



Dear All

Welcome to this September edition of The Runner. If you were on holiday during August, I do hope you returned refreshed and renewed and if September is your holiday season – enjoy!

In many ways, September has a 'new year' feel, as the schools return, and many leisure activities restart after their summer break, or possibly this year restarting after the enforced closure! (At the time of writing, I do hope and pray that all will be well for us come September.)

September is a busy month for us here at All Saints, as we continue to progress towards restriction free services. It has been such a joy to sing once again, albeit masked! Everyone's health and wellbeing is paramount and we will keep an eye on the latest advice. If you wish to attend any of our services please do come along, no need to book, - you will be most welcome. Or, if you prefer to join us via zoom, login details are both available here and on our website. As Fi has written in the past, All Saints is for everyone not just for our regular Sunday congregations. The church is open daily 9.30 – 4(ish) for private prayer or simply some quiet away from life's busyness.

Two September events to note:

Saturday 11th September: the annual Surrey Churches Ride and Stride - see details overleaf.

24th-26th September: the Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby is visiting Guildford Diocese. At meetings around the diocese, he will speak on security and hope in uncertain times, and be responding to people's questions and concerns. ++Justin will be visiting the Godalming area on Sunday 26th September 1.30-2.45 at Priors Field School. If you would like to attend please do contact, Fi, myself or the parish office, we would be delighted to have you as our guest or alternatively you can book directly:
www.BigQuestionsGodalming.eventbrite.co.uk

Finally, please do look out for details of our forthcoming homegroup focussing on the nature of prayer and for our new monthly 'Time to BE...' - an opportunity to gather together (on zoom for the time being) to spend some quiet time with God and each other.

Every blessing for the coming month, Love Elaine x

Are you exploring confirmation? Do you want to affirm the promises made at your baptism for yourself?

The next local Confirmation Service will be held on 14th November 6.30 pm at St Mary's Chiddingfold. If you are interested or have any questions then please contact Fi on revfigwynn@gmail.com



SEPTEMBER 2021

CHURCH SERVICES

8am Holy Communion:

2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays

10 am Services:

In Church and on zoom every Sunday - all welcome no booking required

Services will continue on **zoom**.
 For details of how to join see our website or see the back page



allsaintsgrayswood.org

CHURCH OPEN

Every day from 9.30 to 4 (ish)

Whether you want to pray, give thanks or find hope in times of despair, our beautiful Grade II listed church is open for you every day

COVID UPDATE

With the lifting of restrictions our pattern and content of worship will start to return to that which was familiar pre-pandemic.

Please see the letter from Fi and the PCC on our website outlining the next steps and emphasising our individual responsibilities and consideration for others.

It will take time for these changes to settle down and will be reviewed week by week. Since March 2020 we have had considerable variation in the pattern and content of worship, which we now hope to settle into a permanent state. As always, your goodwill and cooperation are much appreciated.

HANDSOME

HANDSOME is a no holds barred exploration of life with Down's Syndrome and a sibling relationship pushed to the limits. This documentary takes Nick (who is a Grayswood resident) and his brother Alex to Cornwall, New York, Mumbai and Vietnam to meet other siblings like them, and explore what life is like for siblings with Down's Syndrome around the world.

HANDSOME is released on demand on 30th August 2021. If you would like to watch it, it can be accessed on all major platforms including Sky Store, iTunes, Google Play, Rakuten and YouTube Movies.

"An intimate and beautiful film. I encourage people to see it." - Louis Theroux.



SURREY CHURCHES RIDE & STRIDE SAT. 11TH SEPTEMBER 2021



Ride or Stride round our churches & raise money for our own church and others in Surrey

All Saints Grayswood will be offering refreshments to walkers and riders.

If you wish to participate and raise money for All Saints please contact

our local Church Organiser Tracy Garland on
pccsecgrayswood@gmail.org

or

County Organiser Hamish Donaldson on 01428 644473

www.SurreyChurchesPreservationTrust.org

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ENROLMENT DAY is on
Monday 6th September at 1.30 pm
at Haslemere Hall
WANT TO JOIN US ?

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E: membsec@haslemereu3a.org.uk
Facebook: haslemere u3a
Registered charity no. 1053049

u3a.org.uk

THE HUNTER CENTRE

Supporting those living with

DEMENTIA



OPEN EVENING

THURSDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER, 7PM

At The Hunter Centre, Marjorie Gray Hall, Grayswood Road, Haslemere GU27 2BW

With guest speaker Mary Jordan from Adapt Dementia who will talk about the difference between general ageing and dementia. Refreshments available.

