A Gathering Prayer

We come together to meet our living Lord.
We hold him in our hearts and behold him
in our mind's eye,
thankful for the testimony
of those who witnessed in reality.
Come, Lord Jesus, take away our unbelief,
that we may behold the truth.

Amen

A Prayer of Confession

Lord, we confess that we find stories of your life and death difficult to understand and believe.

The story of your rising from the dead is especially hard for our minds to grasp.

Then again, we confess that maybe we don't even think about it.

It has ceased to be a marvel to us; we have lost sight of the miraculous.

We have accepted passively the stories handed down to us, and not explored the evidence and meaning for ourselves.

So, Lord, whether we struggle with belief itself, or whether our acceptance is not an active choice to believe,

we confess our failure to grasp in faith this most fundamental message to us.

Forgive us, we pray, and lead us onward to true belief that plants itself in the heart, and flourishes in active living for you.

Amen

A Sending Out Prayer

You have received the good news of Jesus, passed down through generations.

Go now, take it with you.

Spread the word of his risen life and love!

Amen

Notices



If you have any items to be included in the Notices for **Sunday 17 February 2019** please send them to:

send them to:

David Anderton

d.anderton68@btinternet.com

to arrive before 5.00 p.m. on Tuesday 12

February 2019.



Sunday 10 February 2019

... Welcome

Saints

WELCOME

in the name of the
Lord Jesus
to our services today.
We are delighted to see you.



Website:

https://www.allsaintschildwall.org.uk

Sunday 10 February

The Fourth Sunday before Lent

Tonight is our monthly service with prayers for reconciliation and healing. Please join us, you will be most welcome.

In our Readings and Collect today our focus turns from Epiphany towards Lent and Easter.

9.00 a.m. Holy Communion 'Hold firmly to the message'



1 Corinthians 15: 1-11 and Luke 5: 1-11

11.00 a.m. Activate/Parade

5.30 p.m. 678

6.00 p.m. ToASt at *Ignite* (Please see

notices for further information)

6.30 p.m. Evening Worship with

prayers for reconciliation

The Fourth Sunday before Lent Collect

O God, you know us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers, that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Sunday 'Fairtrade' Coffee

10 February .. P.C.C. **17 February** .. Aphta

17 February .. Aphta Alpha **24 February** .. Gardeners

Please take this sheet home with you

Meeting of Liverpool Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship

Subject: Church planting and missional development

Speaker: Matt Guest, Cornerstone Church, Crewe Where: St Philemon's, 78 Admiral Street, L8 8BR When: 7.30 p.m. on 27 February 2019

All welcome.

Malcom Colmer - malccolmer@aol.com

DVD of Andrew's Installation

A DVD recording of Andrew's Installation was made and is available (for free!). The DVD can be kept or returned – whichever is preferred. Please phone/message me if you wish to have a copy –

Clive Upton - 07962 455 952 ceeupton1@yahoo.co.uk

Recordings of the 9.00 a.m. Service

A reminder that the Sunday 9.00 a.m. Service is recorded – copies are available to you if you would like one. A recording of the Sermon from the 9.00 a.m. Service is placed on the Church Website. The Sermon can also be delivered by email if necessary.

Clive Upton

Church Flowers

The flowers today have been sponsored by Henry Stott in memory of his dear wife, Vivien.

Joan Anderton - (0151) 722 9823

Special Service

This month's Special Service will take place **this afternoon** at 3.00 p.m. at St. David's Childwall. All are welcome to attend this short informal service along with family members and carers and enjoy fellowship over a cup of tea.

Mark Turner - mark.s.turner@sky.com

Storytime Session

At our Storytime session on **Monday 11 February**, we have a special guest: local children's author, Rebecca Fan-Blinston, who will read her new book, The Albert Dockhounds, to the children. Storytime is for children (new-born to age 4) and their parents and carers. If you or anyone you know would like to come along and join us we would love to see you on Monday at **10.00** a.m. at All Hallows' Church Hall.

