other items in the porch.

Thank you.



Also, please continue to save **used stamps** for **The Bible Society**. There is a box in the church porch where you can leave them but please **do not** put other items into the stamps collection box.

Teddies Baby and Toddler Group

Every Monday (term-time)

between 2pm and 3.30pm

Calling all mums, dads, grandparents and carers of babies and pre-schoolers! Come along for a fun time of free play, tea & coffee and great company.



Weekday Prayer Meeting

A half-hour prayer meeting is held in church on

Wednesday mornings at 9.15am.

Come along for this quiet time to pray for our church, our community, and the wider world.

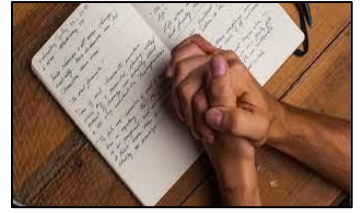


A reminder that we have the **Prayer Box** in the church for all your prayer requests and answers to prayer.

Prayer Diary

We would love you to send in any prayers for the prayer diary concerning the world, our church and the community we serve. With love and prayers 😊 🙏

Howard and the Team



Prayer Requests

Barbara Jenkins, Jackie Cunningham, Joyce Firkin, Sue Thomas, Jennifer Simpkin, and Peter Davidson.

We pray for the bereaved family and friends of Grahame Bolton, Jonathan O'Leary, Murray Rowe and Beryl Hurley.

Also please pray for those approaching the anniversary of their bereavement.

(Please note prayer requests stay on for 4 weeks, after which you need to let the office know if they are to be renewed).

Office Contact Details

The general office email address is office@allsaintsbranksome.org

Luke's email address is luke.steven@allsaintsbranksome.org

Our Families Pastor, Dale's email address is dale.edy@allsaintsbranksome.org

Our curate, Kate Edwards' email address is kate.edwards@allsaintsbranksome.org

The new website address is www.allsaintsbranksome.org

For **urgent prayer requests** contact the Office on 01202 701822 or email Suzie Myatt on doversole@aol.com to activate the **prayer chain**.



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