

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

<b>Wednesday 9th September</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Eucharist</b> with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Neil Mothers' Union in the Parish Centre Speaker: Christine Pocock
	2.30pm	
<b>Thursday 10th</b>	9.00am	<b>Open the Book at All Saints School</b>
<b>Friday 11th</b>	10.00am	<b>Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre</b>
<b>Saturday 12th</b>	<b>CHURCH OPEN FOR RIDE &amp; STRIDE</b>	
<b>Sunday 13th</b>	<b>FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b>	
	8.00am	<b>Holy Communion (BCP)</b> Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Neil
	10.00am	<b>Parish Eucharist</b> Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Neil Crèche & Young Saints
	10.00am	<b>CAFÉ CHURCH</b> Fr Jeremy
	12 noon	<b>Holy Baptism</b> Fr Jeremy
	6.00pm	<b>Evensong</b> led by Elizabeth Bryson & <b>Benediction</b> Fr Neil

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## PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

### Sunday 6th September 2015 Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

*You are very welcome to 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*

**10.00am Parish Eucharist: Fr Jeremy's 10 Year Anniversary at All Saints.** Please note there will be **no 8.00am** service as we will be using the 10.00am service to mark Fr Jeremy's ten year anniversary at All Saints. Light refreshments will be served at the back of the Church afterwards, and we hope that as many as possible will join with us for this special occasion.

**Rod & Stella**

### 10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST

**Service:** *The Parish Eucharist in Ordinary Time*

**Hymns:** *Hymns Ancient & Modern* **Celebrant:** *Fr Jeremy*

Prelude

Sheep may safely graze

*J S Bach*

**Opening Hymn**

**100 All people that on earth do dwell**

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

### COLLECT

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

O T READING

Isaiah 35: 4—7a (OT p 690)

*June Crouch*

EPISTLE

James 2: 1 — 10 & 14—17 (NT p 245) *Sally Walsh*

### Gradual Hymn

**1. From heav'n you came, helpless babe,**

entered our world, your glory veiled;  
not to be served but to serve,  
and give your life that we might live.

*This is our God, the Servant King;  
he calls us now to follow him,  
to bring our lives as a daily offering  
of worship to the Servant King.*

**2. There in the garden of tears,**  
my heavy load he chose to bear;

his heart with sorrow was torn,  
"Yet not my will but yours," he said.

**3. Come see his hands and his feet,**  
the scars that speak of sacrifice,  
hands that flung stars into space  
to cruel nails surrendered.

**4. So let us learn how to serve,**  
and in our lives enthrone him;  
each other's needs to prefer,  
for it is Christ we're serving.

*Graham Kendrick (b. 1950) (c) 1983 Kingsway's  
Thankyou Music*

GOSPEL Mark 7: 24 — 37

Jesus set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, 'Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' But she answered him, 'Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs.' Then he said to her, 'For saying that, you may go – the demon has left your daughter.' So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone. Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, 'Ephphatha,' that is, 'Be opened.' And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. They were astounded beyond measure, saying, 'He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak.'

SERMON Fr Jeremy

Offertory Hymn

**1. Beauty for brokenness, hope for despair,**  
Lord in your suffering world this is our prayer.  
Bread for the children, justice, joy, peace.  
sunrise to sunset your kingdom increase!

2. Shelter for fragile lives, cures for their ills,  
work for the craftsmen, trade for their skills.  
Land for the dispossessed, rights for the weak,  
voices to plead the cause of those who can't speak.

*God of the poor, friend of the weak,  
give us compassion, we pray:  
melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like rain.  
Come, change our love from a spark to a flame.*

4. Rest for the ravaged earth, oceans and streams,  
plundered and poisoned: our future, our dreams.  
Lord, end our madness, carelessness, greed;  
make us content with the things that we need.

*R. God of the poor, friend of the weak....*

5. Lighten our darkness, breathe on this flame,  
until your justice burns brightly again;  
until the nations learn of your ways,  
seek your salvation and bring you their praise.

*R. God of the poor, friend of the weak.....  
Graham Kendrick (b 1950)*

Communion Hymn **247 I heard the voice of Jesus say**

Closing Hymn **192 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven**

Postlude Voluntary in A on the Old Hundredth *H Purcell*

Refreshments will be served at the back of the church  
thanks to Doreen Jameson & Anne Pennock

*Father Jeremy's Notes*

**Pilgrim Course starting Tuesday 29th September at 2.30pm or Wednesday 30th September at 7.30pm both in the Birinus Room**

We begin the next Pilgrim course looking at The Beatitudes.

In the introduction to the Pilgrim Courses handbooks we read the following: 'If life is a journey what difference does being a Christian make? Well, the journey of life that ends in death becomes a holy pilgrimage that ends in life. Christians believe that in Jesus, God has walked this earth before us, and that with Jesus as our companion and guide we can travel through life differently. We can live and travel as pilgrims. we set our sights on God's kingdom of justice and peace; and as we journey home to God, the pathway of our life becomes more meaningful and joyful and the world a better place.'

Please sign the sheet at the back of the church if you would like to share in this course for the Christian Journey. Elizabeth will lead the Tuesday afternoon one; Fr Neil and I will lead the Wednesday evening sessions.

**OTHER NEWS**

**Mothers' Union 2.30pm Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September in the Parish Centre**

Have you ever wondered what happens behind the scenes when you come to Church? We have invited Christine Pocock to come and enlighten us all with the 1001 tasks she performs to ensure that we enjoy the smooth transition of attendance at services and many other occasions. Do come and listen with us, and then enjoy some refreshment. We look forward to seeing you .  
**Wendy Channon**

**Sponsored Ride & Stride, Saturday 12th September:** A great way to get some exercise visiting lovely churches in and around Maidenhead - while raising money for All Saints at the same time! Come along and cycle or walk around as many churches as you want to; sponsorship forms for those taking part are on the table at the back of the Church together with details of all the churches involved this year. Half of the money raised will go to the organisers, Berkshire Churches Trust, and All Saints will receive the rest...an excellent way to contribute to the current fund raising for the new boiler! Last year a total of nearly £600 was raised by All Saints' ride and striders. It would be great to beat that total this year! If you can't manage to do this we will also be looking for volunteers to act as Stewards for All Saints on the day; please sign the sheet at the back of the church if you can help. Please see me if you need any more information or have any questions.  
**Stella Harding**

**Bottles needed!** All Saints have been asked to run some stalls at the Altwood Fair on Saturday 19th September. Elaine and I have volunteered to run a Bottle Tombola so would very much appreciate donations of wine, sauce, soft drinks, etc.  
**Chris & Elaine**