

SUNDAY 21st NOVEMBER 2021

All Saints' Church, Branksome Park, Poole

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SERVICES

9.30am – Contemporary Family Service with Groups in the Hall

11am – Traditional Holy Communion

6.30pm – Encounter in the Church Hall – Ephesians 5

Eco Tip for this week: Embrace wonky fruit and vegetables! They are often cheaper to buy but taste just as good. Most supermarkets do an “imperfect” range.

Covid Reminder:- Please stay at home if you feel unwell. Do feel free to come with a **mask** to avoid passing infections to others, or other face covering, though children are exempt in all cases (in similar fashion to school policy). We would encourage continued use of the **sanitiser** as you enter and leave the Church. Please be mindful of **social distancing** and be prepared to sit where you are asked by our sides people.

ALL SAINTS NEWS

TEDDIES PLAYGROUP

Babies, Toddlers and Pre-School children are welcome to join us in the Church Hall on **Mondays** from 2:30-4pm. If anyone you know may be interested, please let them know.

ADVENT CALENDARS

Advent calendars are ready for collection from Sarah Smales from **Sunday 21st November**. Please pay with cash - £4.50 each. If there are any questions, please message Sarah on 07791 512694.

FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday 24th November 10.30am til 12pm

Coffee, tea, cake and spiritual chit-chat.

12 Western Avenue. All are welcome!

Any questions please call Kate Edwards 07831 256999

STEPPING STONES WALK

The next Stepping Stones walk will be on **Friday 26th November**. Milford to Barton-on-Sea. A flat walk of about four miles with lunch at The Beach House. Please meet outside Church at 9.30am and lifts will be arranged.

ECO CHURCH MEETING

All interested in our Eco Church commitment are welcome to an informal meeting in the Church Hall at 10am on **Saturday 27th November**. Refreshments will be served! For more information, please see Sarah Smales.

MEN'S EVENING

There will be a Men's Evening on **Thursday 9th December** at The Canford in Canford Cliffs. 7pm for 7.30pm. The price is £30.00. Please pay a £10.00 deposit and give your menu choices to Charlie by 1st December. These can be found at www.thecanford.co.uk

KNIT & NATTER

The Knit & Natter Group meets in the Church Hall on **Fridays between 2-4pm**, all are welcome!

ANIL'S ORPHANAGE COFFEE MORNING

Christine Norman writes:

Many thanks to all those who were able to come to, or contribute towards, the fundraising coffee morning last Friday in aid of Anil's Orphanage in Kathmandu and the Poole Food Bank. It was a wonderful morning and we raised £335 which when combined with funds raised by Liz Pedley with her recycled cards raised a total sum of £500 which has been sent for the children's Christmas presents. Anil has thanked us for our continued support.

Also, four large boxes of Christmas goodies have been delivered to the Poole Food Bank.

POOLE FOOD BANK

The current appeal for PFB is for tinned vegetables, tinned meat products, tinned fish, UHT Milk and coffee, toilet rolls, washing up liquid, washing powder, spray cleaner and wipes.

We thank everyone in advance for their contributions over the coming weeks, as the weather draws in for winter and the needs of others become greater.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS REQUEST

The Office would like to thank everyone for their kind contributions. However, with the closures of many High Streets banks, paying in coins has become extremely challenging. For this reason, payment by cheque or notes is preferable. Thanks, from all who are involved in the Sunday collections. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE POST OFFICE IN CANFORD CLIFFS HAS RE-OPENED. As the campaign used to say in the 1970s and 1980s "Use It Or Lose It".

PRAYERS

Weekday Prayers

Monday and Wednesday mornings – 9:15 – 9:45am in Church. The Church is now open every day.

CLEANING OF CHURCH

Once Upon a Time..... many years ago, there was a wonderful team of “Holy Dusters”, who cleaned the Church in preparation for Sundays. We would love to find a new team of “Holy Dusters” *if people are willing and able to come in to serve the Church in this way*. Please let the office know if you are interested in doing this on a voluntary basis. We thank Chong for all his hard work, especially during Covid, and also Pat Saunders (newly baptised) for her ongoing voluntary work. Chong’s last cleaning will be on 27th November.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Beryl Hurley, Tom Tobin, Greg Hickling, Penny Davidson, Harold Jerams, Jim Barton and John Way.

Pam Jeffries writes:

“We are so happy that Mike has made a complete recovery from his heart attack four weeks ago and is now in very good health. An amazing answer to prayer! Thank you for all your prayers and good wishes, Pam.”

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

Please pray for **grieving family and friends** of Herbert Pugh, Neil Worman, Margaret Jones and Nora Rutherford as well as others approaching the anniversary of their bereavement.

OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the office is **generally** manned all day on Mondays and Tuesdays and in the mornings on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. You can leave a message on the answerphone outside of these times and someone will get back to you.

For urgent prayers requests contact the Office Tel 01202 701 822
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Suzie Myatt on doversole@aol.com
to activate the **prayer chain**.