Elizabeth Morris elizabeth_morris@hotmail.co.uk

Praise God

- That He is Holy
- That in Him we all live, move and have our being

Thank God for:

- The historic truths of the Gospel recorded in the Bible
- Our Wardens Jim and Alison, for the collaborative way of working which they have encouraged

Please pray:

- That we will have confidence to share the Gospel knowing how it is rooted in history
- For the Readers and Rachel McClelland who will meet with Andrew and the Wardens on Monday evening
- For our preparations for Lent and Easter, for those preparing the Lent course
- For week three of ALPHA that the participants might feel at ease with each other and able to ask questions
- For Andrew Colmer as he takes on the role of Chaplain of our Boys' Brigade. Pray that God equips Andrew to lead this key area of our youth mission and that he can support the BB leaders sharing their faith with our children and young people
- For Care For the Family (CFF) as it aims to promote strong family life and to help those who face family difficulties
- For 678 and their leaders as they meet for fun and fellowship tonight. Pray that positive relationships flourish
- For our M.P., Luciana Berger, thanking God for her commitment to this area
- For the Queen and the Royal Family, praying for their role in seeking unity in the Nation
- For the USA and the Russian Federation and the implications for European security following the abandonment of the nuclear treaty which has preserved peace for nearly fifty years
- For those who are sick, anxious or undergoing medical procedures at this time, including Patricia Southword (Val Cooper's sister), Alan McClelland and Rob Parry
- For those who are bereaved, or who remember the anniversary of a bereavement at this time

* * * Prayer List

Please contact **David Anderton** to add names of those who are sick to the Prayer List, ensuring that the person concerned has agreed to be included. To keep the list current, names will be included for 4 consecutive weeks, after which they will be removed unless a request is made for the names to remain for a further period.

(0151) 722 9823 d.anderton68@btinternet.com

Prayer Partner Supper

This annual event will be on **Saturday 23 February** at 7.00 p.m. in the Church Hall. Please sign sheet at the back of Church for catering purposes. All are welcome. Prayer partners are members of our congregation who pray for a key person or leader so that every aspect of ministry and service at All Saints is brought before God regularly and specifically. If you are interested in being part of this ministry, please contact me and I will be delighted to explain more.

Sue Watterson (0151) 428 8406

Ignite Youth Night

Ignite, at Life Church Bebington, will see teenagers coming together from across the region to connect with Jesus and to make a difference in their world. It is a night full of worship, great teaching and a whole lot of fun. The next Ignite is tonight (Sunday 10 February) at 7.00 p.m. and ToASt will be taking school years 9+. As Bebington is on the Wirral we will meet in the Church Hall carpark at 6.00 p.m. to give lifts there and back (texting to confirm return time). For further information please contact:

Stuart McClelland - (0151) 722 6447 <u>mcclelland6@btinternet.com</u>

Travel with Tearfund 2019

There are a number of opportunities for placements with Tearfund this coming year from two weeks up to six months. This is for individuals from 18+, families or church groups. To find out more about this please contact Tearfund at www.tearfund.org/go

Fairtrade Fortnight 25 February - 10 March

This year the focus is on cocoa. By selling their cocoa beans to Fairtrade, West African farmers receive a fair price which means they will be earning a decent living. So, look out for the Fairtrade logo on the packaging of chocolate products and choose to buy them. Cadbury's, Nestles, Mars and Green's are some of the brand names. Aldi, Lidl, Sainsbury's, Co-op, Tesco's, Asda and others all sell Fairtrade chocolate products too. By purchasing Fairtrade chocolate, you will be helping to improve and will be making a difference to the lives of the cocoa bean farmers and their families.

Delia Owen - World Mission Area deliaowen@hotmail.co.uk

Monday 11 February

10.00 a.m. Storytime at All Hallows

Tuesday 12 February

2.00 p.m. Mothers' Union: Enrolment of

two new members and Dave Fryer: 'From Mersey ships to

Mercy ships'

7.00 p.m. Vestry Hour

Wednesday 13 February

9.30 a.m. Churchyard Gardening **2.00 p.m.** - CHAT in the Church Hall

4.00 p.m.

7.00 p.m. ALPHA at Calisa

Thursday 14 February

10.45 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)

1.45 p.m. Pram Club in the Church Hall

6.30 p.m. Prayer Time in Church

8.00 p.m. Choir Practice

Friday 15 February

Saturday 16 February

Sunday 17 February

The Third Sunday before Lent

9.00 a.m. Holy Communion

'For this life only'

Luke 6: 27-38 and

1 Corinthians 15: 12-20

11.00 a.m. All Age Worship with baptisms

'Love is'

1 Corinthians 15: 12-20

6.30 p.m. Evening Worship

Luke 6: 27-38

We try to be a **disabled friendly church.** If you or someone you are with require large print service books, hymn books or a copy of these notices, please ask one of the sides people. There is a loop system in operation in church.

