

## Newsletter

Join us on Sunday 20th October 2024

9am Holy Communion & 10:45am Morning Service
Relational God - Father & Child (part two)

Romans 8:1-17

#### **CRECHE**

'Raven' is set up as a creche. Do make use of this at any time during the 10.45am service each week. A parent will need to stay with their child.

#### **CHURCH ACCESS KITS**

We want you and the children you care for to be able to take part in and feel comfortable within our services. Our access kits contain items that may help you in your time in church. Our kits are made with children with additional needs in mind but are available for use by all children and can be found with our welcomers.



We are passionate about kids loving Jesus and loving church!
We worship and pray together, play games, make things, read Bible stories and have a LOT of fun! Please do join us - Sunday Mornings during the 10:45am service.

This week we continue our series: New Beginnings: Sunday Club values



This week @ All Saints Youth
Youth AM - The Shepherd of my heart
Youth PM - Games Night! Bowling 7-9pm @ TenPin Chester



PRAYER FOCUS: All Saints Prayer Team

### What's on - Week Commencing - 21st October 2024

Monday	Heart & Soul Cafe: 8:45am - 2pm Little Lights: 10 - 11:30am Alpha Course: 12noon Practicing the Way: 12noon Alpha Course: 7:30pm
Tuesday	Heart & Soul Cafe: 8:45am - 2pm The 'Raven' Community: 10:30am Chester Deo Gratias Choir: 7:30pm
Wednesday	Bible Study Fellowship: 9:55-11:30am
Thursday	Heart & Soul Cafe: 8:45am - 2pm Chatty Group in Heart and Soul Café: 10:30am
Friday	Craft Club: 1:30pm









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. If you do not get a message from Sam on WhatsApp, please make sure you contact him to sign up to the broadcast.



#### **TESTIMONIES**

On the 2nd Sunday of each month, our Youth will be attending 'IGNITE' from 6-7pm followed by a meal and a testimony from someone from our church family. If you would like to join us for a meal from 7pm and then give a short testimony, followed by an important Bible verse, please speak to Sam.

## Upcoming Events

### **LIGHT PARTY PACKS**

Because the 31st October falls in half term this year, a large amount of our usual Light Party team are unable to help run the party, therefore we are not holding a Light Party this year.

We are however putting packs together for families to engage in light party material in their family settings.

If you would like a pack full of light party themed resources, please drop Gemma an email and she will arrange for one for you.

gemma.gaudion@allsaints.church

We are looking forward to

# Bishop Mark Tanner The Bishop of Chester

preaching during our 10:45am Service

## REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 10TH NOVEMBER

We hope you can join us.





Sunday 3rd November 12:30pm for a 12:45pm start

As part of our meal, there will be a short 'Thought for the Day'. Please note, this is a bookable event, with limited places available. If you are 18 years of age or older, and would like to join us, please complete the booking form held on our website, use the link below or contact the church office on tel: 01244 322056 to secure your place. Whilst there is no formal charge for this meal, cash donations can be made on the day should you choose to. We look forward to seeing you there.

Click here to book your place

## Upcoming Events

### 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.



### NEW WINE FESTIVAL 2025

30 July - 4 August

Bath & West Showground, Shepton Mallet
For more information and to book your tickets click HERE



# RESET 2025 MANCHESTER

ST PHILIP'S, CHAPEL STREET, M3 6FR

SATURDAY 1ST FEBRUARY 9:30AM - 4PM

### **NewWine**

Local Churches Changing Nations

Gathering women across the nation at nine locations for a day of worship, teaching, holy spirit ministry, encounters with God and time together. We would love you to join us!

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

**BOOK YOUR TICKET HERE** 

## Other News

#### 10:45AM SUNDAY WELCOME

We want to make people feel instantly at ease and part of the All Saints family. If you can offer a smile and a hello, we'd love to have you on team!

We are looking for people in the church family who can be ready to welcome on a Sunday at the 10.45am service on a 6 week rota.

