

Morning Prayer is held every weekday at 8.30am in our chapel

Mission Partner Prayers: Mon - Church Mission Society (Alan, Lexi and boys) Tue -Mission Aviation Fellowship, Wed - The Children's Society, Thurs - WLW Foodbank, Fri - St Paul's Ghana.

Update for Sunday 10th May 2026 – Easter Season

Sunday 10th May – 6th Sunday of Easter

This week the readings are **1 Peter 3: 13-end and John 14: 15-21**

At 8am we gather for a **traditional BCP Holy Communion Service** Canon David Lindsay will lead and preside.

At 10am we gather for our **Together service**. This service is for all ages as we worship, learn, and grow together. The service will be led by Revd. Emma and team. Please stay after the service for refreshments and craft served in the church hall.

ALL SAINTS
TOGETHER
AT 10AM

At 6pm we gather for **Evensong** which Canon David Lindsay will lead and preach. All are very welcome.

Sunday 17th May – Sunday after Ascension (using Ascension Day readings)

This week the readings are **Acts 1: 1-11 and Luke 24:44-end**

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

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

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This will be followed by **11am – 12.30pm Children's Society Box Opening and Christian Aid Café in the church hall.**

The **Children's Society box opening** will take place in the church all after the morning service. If you are unable to come along to the box opening, please let Claire Thompson or Jane Dickinson know on craig-claire@gmx.com and we can make alternative arrangements.

Thank you, Claire and Jane.

Christian Aid envelopes are available to pick up from the welcome area. Envelopes can be returned to church wall safe, the parish office or bought on the day to the Café. Please remember donations can also be made via the QR code on poster overleaf.

Free Coffee & Cake!



With your help, we can ensure more people around the world get the skills and knowledge they need to fulfil their hopes and ambitions.

Please join us for FREE coffee and cake on

Sunday May 17th at All Saints Church Hall

From 11am to 12.30pm

Donate and help someone push back against poverty this Christian Aid Week.

If you are unable to join us but would like to donate, please pick up an envelope from inside the church and post it into the wall safe, or use this QR code to donate online...

Thank you



Tuesday 12th May 7pm – Roman 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.

Friday 15th May 12.30pm – Grounds Work Party for Late Spring Clean Up

Now that winter has passed and Summer is looming fast, it would be ideal to have a late spring clean-up around our church grounds in preparation for summer. It would mainly be tidying round our borders, taking dead wood from trees and strimming round & tidying our main hedges and edges. It would generally be lighter work.

If you can spare an hour or two on Friday 15th of May from 12:30pm, please contact Richard Handy on r.handy@ntlworld.com or 07545 617740.

Friday 22nd May 2pm Thanksgiving Service for the Late Mike Read

Janet Read, and her family invite all to a service of thanksgiving honouring the life of the Late Michael Read at All Saints on Friday 22nd May at 2pm, and after to tea and cake at Denmead Community Centre. (In the morning there will be a private graveside funeral at our local cemetery. Please only attend in the afternoon at All Saints- thanks)

Saturday 23rd May 8.30am - Men's Breakfast

All men are invited to our next breakfast taking place in the church hall on Saturday, 23rd May, at 8.30am when we get together over bacon butties, croissants, coffee and more. Whether you're new to All Saints or a long-standing member you're equally welcome. Also please bring a guest. For catering purposes please let John know byrne.jv@gmail.com 07906 370369 by Wednesday 20th May if you would like to come.

John, Paul & Don

'God With Us' – Thy Kingdom Come

From Thursday 14th May (Ascension) till Sunday 24th May (Pentecost)

- We join in praying for our local community – that this village of Denmead, and the surrounding areas, may know God's blessing and favour.
- We also pray for five individuals that we would love to see come to faith in Jesus Christ.

Please take one of the '**God With Us**' booklets from the church and use each day to pray for five and to pray for our community. Thank you.

Home Groups

Do you find that you don't have time or space at church on Sunday to get to know other Christians better and to have deeper conversations about worship, faith and the bible? Would you welcome the opportunity to meet with a small number of church members of mixed experience on a regular basis, outside church in a safe, relaxed, friendly, encouraging, caring, and supportive situation? **Why not give a Home Group a try? You don't need to commit yourself at first; give it a few weeks and see it suits.**

Home Groups offer a loving, confidential environment where Christians can share experiences, values and ideas about discipleship and spirituality, and can learn more about Jesus and develop their faith together, relating what they experience in church on Sunday to everyday life and the wider community. Meetings usually include periods of bible study, prayer, and discussions, with refreshments, about what it means in practice to each of us to be a Christian, as well as offering opportunities for meals and social activities together from time to time.

We have space in some of our Home Groups at present and our small Thursday evening group of men and women, led by our Licensed Lay Minister (Reader), Peter Mitchell, which meets every 2 or 3 weeks, would welcome 2 or 3 new members. If you are interested to find out more, please contact Peter at peter.mitchell@allsaintsdenmead.org.uk or call him on 07504 172968. Thank you.



EXCITING NEWS



ALL SAINTS



SUMMER CELEBRATION



This year we're launching a fortnight of summer celebrations during the month of August! On Friday 31st July our large Marquee will be erected in our church garden and will stay in place till Monday 17th August. It will be decorated with bunting and flags.

Over three weekends, and two full weeks we will be hosting a whole range of events, activities and services appealing to young, old and everyone in between! There will be craft – songs – food – music – laughter – ice creams – quizzes - stories and much more!

We've just formed a small team to start planning (Luke Bull, Daniel Crane, Katherine Wilkinson, Mags Waters, Amanda Hillyard, Revd Emma and Revd Buffy) If you would like to join us, please let Revd. Emma know asap. We'd love your input.

Over the next few weeks, we will create a clear plan for the events and then invite volunteers to help with welcoming, baking, crafts, serving, and many other valuable tasks. You can offer an hour or two or help at several events.

We hope this fortnight will provide a time of fun and fellowship for our own church community – but also create opportunities where we can invite friends along and enjoy some summer sunshine and share God's love!

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