

Dear all,

Hopefully, all being well, you will be reading this copy of the runner on paper! I know that many of you have missed having this coming through your letter box, so I hope that you are pleased to see it return.

November sees us in Remembrance Season, and even though we have had to adapt them, our usual services will still go ahead. (See below)

For those of us that have had family and friends die during the last 8/9 months, whether Covid related or not, remembering them at this time seems even more poignant. For those who were bereaved in earlier years the lack of contact with family may make it hard too. However long ago you were bereaved, know that my thoughts and prayers will be with you. Time does lessen the pain, but it never fully goes away.

Not having the church open every day makes it harder for people to come and remember, which is why you will see the wooden cross in front of the church from the 1-28th November. If you would like to come down and place a stone at the base of the cross, in memory of someone who died, however long ago, then I invite you to do so. If you wish to write a name on it, that is fine too, but don't feel obliged to. You (and God) will know who you are remembering.

Please do continue to look out for each other during these winter months as the days get shorter and if I can be of any help, in any way, then please don't hesitate to get in touch.

with love, Fi x

Remembrance Sunday

The Remembrance Day service on the 8th November will be Zoomed and will start at 10.50 as usual. We will be processing up to the war memorial, but only I and the wreath bearers will be able to do so, in order to comply with the rule of 6, which applies outside of the church lychgate. If you do not have Zoom and would like to attend then do please book a seat in church via the website. Thank you— Fi

November 2020

Gathered Worship every Sunday at 10 am

Join us on **zoom** see back page for details zoom



There are limited spaces in Church please call 07769 856343 or book online at allsaintsgrayswood.org

8 am Holy Communion Services in Church

8th, 22nd, 29th November

10 am Services in Church and on zoom

1st- All Saints Day Communion 8th- Morning Worship for Remembrance Sunday 10.50 am 15th - Parish Communion 22nd - All Saints - 4th Sunday Service 29th - Advent Sunday

Children: activities for younger congregation members can be found on our 'Children at Home' page on the website

Private Prayer Church opening times Wednesdays from 10-12 noon

Grayswood Village Advent Calendar

Would you like to be part of something different this year? How about volunteering to provide a window for our Grayswood Village Advent calendar? The plan is that we have 24 houses, each with a suitable window visible from the road, and each day from the 1st -24th December a new window will appear around the village. I will provide you with a theme, which you can interpret in any way you like. If you would like to be involved then please email me on revfigwynn@gmail.com by the 15th November so that we can get organised before the next runner is produced. If we have more than 24 applicants (which I hope we will) then I will draw the names at random and those who are unsuccessful can be first on the list next year! I think it could be great way to bring the village together and would be fun for the kids to spot walking to and from school.

Contact: 07769 856343 or allsaintsgrayswood@gmail.com Next deadline: 15th Nov

FAREWELL

We must sadly say a very fond 'farewell' to David and Judy Culhane – who have both been active in many volunteer roles at All Saints, for more years than they perhaps care to remember. Although no moving date is yet certain, the congregation took the opportunity at the end of our Annual Parochial Church Meeting to express our thanks and present a gift of John Lewis vouchers to David and Judy.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to both of them and particularly to Judy for undertaking her role as PCC Secretary for the last 20 years or so. She has done a wonderful job and made sure we abide by Church of England rules! David and Judy are moving down to Devon to be near to family and will be very much

missed, not just by the All Saints congregation but by many in the wider Grayswood community.



EXHIBITION AND ART SALE

Exhibition of **Mary Kernutt**'s original artwork which will be available for sale in aid of the Neema Children's Home Kenya and Tearfund.

Exhibition of **Simon Congdon**'s landscape photography

Sale of British wildlife photos by **John Gamble**. Images available on canvas or as prints, supplied in an oak or gold finish frame. Greetings cards are available for 20 of the images. Sets of 6 are supplied in a folder for only £6 and make great Christmas presents.

Exhibition open by appointment from Saturday 24th October.
Summer house at 4 Manor Lea Haslemere GU27 1PD

Please book a day and time slot by phoning Rob Noble on 07535992322 (face masks must be worn) or order online at www.theneemasociety.com



Ramblings from a sofa shopper

I go shopping on a regular basis since lockdown.....online! Keen to stay out of circulation my monthly haul of tins for the dog now arrives on the door-step, saving me the effort of carrying it.....and, as I have signed up to "Subscribe and Save", I get an additional 15% off, making it far cheaper than the local supermarket....but they don't loose out as I have an online grocery delivery too . However, the best bit is that whilst shopping online I have been raising small donations for All Saints Church as well. Admittedly it's only £6.04 since I started but it has cost me no effort - all I had to do was set up an App on my tablet and remember to access Amazon, Waitrose, John Lewis, M&S....or wherever I was shopping.....through the App. The remember bit was a challenge initially but is automatic now. Sadly, though, only 26 people appear to have joined the scheme. Could you be tempted to swell the numbers? Have a look.....and don't forget to select ALL SAINTS CHURCH GRAYSWOOD as the good cause you wish to support. Thanks, Angela.



https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/allsaintsgrayswood/

Or follow the link from our website





Save the date for our **November Zoom meeting**

DATE: Wednesday 11th November **TIME**: 7:45pm

Our village W.I. meetings have happily continued during lockdown via Zoom (which can also be accessed by telephone). We welcome new members and guests to every meeting.

November is our AGM. This will last for approximately 30 mins and we look forward to welcoming a guest speaker for the remainder of the meeting.