If you are interested please drop Amy a line - amy.walker@allsaints.church

#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who physically and mentally, helped me to try to attend the New Wine Worship Celebration last Sunday evening. Unfortunately facilities meant I couldn't stay but it was lovely to have so many of our church family helping in so many ways trying to make the evening inclusive. God bless you all, Maireanne

#### **TEARFUND CARDS**

Another £200 has been sent from the sale of cards in church. Thank you once again. Keep up the buying and help those in need. Gill Holt

#### **ROOM TO LET**

Room to let in a Christian home near the hospital. Private use of bathroom. 20 minute walk to the town centre. On regular bus route into Chester. £430 per month bills incl. Contact the church office for more details.

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR ALPHA

Thank you to those who have already blessed the leaders and guests on our Alpha course with the wonderful cakes and biscuits you have made.

Alpha will run until the 25th November so if you haven't already signed up to be on the 'baking blessings' rota, it's not too late!

If this is something you are able to help with, please speak to Gemma or email gemma.gaudion@allsaints.church.

#### ALL SAINTS BELL RINGING BAND

Ever wanted to ring the Church Bells? We are looking to form an All Saints Bell Ringing Band. If you are interested, please speak to Paul Treby.

#### **COULD YOU VOLUNTEER AT HEART & SOUL CAFÉ?**

Due to a couple of people having moved away or planning to move away in the future we have 2 vacancies for volunteers in the kitchen on Monday and Tuesday at Heart & Soul Café. This involves working with another team member making sandwiches, toasties, and baked potatoes etc. We also have a vacancy for someone to make drinks and serve on Tuesdays.



Please consider if you can help in this vital outreach work and join our friendly team of volunteers so that we can continue to make Heart & Soul Café a place where people from all walks of life find a warm welcome. Opening hours are 8.30am - 2.30pm but starting time can be later for these roles.

If you are interested why not call in and have a chat with Rhiannon, or email rhiannon.cooke@allsaints.church. Alternatively you could leave your details at the church office. We look forward to meeting you!

## Other News



We are well into Autumn now and the year seems to be rattling past at a fair rate of knots, much in the way that narrowboats don't, 3.5 knots (4 mph) being the speed limit on most canals! You can't help but slow down a bit when you get on a narrowboat. If you haven't tried it, I do recommend having a go!

Back in the summer the Archbishop of York, Stephen Cottrell was in Nantwich whilst doing a tour of the Dioceses on his 'patch' and wanted to meet a Waterways Chaplain. I got the summons and met the AB at the Barbridge Inn, a canalside pub near Nantwich. I wasn't sure quite how to address him, but he emerged from the pub, beer in hand and said "Hello, I'm Stephen, you must be Jim", which helped! We had a good chat, in the company of my 'boss' Howie Pickering (the large biker chap some of you will remember from my commissioning service) and also Mark Tanner, Bishop of Chester (who told me he was on his best behaviour in the presence of his own boss!) The four of us were then filmed having a bit of a Q&A about the Chaplaincy and the video is available on link below. It is a bit embarrassing from my point of view, as it was all ad hoc with no warning or preparation and I talk too much, (Sorry, what was that you said?), but it does I think give quite a good insight into what the Waterways Chaplaincy is all about, so please feel free to have a watch and listen:-https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T15wHVv3teQ

With Winter ahead, life for some liveaboard boaters on the canal will be difficult and, for those already facing issues of one sort or another, may become very difficult. That's where the Chaplaincy comes in, with our mission to get alongside and, if we can, to offer support and encouragement to all people, regardless of who they are, of all faiths and none.

Please continue to pray for me as I try to show kindness and compassion to those I meet and, sometimes, just to allow people to unburden themselves.

The Chaplaincy is currently part funded by Church Army, but needs to expand its funding base so as to become financially independent. If you would like to support the Chaplaincy financially do give me a call.

Finally, a reminder that I have a presentation on the work of the Chaplaincy which has been rolled out a few times now and seems to be quite well received, and which I am happy to offer to church groups, or any other groups you may be part of.

Jim Ellis

### OTHER NEWS AND 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



#### 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

In need of donations of cup-a-soups, jams, spreads, custard, biscuits and small jars of coffee. Copies of their full shopping list are available in the centre foyer. Please put any donations in the collection crates in the church centre foyer. Alternatively, you can make a cash donation online. Thank you for your continued support. If you'd like to know more about the foodbank, please go to https://westcheshire.foodbank.org.uk/

#### **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
- 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 and from our website: allsaints.church/giving



#### **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, Val Ornsby or Deputy Safeguarding Officer, Ros Flanders 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 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

