

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 21st February	7.30pm 8.00pm	PMC/MIT Meeting in the Parish Centre Tuesday Club in the Birinus Room <i>Behind the Scenes at All Saints</i> Christine Pocock
Wednesday 22nd	10.00am 10.00am 3.15pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Eucharist with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Jeremy Open the Book at Larchfield School <i>Service at Larchfield Care Home:</i> <i>Jeanette</i> All Saints Community Choir in the Church PCC Meeting in the Birinus Room to plan the Extended PCC Meeting
Thursday 23rd	9.30am 9.45am 8.00pm	<i>Eucharist at Burnham Abbey</i> Celebrant: Fr Jeremy Open the Book at All Saints School <i>Choir Practice</i>
Friday 24th	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre
Sunday 26th	Sunday next before Lent 8.00am 10.00am 3.00pm	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant & Preacher: The Revd Dr Judith Thomas Parish Eucharist Worship for All Celebrant & Preacher: The Revd Dr Judith Thomas Crèche <i>Deaf Church at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Cox Green</i>

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 19th February 2017 Second Sunday before Lent

Please take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings, and to remind you of the events taking place. The Bible references are for the Bibles to be found at the back of Church, which you are welcome to use during the service.

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect and Readings as below.
Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST

Service: *The Parish Eucharist in Ordinary Time*

Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern*

Celebrant: *Fr Jeremy*

Organ Prelude

O Gott, du frommer Gott Opus 12 No 7 *J Brahms*

Opening Hymn

394 Lord of all hopefulness

Young Saints (3 years and over) go to the Birinus Room during the hymn

COLLECT

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever. **Amen.**

OT READING

Genesis 1: 1—2: 3 (OT p 1)

Julia Wakeling

EPISTLE

Romans 8: 18 –2 5 (NT p 168)

Roger Simpson

Anthem

Fairest Lord Jesus

Arr M How

GOSPEL

Matthew 6: 25 — 34

Jesus taught his disciples, saying: 'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you – you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear?" For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring worries of its own. Today's trouble is enough for today.'

Sermon

Fr Jeremy

Offertory Hymn

1. Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant, too.

2. We are pilgrims on a journey,
fellow travellers on the road;
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.

3. I will hold the Christlight for you
in the night-time of your fear;
I will hold my hand out to you,
speak the peace you long to hear.

4. I will weep when you are weeping;
when you laugh I'll laugh with you.
I will share your joy and sorrow
till we've seen this journey through.

5. When we sing to God in heaven
we shall find such harmony,
born of all we've known together
of Christ's love and agony.

6. Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant, too.

Richard Gillard 1977 Scripture in Song/CopyCare Ltd

Communion Hymn

1. Make me a channel of your peace.
where there is hatred,
let me bring your love.
Where there is injury
your pardon, Lord.
And where there's doubt,
true faith in you.

*Oh Master,
grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved, as to love,
with all my soul.*

2. Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there's despair in life,

let me bring hope.
Where there is darkness
only light,
and where there's sadness
ever joy.

Oh Master, etc

3. Make me a channel of your peace.
It is in pardoning
that we are pardoned,
in giving to all men
that we receive,
and in dying that we're
born to eternal life.

Sebastian Temple

Closing Hymn

1. Judge eternal, throned in splendour
Lord of lords and King of kings,
with thy living fire of judgement
purge this realm of bitter things:
solace all its wide dominion
with the healing of thy wings.

2. Still the weary folk are pining
for the hour that brings release:
and the city's crowded clangour

cries aloud for sin to cease;
and the homesteads and the woodlands
plead in silence for their peace.

3. Crown, O God, thine own endeavour;
cleave our darkness with thy sword;
feed thy people's hungry spirits
with the richness of thy word:
cleanse the body of this nation
through the glory of the Lord.

Henry Scott Holland (1847-1918)

Postlude

Trumpet Tune

H Purcell

Refreshments will be served at the back of the church thanks to the Kirk/Hill family

6.00pm EVENSONG & BENEDICTION

Fr Jeremy

Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern*
Opening Hymn **10 Glory to thee, my God this night**
Psalm **148** p 614
Reading Proverbs 8: 1 & 22—31
Office Hymn **16 The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended**
Reading Revelation 4
Benediction Hymn **256 Let all mortal flesh keep silence**

Father Jeremy's Notes

Sunday 26th February We'll be welcoming back our good friend the Revd Dr Judith Thomas to celebrate and preach at both services.

Mr John Elliott Many thanks to all those who helped provide the hospitality for John's 100th birthday celebrations last weekend.

Walsingham Pilgrimage Monday 25th to Friday 29th September

Would those wishing to join the annual pilgrimage to Walsingham please sign the list at the back of the church, and pay the deposit of £10 to the office.

LENT 2017

On Ash Wednesday (1st March) there will be Eucharists with the Blessing & Imposition of Ashes at 10.00am and 7.30pm.

During Lent we will be welcoming guest speakers who will be helping us to 'Dwell in the World'. We will be challenged to think about practical Christianity and how we might find friendly partners to share ministry with.

On **Sunday 5th March** we welcome Tony Miller MBE, Director of the White Chapel Mission which puts the lives of Homeless people first.

The Whitechapel Mission accepts donations of Foodstuffs, toiletries and clothing as well as financial donations. We will be offering homemade soup following the service and if people would like to talk to Tony about his work over soup and bread we hope you will take the opportunity to do so. Any donations for the soup will go to the White Chapel Mission

Also during Lent we will follow the Stations of the Cross on Thursday evenings and on 4 Wednesdays we will share Compline with Matthew Firth offering 4 paintings reflecting the 4 gospel pictures of the Cross.

OTHER NEWS

Tuesday Club 21st February 8.00pm in the Birinus Room

A look *Behind the Scenes at All Saints* with our Sacristan, Chris Pocock. All welcome.

Brenda Ilott

The Children's Society

With grateful thanks to all box holders for the magnificent grand total of £420.73 for the 2016 collection. Also to the congregation of All Saints for the wonderful total of £131.49 raised for the Christingle collection. The Children's Society is extremely grateful as they rely on our support to continue their work.

Anne Clark, Honorary Secretary

FLOWERS A big thank you to everyone who has sponsored a week to provide flowers for the church. There may still be a couple of weeks left to fill so do have a look at the list on the table at the back of church. If any of you are wondering, you only have to give money for the flowers, the Flower Fairies will arrange them!

Barbara Bannister