



5th June 2020

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Philippians 1:3 v9 says: *“And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight to help you to determine what is best , so that on the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ...”*

Many of us are making difficult decisions right now and trying to respond to things happening outside our control. If our hearts are right, we will ultimately make the right decisions because Jesus will be in charge.

OUR MISSION AND OUR VISION: RECRUITING OUR NEW VICAR



Most of the PCC members met with Rhodri Bowen, Parish Development Advisor by Zoom, on Wednesday 3rd June, to discuss the next steps in recruiting a new vicar for All Saints’ Dedworth. In a pre - lockdown meeting, we had agreed that Rhodri would lead an activity day this month, for the whole congregation to join in discerning what it is looking for in our new vicar. This has been cancelled, but Rhodri has agreed to lead a special parish development conference and workshop for our whole congregation, by Zoom. This will take place on **Saturday, July 11th at 10:00am – 12:00pm. It is open to the whole congregation. Please save the date.** You PCC

hopes that as many of the congregation as possible will take part. We will be making arrangements to contact by telephone, those members of the congregation who do not Zoom.

To help us prepare for God’s discernment about our next vicar, members of the PCC have agreed to prepare, prior to the day, a short discussion paper summarising how our church has responded to the emergency conditions imposed by Covid 19 and how it has tried to maintain contact with the congregation and reach the wider community. It will outline the lessons learnt from adopting on-line communications and telecommunications and will research in advance, the views of as many of the congregation as possible.

Following the parish development Zoom event, the PCC will finalise the parish profile which will accompany the job description when advertising the vacancy for our new vicar. Then, with the help and advice of Assistant Archdeacon, Father Richard Lamey our advertising strategy will be decided. Two members of the PCC will be chosen to sit on the panel of interviewers to select the right person to become the next Vicar of Dedworth.

SAVE THE DATE

OUR MISSION AND OUR VISION: RECRUITING OUR NEW VICAR
A ZOOM CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP FOR THE WHOLE CONGREGATION
SATURDAY, 11TH JULY, 10:00AM -12:00PM
LED BY RHODRI BOWEN, PARISH DEVELOPMENT ADVISOR



CHURCHES TOGETHER POST COVID19



PROMOTING OUR CHURCH IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

Windsor Churches have set up a project for churches to use their buildings and gardens creatively to interact with the local community and let people know how the church is dealing with the lockdown. Each church is encouraged to offer prayer opportunities which local people can use, or take part in, whether or not they are regular church goers.

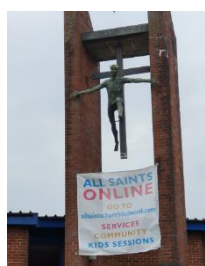
Sue Morgan is leading this initiative at All Saints Dedworth. Sue had already decided to stand in the memorial gardens and pray for the community for half an hour at 9:30am and 5:00pm every day, during our recovery from Covid 19, as we slowly emerge from lockdown. Please feel free to join her.



There are also plans to set up a Prayer Tree in the garden at All Saints'. Keep an eye out for further developments.



Carolyn Carter has designed 2 new posters promoting the huge range of online activities and services All Saints' Dedworth is currently offering. The posters are displayed on the church roof and on the fences around the church. We hope that everyone in the community will become aware of the work we are doing and want to participate.



Thank you, Matthew and Ken Kilner, for your help putting up the posters!

MAINTENANCE OF CHURCH BUILDINGS

Not rock around the clock, but work around the church!

David, Andrew and Sue have been sorting out a few maintenance jobs at church. When David first became Assistant Churchwarden, he was given a list: Toilets, Drains, Leaking Church roof - he has not resigned yet!



Happily, the roof is now fixed and the drain near the fire exit has been cleaned. A tree interfering with the telegraph wires, near the corner of the Church garden is to be professionally pruned. Lawn and garden maintenance are happening. Thank you to all involved.



SUNDAY SERVICES



Trinity Sunday, 7th June 2020 Agape Meal

Part of the service this week will include sharing the memory of Jesus' sacrifice for us, with an Agape meal. This is informal sharing of bread and wine and giving thanks for God's love, as shown by Jesus. If you would like to share at the same time, please have squash/wine and bread ready and we can all remember and celebrate together.



YOUR FAVOURITE PRAYERS



Would you like to read your favourite, short prayer during one of our Sunday Services? If you have a prayer that particularly speaks to you and that you would love to share with others, please tell Barbara Carter. You will be invited to read it yourself or one of the Prayer Warriors will read it for you, during a Sunday Service.

NEXT ZOOM BIBLE STUDY

7:30pm -8:30pm on Tuesday, 9th June



Our next Bible Study will be led by Ruth Norris. It is entitled 'With the help of the Holy Spirit'. We shall explore various bible passages that may guide and help us. Contact Andrew for more details.



Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83108655692>

Meeting ID: 831 0865 5692. No password required.



£5,000 RAISED FOR CHRISTIAN AID

Thank you to those who have taken part by doing some sponsored activity, including those who joined a quiz, like the one run by Windsor Baptist Church. Individuals walked the countryside, cycled miles and Ruth Norris, among others 'stepped' many miles around the home and garden! This was a fantastic effort as many of our traditional ways of fundraising were not possible this year. Thank you to all our volunteers and to those who gave! Donations can still be given by via this link <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/windsor-christian-aid-group>

ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Activities for Younger Children: GAP @ Home

GAP stands for both 'God and Play' and 'Grandparents and Parents'. On Mondays, a new session is published on the church website under:

<https://allsaintschurchededworth.com/church-life/gap-god-and-play>

These GAP sessions are for everyone, but especially those with younger children. Do share the link with anyone you know who may be interested. There is also a Zoom Coffee and Chat on Mondays at 11:00am and a GAP WhatsApp group. Please contact Ruth Norris for further details.

