



## Update for Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2025

### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Romans: Gospel – How can we be confident in our faith?

This week the readings are **Romans 1: 1-7 and 14-17 and Luke 9: 51-end.**

**At 8am** we gather for a **traditional BCP Communion Service** Canon David Power will lead and preside and Revd. Emma will preach.

**At 10am we gather for a Holy Communion** Peter Mitchell our Licensed Lay Minister (Reader), will lead and Revd. Emma will preside and preach. All are welcome to stay for refreshments served in our church hall after.

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Romans: Sin – What's wrong with the world?

This week the readings are **Romans 1: 18-23, 2: 1-3 and 3: 19-23 and Luke 10: 1-11**

**At 8am** we gather for a **traditional BCP Holy Communion Service** Revd. Emma lead and preach.

**At 10am we gather for a Holy Communion and Prayer Ministry, with groups for Kids and Youth at Ten.** Revd. Emma and Revd Buffy will lead and preach. This service will be live streamed. All are welcome to stay for refreshments served in our church hall after the service.

ALL SAINTS  
**KIDS**  
AT 10AM  
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**YOUTH**  
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### Paternity Leave – Lewis Jones

We are pleased to share that Lewis and Sophie Jones have had a baby boy, named Jack Kahanu. Therefore, Lewis will be on paternity leave until 6<sup>th</sup> July. Please contact the office during this time.

### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July 12.30pm – Wedding

We celebrate the wedding of Malcolm and Lucy Daniells, please note the church and car park will be busy at this time.

### Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1pm – Wedding

We celebrate the wedding of Steven and Sheryl MacSwayne, please note the church and car park will be busy at this time.

### Annual Leave 7<sup>th</sup> July – 20<sup>th</sup> July

Revd. Emma will be on annual leave at this time. Please contact the office for non-urgent matters during this time, or the church wardens if the matter is urgent.

## **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 7pm - Catholic Mass**

We welcome our friends from Sacred Heart Catholic church as they celebrate Mass here at All Saints. All are welcome to attend this service.

## **THE BAND OF HIS MAJESTY'S ROYAL MARINES CONCERT**

Continuing our successful concert run we are delighted to be able to welcome back The Band of His Majesty's Royal Marines for their annual concert at All Saints, Denmead on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November**.

**Tickets are now on sale** and available from Tina Cottam and the Church Office.  
*Tina Cottam tel. 023 9226 6924*



## **Romans: A letter that makes sense of life.**

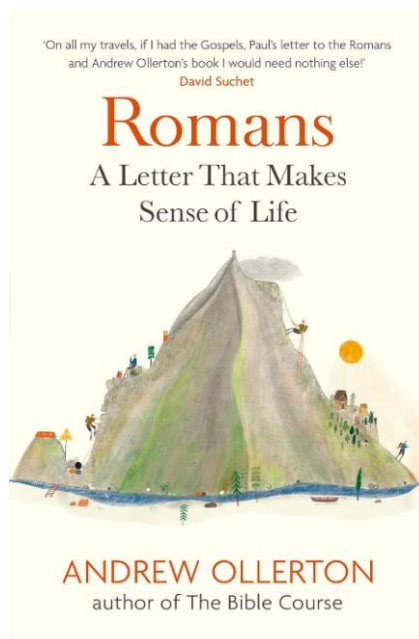
Last week we began a new series studying the book of **Romans** at both our 8am and 10am Sunday services.

There will be 11 weeks covering:

- *ROMANS: Introduction – setting the scene.*
- *GOSPEL: How can we become confident in our faith?*
- *SIN: What's wrong with the world?*
- *SALVATION: What's so amazing about grace?*
- *PEACE: How can we find rest in a stressful world?*
- *FREEDOM: How can we avoid negative cycles?*
- *HOPE: What has God promised?*
- *MYSTERY: If God is sovereign, what is our role?*
- *DEVOTION: How can we live full on for God?*
- *COMMUNITY: How can we live together in love?*
- *MISSION: How can we be ambitious with the gospel?*

We're going to use as our framework material from The Romans Course by the Bible Society written by Andrew Ollerton (the chap who also wrote The Bible course). Romans, Paul's longest letter is complicated however it unlocks the whole story of Scripture and helps us make sense of life. Studying Romans will equip and strengthen us as disciples today.

You may find it helpful to read Andrew Ollerton's book on Romans. (This can be ordered online at a retailer such as Amazon or Eden) We will also be sharing a couple of great videos on our website which give an animated overview of Romans. These are just a few minutes long, so well worth watching.



We have a few copies available to purchase on the table in the welcome area of church, £14 each, please place the money in the envelope provided in the wall safe behind the font.

### **Saturday 12th July 8.30am - Men's Breakfast**

Just to remind you that our next Breakfast is in the Church Hall when we get together over bacon butties, croissants and more. After breakfast Peter Dickinson will be sharing some thoughts on *The Joy of Words* and doubtless willing to hear a few of your own!

**ALL SAINTS**  
**MEN'S**  
**GROUP**

For catering purposes please let Don Tocher [don@donline.co.uk](mailto:don@donline.co.uk) know by Tuesday 8th July if you would like to come. Earlier than usual shopping in view this time! Hoping for a good get-together to which you are welcome to bring friends.

*Don, John, Paul*

### **Saturday 12th July 2pm – Inspire**

Ahead of a summer away or stay-cations INSPIRE are set to get together on Saturday 12th July. All women are welcome to join us at the White Hart pub from 2pm. Please feel free to eat lunch, have a dessert and/or a drink. Whatever takes your fancy. Looking forward to seeing you in the garden if the weather is in our favour, or inside if not. If you are interested in coming along or have any questions, please speak to Katherine over the coming Sundays, or use the WhatsApp group or the INSPIRE email: [inspire@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk](mailto:inspire@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk)

**ALL SAINTS**  
**iNSPIRE**  
**WOMEN'S GROUP**

We are always looking for new activities that you will be interested in. Seen a craft, walking route or restaurant you want to try? Email the INSPIRE mailbox and will continue to tailor events to suit those interests.

### **Tuesday 15th July 2pm - Mothers Union**

Mothers Union meet in the Heath room starting at **2pm**. Anyone and everyone is welcome!

## August 5<sup>th</sup> – August 8<sup>th</sup> Holiday Club

**Registration is open!!** Forms available from church, the office or on the website.



### **Pray for Holiday Club – and Get Involved!**

Preparations for **Holiday Club 2025** are full steam ahead – and we'd love the whole church family to be part of it.

At the heart of all we do is prayer. Our **Holiday Club Prayer Diary** is now available – a simple trifold sheet with daily prayer points and themes to help guide your prayers throughout the week of Holiday Club.

Please pick one up from the back of church and stand with us in prayer for the children, families, leaders, and all that God is doing.

*"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."* — **Matthew 18:20**

We are also asking you to save a few key dates:

- **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> August** (9am-1:30pm) - Help Set-Up
- **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August** (After Church) - Help take it all down

Even a short time helping makes a real difference and is always appreciated!

If you feel able to lend a hand — even for just one hour— or would like to know more, please speak to:

Lewis Jones, Lesley Handy, Peter Markham, or Mags Waters or

email [holidayclub@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk](mailto:holidayclub@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk)



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