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We try to be a **child friendly church**, don't worry

if your baby cries during the service - we won't. There are activity bags at the back of church for babies and small children.

There is a Parent and Carers room by the main door and baby changing facilities in the church hall. Just ask one of the greeters if you need any help.

ALPHA at Calisa

You are invited to ALPHA for a time of great food, even better conversation and talks that make you think at Calisa, 84 Childwall Priory Road. There will be eleven weekly sessions from 7.00 to 9.30 p.m. which started on **Wednesday 30 January 2019**. See <u>alpha.org</u> for more information.

To choose a meal and reserve a place contact:

Alison Kefford - 07748 334 122 <u>alisonkefford@gmail.com</u> Jim Harrison - 07999 516 612 jim27harrison@icloud.com

* * * Toolkit 2019

This is a fantastic training morning for Christian youth and children's ministry run by Liverpool Youth for Christ. Those of us who went last year highly recommend it and are going again this year. It is on **Saturday 2 March** from 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Hope Community Church, 11 Aintree Lane, Liverpool L10 2JJ. Cost £7.00, or less if we can make a group booking for those aged 16-25 years. For further info please see the LYFC website: https://liverpool.yfc.co.uk or speak to:

Stuart or Rachel McClelland mcclelland@btinternet.com

Church Prayer Diary

The Prayer Diary is nearly ready to be printed and contains everybody who attends All Saints and who signed the consent form. This was necessary due to the new data protection regulation (May 2018). The draft will be at the back of Church for 4 weeks so please check your details are correct prior to **tomorrow** (11 February).

After this date the prayer diary will be produced and available to all who are included in it. If you have not yet completed a consent form and wish to be included, please ask one of the wardens or sides persons.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Mary Harrison - Data Protection Lead

07817 471 857

mary.harrison32@virginmedia.com

Advance Notice
Pastoral Visitors

There will be a meeting of pastoral visitors on **Monday 1 April** at 8.00 p.m. in the Church Hall.

Helen Ford h.h.ford@btinternet.com

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Interregnum - Thank You

It has been a privilege serving as wardens over the last year to see so many of you being willing to help during this time by using your gifts to serve in so many ways. The encouragement given and the unity of the church family has been a wonderful blessing for us. Special thanks to all of you who made Andrew's Installation such a celebration at the start of his ministry at All Saint's. The team which produced the order of service, the car park attendants, the scouse makers, cake providers, welcoming team, choir, musicians and all other helpers were such a fantastic demonstration of Romans 12:1-8

Alison Kefford and Jim Harrison Church Wardens

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What's happening this Lent?

Here is a puzzle to solve if you can, I promise you won't be bored. If you can unravel this anagram, 'Thee my frosty dog' and give me your answer, then, in due time, you'll receive your reward. If you would like to enter the competition submit your answer via the contact page on the Church website: www.allsaintschildwall.org.uk or write your answer on a piece of paper with your name and contact number and hand it to Jim or Mary Harrison who will be at the back of Church at the end of the Sunday services. The closing date of entries is today (10 February) and all correct answers will receive some fair trade chocolate on 17 February after the 11 o'clock service or you can pick it up from the back of the Church. And as for what it all means, all will be revealed in one weeks time.

Kerry Marson - kerrylmarson@gmail.com

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Hope Christian Union

Hope Christian Union is holding their Mission Events Week from 18 - 22 February. The theme this year is 'Unbroken' with the team wanting to share the Good News of Jesus with their friends and fellow students. All Saints' has, in previous years, supported them prayerfully, financially and by providing food for the lunchtime events. If you would like to support them financially cheques need to be made payable to Liverpool Hope Christian Union and put in an envelope and placed on the collection plate in Church. Food items such as savouries, cakes, snack bars etc may be left at the Security office on Taggart Avenue for the students to collect. For further details please contact:

Delia Owen (0151) 280 8327 or Ann Colmer (0151) 722 4523