

# **Newsletter**

Important Notice - Our 10:45am services are being live-streamed.

Please familiarise yourself with the information at the bottom of this page, which is also displayed around the church.

# Join us on Sunday 14th December

Advent 3 - Joy to the World - Luke 2:8-20

**Advent Series: JOY** 

9:00am Holy Communion 10:45am Morning Service 6:00pm Ignite

On Sunday morning All Saints Youth and Kids Church will join together for their Christmas Parties!

#### This Week at All Saints Youth

'After Dark': IGNITE - 6-7pm Social: The Cube - 7-9pm

Don't forget to confirm your attendance on SPOND

#### PRAYER FOCUS

For all those involved in the planning and preparation for our Christmas Services

### IMPORTANT NOTICE



- This service is being live-streamed and recorded to support those unable to attend. The stream and recording may appear online (website, YouTube, social media).
- If you sit in the first three rows or are on the Chancel, you may be visible on camera.
- No Filming Zones: All seating after the first three rows of pews.
- No filming will take place during moments of prayer ministry or during the administering of Holy Communion.
- Please speak to our welcome team or Wardens if you need help.
- Thank you for helping us keep our services accessible to all.



# Weekly Church Calendar

### WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK...

### Monday 15th

Little Lights: 10-11:30am

### Tuesday 16th

Carol Service Rehearsal: 7:30pm

### Wednesday 17th

Bible Study Fellowship: 9:55-11:30am

### Thursday 18th

'Sparrowhawks' Community: 11:30am

### Friday 19th

Carol Service Rehearsal: 7:30pm



Heart & Soul Cafe is now closed for the Christmas Holidays and will open again on Tuesday 6th January 2026.



Thank you to all our customers - we so enjoy serving you!

Thank you to all our faithful volunteers who make it happen throughout the year and a special thank you to everyone who worked tirelessly during 'Christmas in the Cafe' which has been amazing!!!

### **JOB VACANCY**



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# **Pastoral and Discipleship Coordinator**

We are seeking a Lay Worker to build a strong, sustainable discipleship and pastoral framework at All Saints Hoole — coordinating care, delivering key courses, and supporting ministry teams.

This role will help create a joined-up, mission-focused pathway — from first contact to deepening discipleship — ensuring our evangelism and follow-up are intentional, coordinated and Spirit-led.

Further information can be found <u>HERE</u> or by visiting our website www.allsaints.church

# Toy Appeal 2025

Dear All Saints Family,

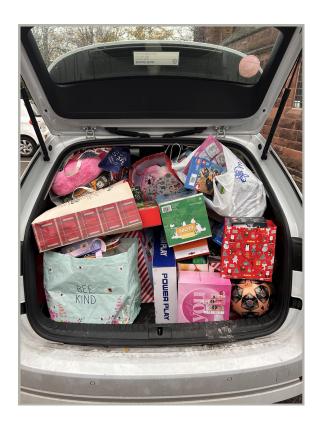
Thank you so so much for your generosity and support towards our Christmas Toy Appeal. It was a great pleasure for Helen, Andy and myself to sort the toys out for Hoole Primary School families in need and KidsBank Chester.

On Monday 1st December is was a delight to be able to drop off a car boot full of beautiful gifts for families in need in Chester. The staff at KidsBank were blown away by your generosity and were busy making up parcels for families in

need.

Every year I feel so honoured to be part of a church family that cares deeply for those in need and shows God's love in this very practical way. So again, a very big thank you to all those who supported this year's Toy Appeal.

### Much love, Gemma





# Christmas at All Saints Hoole

# ALL SAINTS CAROL SERVICE 2025 - SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER, 6:30PM

Rehearsal dates: Tuesday 16th and Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 7:30pm in the main hall. We'd love to have more people to sing in our Carol Service.

Please don't be shy - if you can sing we need you! Have a chat with Vicki Bulgin.



# Christmas at All Saints Hoole

# We need your help! Christingle Services 2025

Bookings for our Christingle Services are filling up! It's such a great opportunity to welcome our local community into church and share the real meaning of Christmas together.

We'd love as many people as possible to be part of making the services happen - we really can't do it without you!

If you can help, please sign up <u>HERE</u>
Your time and support make such a difference — thank you!♥



# **CHRISTINGLE MAKING**

We would love you to join us to put together Christingles for our two services.



