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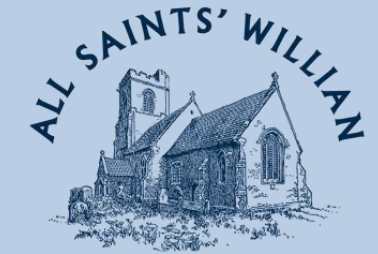
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Welcome to the Churches of St Paul's with All Saints' Willian



*We wish you a warm welcome.
If you are new here do make yourself known to one of the clergy team, we'd love to chat with you after the service - either during coffee in the church hall or at the back of church.*

Sunday 6th January 2019

St Paul's 8.30am

Holy Communion
Led by Rev Amanda Ferris.
Speaker Rev Amanda Ferris.

St Paul's 10.00am

Altogether Service
Led by Mrs Claire Harald.
Speaker Mrs Sarah Richardson.

All Saints' 11.00am

Parish Communion
Led by Mrs Joan Clark.
Speaker Rev Amanda Ferris.

*Readings for All Saints' - Ephesians 3:1-12 & Matthew 2:1-12
Reading for St Paul's – Luke 2:1-12*

Prayer for today:

Creator of the heavens, who led the Magi by a star to worship the Christ-child: guide and sustain us, that we may find our journey's end in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please pray for...

Jeannette Jackson, Michele Parker, Jill & John Eve, Chris Jenkins, Dee Ford, Jeff Garner, Mary Smith, Andrew Middleton, Mark Field, Rodney, Caroline, Richard Joyanah, Julie and George Gorst and Monnay.

Home groups

There are home groups meeting on every weekday, where we can come together to share our lives and Christian experience, learn from the Bible, pray together and have fun. Details of who to contact are at the back of the church and on our website:

<https://stpaulslethworth.co.uk/welcome/small-groups/>

This week:

Monday 7 January:

- Luncheon Club Returns: 8.30am in St Paul's Church.

Tuesday 8 January:

- Prayer Group: 10.15 for 10.30am start at 3 Netley Dell.

Wednesday 9 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 12.15pm in St Paul's Church Hall.
- Mothers' Union: 2.00pm in St Paul's Church Upper Hall
- JAM: 4.30pm in St Paul's Church
- JSD: 6.30pm in St Paul's Church

Saturday 12 January:

- WLTDO: 10.00am in St Paul's Church Hall. For children under 6 and their Dads or male carers.

Sunday 13 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am at St Paul's Church.
- Family Communion: 10.00am at St Paul's Church. With Bishop Michael
- Parish Communion: 11.00am at All Saints' Church.
- Joint Prayer Meeting: 6.30pm at All Saints' Church.

Next week: commencing 14 January:

Monday 14 January:

- Bible Study: 7.45 for 8.00pm start at 25 Greenway. Theme is Christians at Risk

Tuesday 15 January:

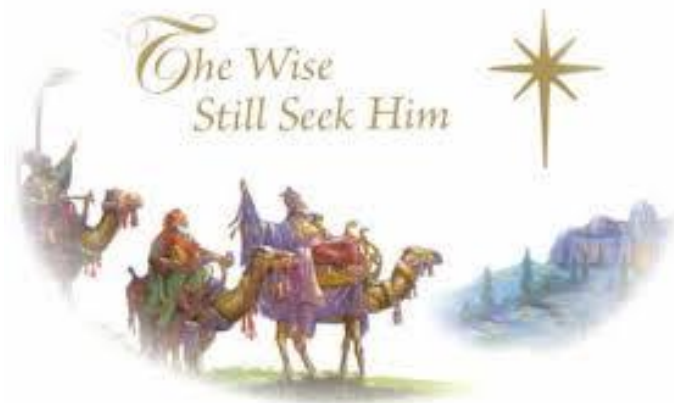
- Gateway: 2.30pm in St Paul's Upper Church Hall.

Wednesday 16 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am in St Paul's Church.
- Creative Space: 4.30pm in St Paul's Church Hall
- JSD: 6.30pm in St Paul's Church

Sunday 20 January:

- Service of Holy Communion: 8.30am at St Paul's Church.
- Morning Worship: 10.00am at St Paul's Church.
- Parish Communion: 11.00am at All Saints' Church.



What's happening soon...

Children and Families Worker post: Sadly for St Paul's, Claire's departure is fast approaching. The post has been advertised widely this week, with a closing date of 18th Jan and interviews on 30th Jan. Please pray for this process and please also feel free to tell anyone you know who may be interested. All information is on our website [hyperlink].

Foodbank: thank you for all the contributions so far. We still have the following shortages: Juice [Longlife], Milk [Longlife UHT] and Sponge Puddings.

Toddlers crafts needs your help: we are needing 2 pint milk cartons (washed out please) and jam jar sized jars for this term craft. We would be grateful for your help in saving these for us. Please leave them in the front porch or pop into the office during the week.

Mothers' Union meeting & AGM: 9th January when Claire Harald will be speaking on her Journey to Ordination at 2.00 pm Upper Hall. All visitors welcome.

On 20th February the AGM will take place at the Vicarage at 2.00 pm

Deanery Synod: the next meeting will be at St Paul's, Letchworth at 8pm on Thursday 10th January 2019. All are welcome to the open meeting where the speaker will be David Norton, Diocesan Director for Education.

Our next Joint Churches Prayer Meeting with an exciting new focus to our praying, will be on: Sunday, 13th January at All Saints Church, Willian, from 6.30pm to 7.30pm. Everybody is very welcome, please come - bring family, friends, colleagues and let's join together in an exciting and broadening new focus to our praying. Let's grow our praying discipleship.....Further details will be in the Notice sheet for January 13th.

PRAYING TOGETHER FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF OUR NEW CHILDREN AND FAMILIES WORKER
Please join with Claire, our Children and Families Worker, in the following prayer for the New Year:

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.' Romans 8:28

Heavenly Father who calls each one of us to new places at new times, we pray for your voice to be heard by the one who you have chosen to be here at St Paul's. We lift them to you and ask for them to be moved and guided by your Spirit as their love for you shines through. We pray for a preparing of their heart and mind as they respond to your call.

As we set off in the new year, we give thanks for the wonderful children and families who are so valued in our church and for those who volunteer in this ministry, we pray for each one of them as we transition to new horizons in the coming year.

Amen

