## ALL SAINTS' UPDATE

## HALF TERM UPDATE 13<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2025



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Dear friends,

Let's gather to worship God on Sunday at 9:15 for Morning Worship and I Iam All Age Family Worship.

#### **Friday Youth:**

18:15 – 19:45 – Wonderfully Youth - school years 5-8 - come in through the Café entrance 19:45 – 21:15 – Quay - school years 9-13 – come in using the front entrance Please invite a friend and be praying for the groups!

Sunday 23rd February 5:30pm: Prayer Meeting with tea and toast afterwards

Pancake Party - Tuesday 4th March 4-6pm in the Church Centre. Come along and bring your friends! More information soon. Please note time change! If you can offer an after school fun activity please let Paul know!

**Supporting the local community:** All Saints' will be looking to hand food donated from The Community Fridge out on some Saturday's starting after Half Term. Volunteers are needed to help collect food from Tinkers Lane at 10:15 AM and then support the food distribution at the church for up to an hour. (Servers don't need to collect the food and whoever collects doesn't need to hang around to serve!) If you're available to help, please reply to this email or speak with Paul, Reina or Adam. Dates: 1st, 15th March, 12th & 26th April, 31st May, 7th, 28th June, 5th July and 2nd August.

Exciting news! ASD is preparing a new Church Electoral Roll: Being on the roll helps us all to stay connected and involved in shaping the future of the Church with Jesus. To be included, you must register or re-register—it costs nothing. Forms and letters will be ready to collect this Sunday. Please complete your form and drop it into the APCM Form Post Box in the Church by April 18th. Please take your letter and form this weekend and help shape the future of ASD Church!

Monday 24th February 10-1pm in the Café Studio - Baby First Aid Unfortunately the session last Monday was cancelled, new date is now 24th February - to book please see flyer below with details

Dr Sarah Reynolds is very passionate about ensuring everyone has access to basic baby first aid training so she puts on FREE sessions for the community.

World Day of Prayer service, to be held at St Edward's Church on Friday 7 March at 7pm.

#### Windsor Food Share are asking for bags and egg boxes please.

They can either be delivered to the food share which is open at the Baptist Church Wednesday and Thursday mornings or brought to ASD and Carol Hughes will deliver them.

Christian Aid Changemakers Conference on Saturday 8th March: Online 'Watch Party' in the Church Centre: Changing the world together – Let's gather to watch the annual supporter event on Saturday 8 March 2025 from 10.30am to 1pm. (More info at end of newsletter.)

Thames Valley Heartbeat will be offering free Defibrator and CPR training for adults and youths 11th March 2024 at 7pm at All Saints Church: There will be a sign-up form at the church from this Sunday – otherwise please contact Mike Brooks.

#### Life Groups at All Saints':

#### Please double check if you're group is running during Half Term!

Monday 19:45–21:30 in the Church Centre – Sung Worship Life Group – John S./Paul W. Wednesday 10:30 – 12:00 in the Church Centre – Reflections on the Bible – Sue Morgan Wednesday 22nd January at 7:30pm – Encouragement Course – Angela West and Andrew Giles



Thursday 10:45 – 12:00 in the Church Centre – Living Generously – Ruth Norris

Thursday 19:00 – 21:00 in the Church Centre – Freedom in Christ – Adam Wingrove. Meets on alternate weeks.

Emerge Advocacy Jobs: Emerge is advertising for a new Youth Support Worker for the Wexham Park Project. If you're interested, follow link to the job advert on their website; Jobs at Emerge Advocacy - Emerge Advocacy Please do share widely and be praying that the person being called to the role would apply.

Ready to take the Next Step on the journey with Jesus? Are you yet to be Baptised (publicly



declaring your faith in Jesus?) Do you like the idea of **reaffirming your Baptism vows** (renewing the promises made on your behalf when you were a baby?) Or Perhaps you haven't yet been **Confirmed** (declaring your commitment to being a follower of Jesus?) Be encouraged to take this important step in your faith! **For more information**, **reply to this email** for more information, or have a chat with **Paul** or **Adam** at some point. We're looking at installing a pool to do full immersion baptisms/reaffirmations in the spring if people would like that too!



Vine & Fig Tree Café: Get a free biscuit when you buy a hot drink! – Opening times: Mon – Fri - 10am – 2pm

Come and Pray: 9:00-9:30 Monday – Friday in the Church Centre. Prayer focused around the Lectio 365 material. It's good to gather together to pray!

#### Please pray:

Lift to Jesus families as we come to Half Term. Ask that the break would give people time to grow healthy relationships and that all would find time to rest.

Pray for the Youth Café, especially the young people and leaders who are seeking to invite their people with no connection to the Church to the event. Ask that God would prepare those he is calling for the invite.

Pray for Christians serving the persecuted Church. For the work of Open Doors and for those who love Jesus, but are at risk of harm for sharing him with others.

With love and every blessing, Paul

#### CHURCH LAUNCHING TWO NEW YOUTH CAFÉS

# WONDERFOLL YOUTH

School Years 5 – 8 Fridays: 6.15 - 7.45pm

Enter and Exit via Café Door

Card

Tuck Shop

Free

Hot Chocolate

P00 8 Table

Tennis

Prayer Space





Changemakers Conference: Changing the world together Online 'Watch Party' at All Saints. Dedworth

Come together with us to watch the annual supporter event on Saturday 8 March 2025 from 10.30am to 1pm

#### **Event details:**

We have an amazing programme (10.30am-Ipm) to inspire you, including: Stories of hope from a Programme Officer and Partner from Guatemala. Fundraising resources for Christian Aid Week 2025.

Updates from our humanitarian team on our ongoing response to global disasters, including our work in Gaza.

Our latest campaign action for 2025.

Reflections on 80 years of Christian Aid and what we've achieved together.

There will be a **Bring and Share lunch** opportunity following the event at **Ipm** at All Saints Dedworth. We can take this time to discuss all the exciting updates we've heard throughout morning and share fundraising ideas.

Contact Ruth Norris 01753 869787 (ruth norris@yahoo.com) for more details.





SMALL PRINT! Open on Fridays during termtime only and you'll need a signed health/consent. form to get in - Download here allsaintschurchdedworth.com/youth-cafe or scan QR code.

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**FREE BABY FIRST AID CLASSES** 

#### Classes run by

Dr Sarah Reynolds a paediatric emergency medicine doctor & cover CPR, what to do if a child is chocking and how to recognise the unwell child

**ALL SAINTS CHURCH DEDWORTH** - FREE PARKING ONSITE

10:00-10:45 AM **MONDAY 24TH FEB** 

TO BOOK, PLEASE EMAIL SARAH ON BBWBABYCPRCLASSES@GMAIL.COM