For more information contact:

grayswoodwi@gmail.com Guests welcome for a small fee. New WI memberships available.

Find us on Facebook @GrayswoodWomensInstitute



FACE COVERINGS MADE TO ORDER

I am still making 2 ply nonsurgical masks and will be happy to make them for anyone who needs one.

Ring me on 01428 654418. No charge but a small suggested donation of £2.50 to All Saints would be appreciated.

Trish Bell

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Call 01428 642821 to book an appointment https://cococarmel.co.uk/ Celebrating 10 years in Grayswood

GRAYSWOOD BOOK CLUB

We will be holding a Zoom session to discuss: The Salt Path by Raynor Winn on Tues, 17th November at 8 pm Please contact Angela on awheeler100@gmail.com



?? NOVEMBER QUIZ NIGHT???

Grayswood Club Quiz Night will be held on 26th November via email. Contact Angela awheeler100@gmail.com



GRAYSWOOD CLUB

OPEN

Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8.00pm.

New members welcome (£10 annual membership/£5 for over-60s).

THE GRAYSWOOD VILLAGE HALL IS "GOOD TO GO"!



We have been awarded the industry standard COVID-19 secure status by VisitEngland. This confirms that we are adhering to respective Government and Public Health guidance, and have the required processes in place to keep you safe.

Currently we can accommodate a maximum of 30 people in the main hall socially distancing, with groups of up to 6 people, inline with the Government guidelines. Please email grayswoodvh@outlook.com for more information and to book the hall for your classes, gatherings and meetings.

Next deadline: 15th Nov

CARDS FOR GOOD CAUSES

Tuesday 27th October – Friday 18th December

Venue: The Old Sweet Shop, 70B High Street, Haslemere GU27 2LA (near Haslemere Museum)

Time: Monday – Saturday 10am – 4.30pm

Contact: 01428 653584

Haslemere Cards for Good Causes is a multi-charity Christmas card shop selling cards (many with a religious theme) on behalf of over 30 national and local charities including for the first time The World Wildlife Fund. Helped by the support of local volunteers we are able to give a very high return to these charities. We also stock advent calendars, wrapping paper, tags, stocking fillers and other traditional gifts.



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CHURCH SERVICES IN NOVEMBER

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All Saints - All Saints Day Communion

Nov 1, 2020 10:00 London

Meeting ID: 852 1232 0357 Passcode: 004137

All Saints Remembrance Day Service

Nov 8, 2020 10:45 London

Meeting ID: 815 8886 5583 Passcode: 592160

All Saints Parish Communion - Justin Manley-Cooper

Nov 15, 2020 10:00 London

Meeting ID: 894 2145 5455 Passcode: 349648

All Saints 4th Sunday Service Nov 22, 2020 10:00 London

Meeting ID: 818 8800 3742 Passcode: 845048

All Saints Parish Communion - Chris Bessant

Nov 29, 2020 10:00 London

Meeting ID: 884 8835 3480 Passcode: 536832

All services: 0131 460 1196 United Kingdom:

If you are calling in to zoom - dial the number for the relevant service. You will be asked to enter the meeting ID followed by the # key. You will be asked to enter the passcode followed by the # key. They will then tell you that you have joined the meeting and are on mute. Please do not unmute yourself unless necessary as this can distort the reception for everyone else. If you do need to unmute you press *6. Please note that unless you have inclusive calls then the calls will be charged at your usual standard rate - which would be for approximately 40 minutes.

WAYS TO CONTACT THE CHURCH Would you like us to pray for you?

God hears you, but it is good to know you have other people who care, joining with you! Phone us, email us, pop a note into the box in the church porch, or ask someone to pass a message on. A first name is all we need and confidences are ALWAYS respected.

Would you like to speak with a priest? Revd Fi Gwynn works part-time. Her day off is Friday.

Tel 01428 654728 / 07769 856343 Email: revfigwynn@gmail.com

Baptism? Wedding? Funeral?

Please contact the church office on 07769 856343 or email allsaintsgrayswood@gmail.com in the first instance.

Do you have a general enquiry?

You can still contact our church administrator Sarah Bennett by email allsaintsgrayswood@gmail.com

For more information, please visit our website:

allsaintsgrayswood.org

VILLAGE PRAYER

In November, we pray for those who live and work in Grayswood Road and Haslemere Road



HASLEMERE FOOD BANK

The Haslemere Food Bank continues to operate thanks to generous donations.

Tuesday Trolley Collection 9.30-11.30 at Grayswood Village Hall or **Wednesdays Church Porch** when the church is open for private prayer (10am – 12 noon).

THANK YOU for your support

Please remember that all of us can need support at some time or another especially in the present circumstances, IF YOU, or ANYONE YOU KNOW is in need during this time please do not hesitate to obtain a voucher for the Food Bank.

Please speak in confidence to Rev Fi Gwynn if you or a family you know are in need on 07769 856343.

All good wishes from the Haslemere Food Bank, stay safe stay fed!

DONATIONS

Items URGENTLY needed during lockdown: (Large packets, bags and jars are very generous but difficult to fit into food packs.)

- Tinned bakjed beans fish fruit custard jam marmalade long life milk
- pulses, Tinned potatoes, tinned tomatoes
- Noodles, Couscous, Rice, Oats
- Tinned meat and fish
- Tinned spaghetti and baked beans
- Coffee and tea
- Pasta sauce,