WHEN: Tuesday 23rd Dec TIME: 9.30am WHERE: All Saints Church Centre

If you're able to let us know you're coming, please sign up **HERE** or you can just turn up on the day!

# Upcoming Events and News



#### **CAN YOU HELP?**

On the 16th, 17th & 18th December, 1:30-3:30pm, Hoole Primary School will be holding their **Christmas Carol** Services in church and we would love to have people to welcome parents/carers as they arrive. If you're able to help, please speak to Gemma or email her gemma.gaudion@ allsaints.church



# All Saints Sleep Out 2025 - Amazing News!

Adam, Charlie, Chris, Gemma, Helen and Ian have broken the All Saints record for fundraising in a single year.

TARGET 2025 to raise £3,000 To date (10/12/25) we have collected £4,931.13 + £970.00 Gift Aid A RECORD-BREAKING Grand Total of £5,901.13

£23,445.45 has been raised in the past five years It is not to late to donate, just follow the link

https://www.justgiving.com/page/ian-percival-6? utm\_medium=FA&utm\_source=WA

Thank you for your continued support Ian Percival



Last month
Craft Club packed
25 shoe boxes for
Operation
Christmas
Child.

A big thankyou to everyone who donated items for the shoeboxes.

Your kindness will bring joy to many children in need this Christmas



After School Drop-In has now finished for the Christmas holidays We'll be back again on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2026



#### **Youth Events**

All Youth events are published on a notice board at the front of church. Messages go out on the weekly Newsletter and are also sent via the Youth WhatsApp Broadcast group and SPONDApp (code CDUYF).



# Other Events & News



# **reset 2026**

# MANCHESTER

Saturday, 07-Feb-2026 9:30am - 4:00pm St Philip's Chapel Street, Wilton Place, Salford, Manchester M3 6FR

### **Book your ticket here**

In February, we will be gathering in 10 locations across the nation for our Women's Reset Day! Our vision for New Wine Reset Days is to gather women in multiple locations across the nation for a day of worship, teaching, Holy Spirit ministry and encounters with God and one another.

There will be ladies from All Saints Hoole going and we hope to travel together.

# NEW WINE IS MORE THAN JUST AN EVENT

It's a network that spans across many denominations in 14 countries. This network is made up of over 1,000 churches, 4,000 church leaders, and 50,000 individuals who share a common vision of local churches changing nations.



For more information and to book your tickets click <u>HERE</u>

#### Who Let The Dads Out?

For dads, male carers, father figures and their children at Hoole Lighthouse Centre.

Who Let The Dads Out? – Age range 0-5 (but flexible). 1st Saturday of each month. 10am to 12 noon. £2.50 per family.



# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### All Saints Songbook 2024-2025

Play lists are now available to help our congregation find and familiarise themselves with the songs we sing during our services, which we hope will prove to be a blessing.



Spotify Click Here DYOUTUBE Click Here

#### The World Church

All Saints supports a number of individuals and groups around the world. Please visit our mission page for information on our mission partners.

#### West Cheshire Foodbank

Please put any donations in the collection crates in the church centre fover. Thank you for your continued support. If you'd like to know more about the foodbank, please click **HERE**.

### **Greeting Cards**

Cards for all occasions by Gill Holt. Please have a look after the Sunday services and support the work of Tearfund.

### Giving at All Saints

Our thanks to all who give. Your generosity is making a huge difference!

#### **WAYS TO GIVE:**

- Standing Order contact the Welcome Desk at a service
- Scan the QR code
- Donation Stations at the entrance
- Offering Boxes at the back of church
- Gift Aid forms are available from the Welcome Desk



# **Food Allergies and Intolerances**

Offering food and refreshments is an important part of our ministry here at All Saints. Due to the way our food is prepared, it is not possible to guarantee the absence of allergens.

If you have a known allergy, we ask that you take all necessary precautions.

# **Promoting a Safer Church**

If you ever have any safeguarding concerns relating to children and/or vulnerable adults, please pass these on to our Safeguarding Officer, Fiona Jones either in person or by emailing safeguarding@allsaints.church.

Further contact details can be found on the posters in church and the church centre or on the All Saints website: allsaints.church/church-life/safeguarding.

Church family are encouraged to undertake the Church of England Basic Awareness safeguarding training which can be found on their website: safeguardingtraining.cofeportal.org

