

## PARISH DIARY

TODAY 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018

Saffron Walden	8.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> 1662 T22
	President: David Tomlinson	
	10.00am	<b>FAMILY SERVICE</b>
	Leader: David Tomlinson	
	Talk: Tracey Nicholls	
Saffron Walden	11.45am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
	President: Angela Want	
	6.30pm	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> with prayers for wholeness & healing
Hadstock	President: David Tomlinson	
	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Ashdon	President: Andy Colebrooke	
	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Debden	President: Richard Spencer	
	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Wimbish	President: Jeremy Collingwood	
	11.00am	<b>MATTINS</b>
	Leader: Home Team	

THIS WEEK (All at St Mary's Saffron Walden, unless stated)

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October**

8.30am Morning Prayer

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October**

8.30am Morning Prayer

8.30am Morning Prayer *at Hadstock*5.00pm Evening Prayer *in the North Chapel***Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October**

8.30am Morning Prayer

9.30am Holy Communion

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October**

8.30am Morning Prayer

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October**

8.30am Morning Prayer

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October**

9.00am Morning Prayer

NEXT SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Saffron Walden	8.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> 1662
	10.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
	12 noon	<b>BAPTISM</b>
	4.00pm	<b>EVENSONG</b>
Sewards End	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Little Walden	11.15am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Hadstock	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Ashdon	9.30am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b>
Debden	9.30am	<b>MATTINS</b>
Wimbish	11.00am	<b>HOLY COMMUNION + BAPTISM</b>

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# The Grapevine

**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ASHDON**[www.allsaintsashdon.org.uk](http://www.allsaintsashdon.org.uk)**Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity  
21<sup>st</sup> October 2018****Collect**

Grant, we beseech you, merciful Lord, to your faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins and serve you with a quiet mind; 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 for ever.

**First Reading: Hebrews 5.1-10**

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.' In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

**Gospel: Mark 10.35-45**

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.' When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

**Post Communion**

Father of light, in whom is no change or shadow of turning, you give us every good and perfect gift and have brought us to birth by your word of truth: may we be a living sign of that kingdom where your whole creation will be made perfect in Jesus Christ our Lord.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**Churches Together Prayer Cycle:** In October please pray for Ashdon Baptist church & Ashdon Primary School

**Those who are unwell:** Stan Bradley, Dennis Sheldrick & Yvonne Dix

**The family and friends of those who have died recently:**

## TEAM

**DEBDEN LOCAL HISTORY RECORDERS' GROUP** "Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice" – A talk on the subject of Hymns and Hymn writers since the 16<sup>th</sup> Century with audience participation, **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October** 3.00pm @ Debden Parish Church. Free admission with retiring collection. Tea & cakes; all welcome.

**'LEST WE FORGET': 9<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> November** A production of poetry, songs, re-enactments, commentary, stills and film footage to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the ending of the 1st World War. 7.30pm in the Baptist Church. Tickets £5 (£3 for children) available from the Tourist Information Centre, tel 01799 524002, or at the door. *Edward Gildea*

**COLCHESTER AREA CROSSROADS DAY** on **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November**, St Paul's Church, Braintree, CM7 3DY is for people at every stage who are exploring what God might be calling them to next. The day is free and lasts from 10.00am to 3.30pm (coffee is available from 09:30, a free lunch is provided). To register to attend 'phone Revd Ian Hilton, CMD Advisor on 07813 538926 or email [ihilton@chelmsford.anglican.org](mailto:ihilton@chelmsford.anglican.org)

The next **JULIAN MEETING** will be on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November** at Sheilah Girgis-Hanna's house at 44 The Wayback @ 7.30pm.

**QUIET MORNING** "Gaudete: Joy in Advent" led by Rachel on **Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November** 9.30 - 12.30pm, exploring the pathways of joy for Mary and Elizabeth as taken from the beginning of Luke's Gospel. A great morning of reflection and prayer; please sign up at the back of St Mary's church, SW. All welcome! *Sue Walker*

**CHRISTMAS FAIR 24<sup>th</sup> November** Help is required in various areas for the Fair. Please see the noticeboard in St Mary's church, SW, and sign up where you can. Many thanks. *Pamela Mugliston*

**CONFIRMATION SERVICE** on **25<sup>th</sup> November** at 10am at St Mary's church, SW. If you are interested in being confirmed, I'd be pleased to hear from you. *David*

**KENYA PRESENTATION** John and I will be visiting Kenya from 15<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> October with clergy colleagues from across Chelmsford Diocese. When we return we will give a presentation about the trip on **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> November** at 7.45pm in the Parish Rooms - all welcome. Please keep us and the churches in Kenya in your prayers. *Rachel*

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX APPEAL** How about putting a big smile on the face of a child this Christmas by filling a shoebox with presents - the only presents they will receive? To find out more take a look at the noticeboard at the back of St Mary's church, SW, then pick up a shoebox and leaflet with suggested things to fill it with! Return your filled box to the noticeboard, or take directly to SW Baptist church. Thank you. *Judith Felgate*



## ASHDON

551 When morning gilds the skies  
90 Come down, O Love divine  
490 The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want  
204 He is Lord, he is Lord  
57 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart

### Dates for In Spirit and Truth:

- 6:30pm Saturday 3rd November, 11am Sunday 4th November
- 6:30pm Saturday 1st December, 11am Sunday 2nd December

### Other dates for your diary:

- Sunday 11th November, 9:30am joint **Remembrance Sunday service at Ashdon Baptist Church** (no service in All Saints) to mark the 100th anniversary of the ending of the First World War
- Sunday 25th November, 4pm, **'Light up a Life' memorial service** supporting the work of St Clare Hospice, Harlow.

### Christmas 2018 at All Saints

- Carol Service: 6:30pm Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December
- Christingle: 4pm Christmas Eve
- Midnight Communion: 11:30pm Christmas Eve
- Communion: 9:30am Christmas Day

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