

PRAYER REQUESTS

The Churchwardens value your continued prayers and during the vacancy. Please pray for Rev'd Lisa Fairman-Brown and her family as she prepares to take up her post as Priest in charge of All Saints and Lyminster and they prepare to move.

For Angie Johnson and family, Jeff, Ron Jones, Dan and Beccy Jenkins, Steve Legg, John Baker, Margaret Millidge, Sue Moss, Dennis Elson, Gill Haworth, Maureen Perry, the Batchelors, Jonathan Black, Susan, Ian, Alex Penfold and Imogen her daughter and her son-in-law, Sarah's family & relatives of church family: Sophie, Jean, Jamie Colclough (Val Stewart's son).

Hazel says thank you for your prayers for her niece Anne who died peacefully and please pray for her husband Bob and family.

If you would like something about All Saints or other local churches publicised or would like your name added / taken off the prayer request list above please email Jonathan Black: wickinformation@gmail.com

OTHER SERVICES AND MEETINGS

Knit and Natter – Mondays 10.15am-12pm in The Garden Room at All Saints

Tots on Tuesday – 10am -11am at Wick Hall. Term time only.

The Garden Room Cafe and Information every Tuesday 10 am to 12 noon.

Midweek Communion – Wednesdays, 9.30am in All Saints

Coffee Morning – Fridays 9.30am – 12pm in All Saints

Splat! – fun-filled faith celebration for 45 mins with stories, music, craft, games and the Bible. 1st Sunday of the month starting at 9:30 at Wick Hall.

Online Prayer – 1st Sunday of the month **7:30-8:15pm** on zoom:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88323153741?pwd=TldsSBSeWFhcEtVFRuQUFVeFpUQT09>; Meeting ID: 883 2315 3741; Passcode: 343191

The 8pm – worship, hear from God, receive prayer. 2nd Sunday of the month 8-9pm at Wick Hall. Refreshments from 7:45pm.

In person prayer gathering – 3rd Sunday of the month **6-7pm** at All Saints

All Saints Wick Sunday 7 April:
Know, Love & Follow Jesus
Road to Emmaus

Welcome to All Saints, Wick. We are one Church, meeting on Sundays in All Saints (9am) and Wick Hall (10am for refreshments, service starts 10:30am). If you are visiting, please make yourself known to one of our welcomers.

Inside you will find our Bible reading for today, the church's prayer for this week and news of what's going on in the life of our church family.

We have groups for children and youth during our service in Wick Hall, apart from the 1st Sunday each month when we have Splat! at 9:30am for all ages. On the 1st Sunday refreshments are served in the small hall between Splat! and the 10:30am service.

We tend to stand to sing and at the beginning of communion but please do what you feel comfortable with. In Wick Hall the toilets are up the stairs and to the left or flat access is through the back door and round under the covered walkway.

Above all we hope that you feel welcome, and able to share in the good news of Jesus our risen Saviour.

CONTACT DETAILS

We've setup a detailed contact list on the church website for the vacancy for different areas of church life:

<https://www.allsaintswick.org.uk/428/Contact>

COLLECT (Worldwide Anglican prayer) for The Second Sunday of Easter

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.

BIBLE READING

Luke 24:13-35

13 Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. 14 They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. 15 As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them; 16 but they were kept from recognising him. 17 He asked them, 'What are you discussing together as you walk along?' They stood still, their faces downcast. 18 One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, 'Are you the only one visiting Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?' 19 'What things?' he asked. 'About Jesus of Nazareth,' they replied. 'He was a prophet, powerful in word and deed before God and all the people. 20 The chief priests and our rulers handed him over to be sentenced to death, and they crucified him; 21 but we had hoped that he was the one who was going to redeem Israel. And what is more, it is the third day since all this took place. 22 In addition, some of our women amazed us. They went to the tomb early this morning 23 but didn't find his body. They came and told us that they had seen a vision of angels, who said he was alive. 24 Then some of our companions went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but they did not see Jesus.' 25 He said to them, 'How foolish you are, and how slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken! 26 Did not the Messiah have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?' 27 And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself. 28 As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going further. 29 But they urged him strongly, 'Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over.' So he went in to stay with them. 30 When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. 31 Then their eyes were opened and they recognised him, and he disappeared from their sight. 32 They asked each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?' 33 They got up and returned at once to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven and those with them, assembled together 34 and saying, 'It is true! The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.' 35 Then the two told what had happened on the way, and how Jesus was recognised by them when he broke the bread.

SERMON NOTES – What's God been saying to you today?

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

Annual revision of Church Electoral Roll will be from Sunday 17th March to Sunday 7th April 2024. If you live in All Saints Parish or have worshipped (including online) for 6 months or longer, you are entitled to be on the Electoral Roll. Forms available at church and the hall or online (Church life – Annual meeting on the web site) Please return to Alison Manester or Churchwardens or email alimanester35@btinternet.com

The Garden Room Cafe will continue to open every Tuesday from 10 am to 12 noon and will reopen after the Easter break on Tuesday 9th April. Due to lack of volunteers and also lack of customers on a Thursday, the Garden Room Cafe will now be closed on Thursdays. However, we continue to welcome everyone on Tuesdays.

Wick Flicks – The Wick Action Group, which includes All Saints will be hosting a screening of Peter Rabbit 2 on Thursday 11th April. Doors open 1pm for 1:30pm start. Entrance 50p which includes drink and popcorn.

Operation Romania Trust – Coffee Morning. A coffee morning will be held on Saturday 20th April between 10am and Noon at Parkside Church, St Floras Road. There will also be cakes, books and puzzles for sale. Donations warmly received.

All Saints – Men's Meeting How do we navigate in a world of deception ? Come and Hear Steve Jennings from Maybridge Church Worthing. On: Thursday 30 May at 7.00 p.m. At: 115 Arundel Road Littlehampton BN17 7DH Steve is a great speaker and will help you understand how to seek truth in a deceptive world as an ex Jehovah's Witness. He'll discuss how he broke from the JW's and found peace in the truth.

Sacred Space – Sat. 11th May 2024

Rev'd Steve Gurr is leading a day of exploration on what we understand by 'sacred space', how it benefits our own spiritual journey and how it may benefit those we journey alongside. The event will be held at Micklepage, Nuthurst, Nr Horsham. £80 Please email Steve at ss.gurr@gmail.com for more details or see <https://www.chichester.anglican.org/events/2024/05/11/sacred-space-its-value-you-and-those-you-accompany/>