

DIARY FOR THE WEEK		
Tuesday 10th March	9.00am	<i>Eucharist at Burnham Abbey Celebrant: Fr Jeremy</i>
	1.30pm	<i>Christian Union at Altwood School</i>
	7.00pm	<i>Eucharist followed by Art Course</i>
Wednesday 11th	9.00am	Open the Book at Larchfield School
	10.00am	Eucharist in Lent with refreshments Celebrant: Rev Dr Judith Thomas
	2.00pm	Service for Lent at Normanhurst –with Jeanette and the Pastoral Care Team
	2.30pm	Senior Saints AGM in the Parish Centre
	3.00pm	<i>Open the Book at All Saints School</i>
	7.30pm	PCC Meeting in the Birinus Room
	7.30pm	<i>All Saints Community Choir at Boyn Hill School</i>
Thursday 12th	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross Led by Jeanette Lock
	8.00pm—9.00pm	Choir Practice in the Birinus Room Visitors welcome
Friday 13th	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre -Jesus Rides into Jerusalem
Sunday 15th	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT	
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant : Fr Jeremy Preacher: Jo Sheppard
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist for the 3rd Sunday in Lent Celebrant : Fr Jeremy Preacher: Jo Sheppard Crèche & Young Saints
	6.00pm	<i>SUNDAYS@SIX IONA Service at the Church of the Good Shepherd</i>

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 8th March 2020 Second Sunday of Lent

*Please take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings again,
and to remind you of the events taking place.*

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect and Gospel as below.

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

EPISTLE Romans 4: 1—5, 13 — 17

What are we to say was gained by Abraham, our ancestor according to the flesh? For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. For what does the scripture say? 'Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness.' Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due. But to one who without works trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness. For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation. For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, as it is written, 'I have made you the father of many nations') – Abraham believed in the presence of the God who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST WITH HOLY BAPTISM

Service booklets: Sundays in Lent & Infant Baptism within the Eucharist

Hymns: *Ancient & Modern*

Celebrant: Fr Jeremy

Organ Prelude

Elegy

H Darke

Opening Hymn

584 All my hope on God is founded

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

COLLECT

Almighty God, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth, that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit one God, now and for ever.
Amen

Anthem

God so loved the world

J Stainer

GOSPEL

John 3: 1 — 17

There was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, 'Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.' Jesus answered him, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?' Jesus answered, 'Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, "You must be born from above." The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you

do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.' Nicodemus said to him, 'How can these things be?' Jesus answered him, 'Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.'

Sermon	Fr Jeremy
BAPTISM OF Baptism Hymn	CLARA MEI LING PANG 639 Give thanks with a grateful heart
Offertory Hymn	128 Jesu, lover of my soul
Communion Hymn	675 Immortal Love, forever full
Closing Hymn	702 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
Organ Postlude	Postlude on a Ground <i>H Murrill</i>

Refreshments will be served at the back of the Church
thanks to Carole Deverill & Alison Leigh

6.00pm **SUNDAYS @SIX**
Compline and Address at St Luke's

Father Jeremy's Notes

On Monday evening Elaine Williams much loved and respected member of All Saints church died peacefully at home with her family around her. Elaine has given her time, energy and love to people from the church and from the wider community. We will all miss Elaine and particularly her humour and smile and care for people. Please remember in your prayers, Stephanie and Sharon her daughters and all of her family.

Sad news too that John Clark's mother Heidi died this Tuesday at Wexham Park. Please remember John and Anne in your prayers at this time.

We also remember Vera Ford, mother of Jayne Chapman who died on Monday of this week. Please remember Jayne, Pete and family.

Saturday 4th April 9.00am – 1.00pm Parish Quiet Morning at Burnham Abbey. All welcome to prepare for Easter with this time of prayer and reflection.

OTHER NOTICES

Senior Saints Wednesday 11th March 2.30pm in the Parish Centre

Easter Lilies

If you would like to sponsor Lilies for Easter Day in memory of your loved ones please put your name on the list on the cross aisle table and give the money to Barbara or the Church Office, (envelopes are provided with the list). This is a lovely way to be involved in making the church look really beautiful for this Queen of Festivals. It is anticipated that the lilies will cost around **£4.00 per stem** this year. We must order the lilies by Monday, 23 March, so it would be a great help if you could put your name on the list before that date please.

Mothering Sunday Posies

We shall be making the posies for Mothering Sunday on Saturday 21st March at 10.00am in the Parish Centre. We are always grateful for as much help as possible, so please come along and help if you can. We also require a great deal of small leafed pieces of greenery (approximately 6" long) such as Heather, Pittosporum, and perfumed leaves (rosemary etc.) so if you have any, that you or your neighbours can spare, please bring it with you or leave it at the Parish Office on **Friday morning 20th March at the latest.**
The Flower Team

Tuesday 10th March 7.00pm Eucharist in Lent followed by Art Course based on the 1st Station from the "*Walking the Way of the Cross*" book by Stephen Cottrell, Paula Gooder and Philip North. Matthew Firth will offer us some paintings to reflect upon Jesus in Agony in the Garden of Gethsemane. This will take place in the Birinus Room.

Birinus Garden Easter Cards

The blank cards have sold well and cards are now available to order as Easter cards with a Happy Easter greeting and quotation from Matthew. They are priced at £1.10 per card or £5.00 for five. All proceeds go towards Project Galilee (the Floor). There is a separate order sheet at the rear of the church. **Jeremy and Sue Nordberg**

The next edition of **Pathways** – the free quarterly magazine from the Diocese of Oxford - is now available at the back of the church. Please take a copy. Items include God in the life of Bishop Olivia, How to fast, Head to Head – War and Peace, For the sake of God's World – What will 2020 bring? 10 ways to ... Act on God's call. **Ken Smith**

PEWSHEET NOTICES Please send any notices for the 15th March pewsheets to the Parish Office, **allsaintsboynehill@gmail.com** for the attention of Melanie. **Jan Moss**

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Please pray for

Everyone involved in Baptism Ministry at All Saints

Our PCC who meet on Wednesday

AllSorts, their organisers, helpers and guests