



15th April 2018
3rd Sunday of Easter



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Today's Services

		President / Preacher
8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Sandie Osborne
9.30am	Parish Communion	Revd Canon John Byrne & Revd Emma Racklyeft
11.30am	11.30am AGM/ APCM & LUNCH	
6.00pm	Informal Service	Revd Emma Racklyeft

Today's Readings

8.00am	1 John 3: 1-7	Luke 24: 36b-48
9.30am	Acts 3: 12-19 1 John 3: 1-7	Psalm 4 Luke 24: 36b-48

Intercessions: Liz & Steve Venn MU Member

Flowers arranged by: Lesley Hallett

Vicar's day off this week: Thursday 19th April

Welcome to All Saints!
Refreshments are served in the hall after the 9.30am service every week. Please join us to have a chat, meet new friends and catch up with current ones.
Children are welcome in Sunday School or there are quiet activities at the back of church for them to enjoy.
If you are a newcomer please have a word with the Clergy, Churchwardens or Sidespeople.
We look forward to meeting you.

Psalm 4

Answer me when I call, O God of my right!
You gave me room when I was in distress.
Be gracious to me, and hear my prayer.
How long, you people, shall my honour suffer shame?
How long will you love vain words, and seek after lies?
But know that the LORD has set apart the faithful for himself;
the LORD hears when I call to him. When you are disturbed, do not sin;
ponder it on your beds, and be silent.
Offer right sacrifices, and put your trust in the LORD.
There are many who say, "O that we might see some good!
Let the light of your face shine on us, O LORD!"
You have put gladness in my heart
more than when their grain and wine abound.
I will both lie down and sleep in peace;
for you alone, O LORD, make me lie down in safety.

Mothers' Union Prayer

Loving Lord, we thank you for your love so freely given to us all.

We pray for families around the world. Bless the work of the Mothers' Union as we seek to share your love through the encouragement, strengthening and support of marriage and family life.

Empowered by your Spirit, may we be united in prayer and worship, and in love and service reach out as your hands across the world.
In Jesus' name,

Amen

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Please also check out and like our new Facebook page: www.facebook.com/allsaintsdenmead

TODAY: All Saints Church will hold its AGM (Annual General Meeting) and APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting) at 11.15am in church, followed by a bring and share lunch. Everyone is welcome!

Praying for Growth—We meet again tonight at 6pm for our Informal Service to pray for growth in our church and community. Please join us!

Church Work Group - Monday 14 to Friday 18 May. The church will be cleaned and painted during this week and offers of help would be much appreciated. It is intended to hire a cherry picker for reaching the higher parts of the church, but there will also be jobs at ground level! If you could volunteer to give some time during that week it would be very helpful if you could sign up on the list at the back of church, or email Mike Barge (denmeadbarges@aol.com) or Steve Venn (steve@svenn.co.uk) stating when you would be available (date and whether morning, afternoon or evening).

On **Tuesday 17th April at 10.30am** we will be holding a funeral service for Margaret Davey.

On **Thursday 19th April at 11am** we will be holding a funeral service for Ron Kennet.

Thursday 19th April 6.30pm in the **Upper Room**, first session of **Confirmation Preparation**. *Rev'd Sandie*.

Men's Group Pub Supper Thursday 19th April. All men are most welcome to join us for a pub supper at the Bat and Ball. This traditional pub is situated between Hambledon and Clanfield and sits alongside one of the oldest cricket pitches in the country. Please have a look at their website to see what their menu has to offer and also note the link which offers you a free drink if you sign up for their emailing list! **We will meet at 6.30pm in the church car park** where we will organise lifts. If you would like to join us please sign the list at the back of church or email Mike Barge at denmeadbarges@aol.com

Mothers' Union

Our annual dinner will be held at Barnard's Restaurant on **Friday 20th April at 6.30 for 7.00pm**. If you would like to go but haven't reserved your place, please contact me on 023 9225 9071 and I will give you details. *Diana Dey*.

GHANA VISIT - 8 members will be visiting our link parish of St Pauls, Tafo, Ghana from **April 26th - May 6th**. During our time there we will visit the mother care clinic at the regional hospital where they are treating premature babies in a new way. Part of the treatment involves assessing the babies for any physical or mental damage and I have been asked to help provide some basic sensory testing equipment. We have sought

professional advice and are taking out activity bags and are looking for the following: baby mirrors, small wooden toys, small pull along toys and any small musical toys. If you can help please contact *Angela Herring* 07890 995 327.

GHANA VISIT - If anyone would like to make a small personal donation towards the Mission House at St Pauls - there are some Harvest envelopes (St Pauls style) at the back of church - please hand into the office and they will be taken out with us. **Thank you.** *Angela Herring*

DENMEAD CHURCH FLOWER CLUB are holding their charity plant sale on **Saturday April 28th, from 11.00-12noon**, in the Church hall. A chance to buy quality plants at bargain prices! (Please leave any contributions of plants outside, along the wall, on Friday or early Saturday) - thank you.

Bereavement Group

This support group meets for tea and friendship for anyone recently bereaved on **Weds 25th April 2-4pm in the Church Hall**. For more information contact Merrill Partridge 9226 6159.

Save the Children

Please could we have good quality toys for a Toy Tombola? We need 100! There will be a box at the back of the church which will be emptied regularly until the end of May. Many thanks. *Sheila Gould* 02392 263 788

Next week's services

Sunday	8.00am	Holy Communion
	9.30am	All Age Communion
	6.00pm	Evensong

Next week's readings

8.00am	1 John 3: 16- end	John 10: 11-18
9.30am	1 John 3: 16- end	John 10: 11-18

If you have any information for the Church Notices please send to the Office email: office@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk or place in the P pigeonhole by noon on Wednesday.