



All Saints *focus*

21st November 2021

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Sunday Services

8am **BCP Holy Communion**

The link is: [All Saints Allesley 8:00am BCP](#)

10am **Family Worship**

The link is: [All Saints Allesley family worship 21st November](#)

Quiet Morning, Saturday 20th November

A morning to set aside quality time with God where we can give space to hear God's voice, encounter the presence of the Holy Spirit and worship Christ as King over all. More details coming soon but do put the date in your diary if you are interested.

Confirmations: Sunday 21st November

This Sunday at 4pm two members of our church family are being confirmed at Coventry Cathedral. Please do pray for them in preparation for the service and as they continue in their journey of faith after making this important step.

Encounter (Evening of Praise and Worship)

Sunday 21st November, 7:30pm

We have another time set aside in our church to focus on encountering and praising God and this time we are delighted to be welcoming the new Diocesan Worship and Discipleship Enabler and their small team so we can rest in God's presence and encounter the healing and awesome power of the Spirit.

Do put the date in the diary and set the time aside to get involved either in church or online.

Don Lindon's Funeral

The funeral of Don Lindon, a member of our church family, is happening on Tuesday 23rd November at 12:15pm in the church building. All are welcome if you would like to attend and pay your respects.

PCC Agenda

The PCC (key governing body of the church) are meeting on Wednesday (24th) and will be covering the following topics:

- sharing encouragements and pray together
- Safeguarding
- Hope into Action proposal
- Finance including the 2022 budget
- Personnel

If you would like your views on any of these topics heard please speak to a PCC representative before Wednesday.

Carriers of Hope and Christmas

Today (Sun 21st 10:00) is the last time you can leave assembled children's Christmas Shoeboxes in church. If anyone has any they've forgotten or part-filled or whatever do give me a call in the next couple of days to see if we can make some arrangement.

For the last few years Carriers have been giving their clients Christmas Party Bags. This year they are trialling two approaches for this:

(1) As in previous years they will distribute Christmas Party Bags filled with donated items. The bags need to contain Christmas treats: cakes, mince pies, trifle kit or similar, biscuits, sweets, chocolates/selection boxes and a £10 supermarket gift card to buy some fresh food.

(2) Carriers will also assemble some bags themselves by attaching a £15 gift card to something sweet (like chocolates or biscuits), so that clients can choose their own festive food.

So, if you want to help, you can either assemble a Christmas Party Bag and take it to 19 Napier St, CV1 5PR Monday 10-1, Tuesday 10-1 and Wednesday 4-8; or give some money towards the ones that Carriers will make up using this link: <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/18282>; or by sending £15 gift cards (for any supermarket) to 55 Garth Crescent, CV3 2PP.

Carriers are also appealing for toiletry gift sets and similar small gifts for their adults. These need to be taken to Carriers at Napier Street, as above.

Many thanks in anticipation, Lisa Payne (024 7640 3389)

Coventry City Mission Giving Tree Project 2021

The Giving Tree Project runs each year to provide Christmas presents to those children in Coventry who otherwise wouldn't receive them. In 2020, despite Covid restrictions, they were able to give presents to over 1,000 children!

Many people help by donating gifts and money to ensure each child who is registered receives a gift.

This is how you can support them:

Amazon Wish List-

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1F08E4G2IOTWO?ref=wl_share

Bank Account - Coventry City Mission, Account Sort Code 40-52-40, A/c No: 00018702, CAF Bank, 25 Kings Hill Avenue, West Malling, Kent, ME19 4JQ – please use the reference GT2021.



To watch their video about the project please follow this YouTube link - <https://youtu.be/3KkdKW7tYnQ>
From the Payne Small Group .

Catching up with Lizzy

I love catching up with my wonderful church family and being available to support you all. If you would like a conversation about anything, no matter how big or small, please do give me a call or send me an email rather than before or after church services or meetings to give space around those activities for fellowship.

Equip Hub

Interested in continuing your faith journey through learning and discovering resources? Check out the diocesan equip hub where there are loads of courses, events and resources to build you up in faith. <https://www.equiphub.org.uk/>

Thrive Ministry Fundraiser Comedy Event

Thursday 2nd December, 8pm, Holy Trinity Leamington Spa.
Tickets £12, £6 concessions (eventbrite or on the doors)
Comedy evening with Christian comedian Andy Kind

FAMILY NARNIA EVENT

Saturday 27th November 2021

3 to 5 pm

All Saints Church Hall, Allesley.

Come along and join Lucy as she goes through the wardrobe into NARNIA...

and meets Mr Tumnus, The White Witch, Aslan and has Supper with the Beavers

FREE EVENTBOOKING ESSENTIAL
allesleychildrenswork@outlook.com

an afternoon of games, crafts, drama and food for all the family

THE NARNIA EVENT IS NOW FULL. WE HAVE STARTED A WAITING LIST, SO PLEASE CONTACT LESLEY IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR DETAILS ADDING. THANK YOU.



Ministry and Mission throughout the Christmas Season

There are loads of exciting events and opportunities for connecting with our local community coming up in the next 6 weeks and we are looking for people to get involved. If you are able to support any of the following events please speak to Lizzy or Alison:

Narnia: weekend of the 27th November

Christmas Market: Saturday 11th December

Outdoor Christingle: Sunday 12th December

Carol Service refreshments: Sunday 19th December

Christingle Outdoors

On Sunday 12th December at 6pm we are holding an outdoors christingle event around fire pits in the churchyard and need your help to make it happen!

Would you be interested in offering refreshments or leading a small group

around a fire pit (all resources provided)? If so please speak to Lesley or Lizzy.

Giving as you shop

If you are starting to do your Christmas shopping do think about giving as you shop through easyfundraising.co.uk or amazonsmile.co.uk where the church can receive a donation without you spending any more money!

From the Pastoral Team

Do you know someone who would like to receive a card of support and encouragement from church? Please email/call Alison with their details.

Keeping Connected

Did you know that we have a church WhatsApp Group and a private Facebook group. It's a great place to encourage one another and to ask for prayer.

If you could like to be added to either or both, please contact Alison.

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