Activities for 5-9-year olds.

Look for the latest activities in the Sunday School link on our website.

<https://allsaintschurchededworth.com/church-life/sunday-school/>

Activities for 9-10-year olds: Michelle and Matthew are holding a weekly Zoom group at 4:00 pm on Mondays.

Activities for 11-16-year olds: This Sunday Zoom group meets at 7:00 pm and is led by Michelle and Carolyn.

COLLECTION TIME

To donate to all the good work the church is doing, please use one of the methods below.



1. Our preferred method for one off donation is via **our JustGiving page**. Visit <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/allsaintsdedworth>
2. Or you can make a **transfer from your bank account**.
Our Bank Details are: Metro Bank: A/c name: **All Saints Dedworth**
Sort code: **23-05-80**: Account number: **34016674**
3. Regular giving is best made through **the Parish Giving Scheme**.
Details are on the church website.
<https://allsaintschurchededworth.com/about-all-saints/parish-giving-scheme/>

WEST WINDSOR HUB



Marks and Spencer's Slough have chosen the West Windsor Hub to be the recipient of their excess food stocks. Sometimes this includes ready meals and chocolates, in addition to fresh fruit and vegetables, pastries, and staples such as bread. All the food is of high quality but is reaching its 'sell by' date and so is needing to be used up! We have picked up 3 carloads over the last month. These donations are always welcome and for the last

2 weeks have helped us to deliver 24 food parcels to the needy.

We are continuing to work well with Foodshare and people are grateful for a top up of fresh food, which either comes from donations or we buy from it from Tesco. Many thanks to all who have donated to us!

We are also working closely with the Baby Bank, which is supplying nappies, milk and other basics for young families. Before the lockdown, Baby Bank regularly used premises at All Saints, to demonstrate baby resuscitation techniques to young parents.

Although one or two of our volunteers have returned to work, we still have around 70 registered volunteers, with a core of about 30 people working on shopping errands, collecting and delivering food from stores; collecting and delivering medicines and collecting excess government food parcels.

We are continuing with our phone a friend service for those who would like one.

Please continue to pray for us!

Ring us on **01753 342110** if you need help for yourself, for friends or for neighbours, whether this be food, medication, advice, or a friendly chat. And ring if you want to volunteer or give food or money! 😊

DIARY DATE

Our Mission and Our Vision

Your Chance to Help Recruit Our New Vicar

Saturday, July 11th at 10:00am – 12:00pm by Zoom

Please save the date. Meeting details to follow.



USEFUL CONTACT DETAILS

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TIMETABLE OF CHURCH EVENTS 7TH JUNE -28TH JUNE 2020

Date	Time	Title	Medium	Contact
All dates	Anytime	Dial a Service	Telephone	Sue Morgan and John Sturgeon
Sunday 7th June	9:45am	Streamed Sunday Service	YouTube	Andrew Giles
Sunday 7 th June	10:45am	Tea and Coffee after service	Zoom	Andrew Giles
Sunday 7 th June	7:00pm	Youth meeting 11 -16yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 8 th June	10:00am	God and Play Activity	YouTube	Ruth Norris
Monday 8 th June	11:00am	God and Play Meeting	Zoom	Ruth Norris
Monday 8 th June	12:00 pm	Prayer Warriors	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Monday 8 th June	4:00pm	Youth group for 9 /10-yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 8 th June	7:00pm	Pastoral Care Group	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Tuesday 9 th June	7:30pm	Bible Study	Zoom	Andrew Giles Ruth Norris
Wednesday 10 th June	7:30pm	PCC	Zoom	Andrew Giles
Sunday 14th June	9:55 am	Streamed Sunday Service	YouTube	Andrew Giles
Sunday 14 th June	10:45 am	Tea and Coffee after service	Zoom	Andrew Giles
Sunday 14 th June	7:00pm	Youth meeting 11 -16 yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 15 th June	10:00am	God and Play Activity	YouTube	Ruth Norris
Monday 15 th June	11:00am	God and Play Meeting	Zoom	Ruth Norris
Monday 15 th June	12:00pm	Prayer Warriors	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Monday 15 th June	4:00pm	Youth group for 9 /10-yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 15 th June	7:00pm	Pastoral Care Group	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Wednesday 17 th June	7:30pm	Children and Youth	Zoom	Ruth Norris
Sunday 21st June	9:45	Streamed Sunday Service	YouTube	John Sturgeon
Sunday 21 st June	10:45 am	Tea and Coffee after service	Zoom	Andrew Giles
Sunday 21 st June	7:00pm	Youth meeting 11 -16yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 22 nd June	10:00	God and Play Activity	YouTube	Ruth Norris
Monday 22 nd June	11:00	God and Play Meeting	Zoom	Ruth Norris
Monday 22 nd June	12:00	Prayer Warriors	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Monday 22 nd June	4:00pm	Youth group for 9 /10 yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Monday 22 nd June	7:00pm	Pastoral Care Group	Zoom	Barbara Carter
Tuesday 23 rd June	7:30pm	Bible Study	Zoom	Andrew Giles Sue Morgan
Sunday 28th June	9:45 am	Streamed Sunday Service	YouTube	Andrew Giles
Sunday 28 th June	10:45 am	Tea and Coffee after service	Zoom	Andrew Giles
Sunday 28 th June	7:00pm	Youth meeting 11 -16yrs	Zoom	Michelle Sturgeon
Saturday, 11th July	10:00am	Our Mission and Our Vision Recruiting Our New Vicar. Conference for the whole Church.	Zoom	Andrew Giles