To reserve a place, please contact Elaine Clement
01428 654710 or manager@thehuntercentre.co.uk



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All Saints Church Grayswood has been paid by
#easyfundraising!

Thanks to everyone who's helped make a difference during this difficult time by raising donations for us. If you're not supporting us yet, please sign up now. It takes 2 minutes & 5,900+ shops will donate to us for free every time you shop with them! Visit:
easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/allsaintsgrayswood

TIME TO BE...IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

A quiet hour where we can pray with scripture and pray for others

3rd Wednesday of the month @7pm

**15th September, 20 October,
17th November and 15 December.**

Zoom code: 844 4083 8929

Passcode: TimetoBe

Please do email Revd Elaine Collins for more information and/or to go on the mailing list for this ongoing event.

revelainecollins@icloud.com

Everyone welcome!

Start!

Asking questions about life and the Christian faith ...

Wednesdays in church 9.00 -10.15

(Tea/Coffee from 8.45)

5th, 22nd, 29th September and 6th ,13th ,20th October

Come along and join us, even if you can't make all the sessions.

For more information please contact Rev Fi Gwynn –
revfigwynn@gmail.com or call 07769 856343

GRAYSWOOD BOOK CLUB

The Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy - by Rachel Joyce

on Tues, 21st September at 8 pm

Contact Angela on awheeler100@gmail.com



GRAYSWOOD VILLAGE CLUB

Open: Sun 12 - 3; Wed 7.30 - 10; Fri 7 10-30

QUIZ NIGHT resumes for members on 30th September at 7.30 pm

For more details see : grayswoodclub.simplesite.com

MEMBERS ONLY - It's easy to join - call 07808 474147

SAVE THE DATE! VILLAGE NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION



GRAYSWOOD TENNIS PICNIC

When: Sunday September 19th from 11am

Where: Grayswood House, Lower Road

What: Rob & Jo Shaw are hosting a very informal Tennis Tournament with BYO picnic in the garden

Who: All welcome to come & play/watch/natter

Prizes: Junior and Mixed age Doubles Cups are up for grabs

RSVP: joannawoodartist@btinternet.com
or tel. 01428 656163/ 07710 428193

Hope you can make it



Join us for our September WI meeting

Wine & Cheese Tasting with The Haslemere Cellar

DATE: Wednesday 8th September

TIME: 7:45pm

We are delighted to welcome Richard Royds, proprietor of The Haslemere Cellar & Cheesebox, to our September meeting.

Richard will take members and guests through wine and cheese pairings, along with an expert talk on this topic.

Please note: This meeting is by RSVP only, as numbers need to be confirmed for our guest speaker. Guests are welcome for a contribution to cover the cost of wine and cheese, so please contact us if you would like to attend.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

EMAIL: grayswoodwi@gmail.com

WEBSITE: grayswoodwi.wixsite.com/home

FACEBOOK: [@grayswoodwomensinstitute](https://www.facebook.com/grayswoodwomensinstitute)



CAKES AND MORE

When? Sat 11th September/9th October, 10.30-12

Where? The Village Club

What? Cakes, produce and baby plants and paperback books Please come and support us!

Contactless payment preferable For more info or to make a cake/book donation, contact

Di 654303/ 07769 871720 or drdcook01@gmail.com

CHURCH SERVICES FOR SEPTEMBER

Church open for all 8 am and 10 am Services

Sept 5th	10 am Parish Communion Zoom Meeting ID: 818 2104 2660 Passcode: 138892
Sept 12th	8 am Holy Communion in Church 10 am Morning Worship Zoom Meeting ID: 830 7975 9299 Passcode: 148783
Sept 19th	10 am Parish Communion Zoom Meeting ID: 871 5070 3830 Passcode: 714925
Sept 26th	8 am Holy Communion in Church 10 am 4th Sunday Service with baptism Zoom Meeting ID: 828 6508 6519 Passcode: 372046

HARVEST FESTIVAL
3RD OCTOBER 2021 AT 10 AM

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.*

HASLEMERE FOOD BANK

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

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!

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

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

Revd Elaine Collins is available Mon and Weds mornings and all day Friday.

Tel 01428 714385

Email: revelainecollins@icloud.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 September, we pray for those who live and work in Lower Road, Park Close and Ash Tree Close



DONATIONS NEEDED PLEASE

This month we are very short of:

- * Tinned fruit
- * Tinned fish, tinned meat
- * Tinned soups, tinned pasta (e.g. ravioli)
- * Tinned vegetables, pulses, tomatoes
- * Crisps (6 pack)
- * Wrapped biscuits (e.g. Kit-Kats, 6 pack)
- * Biscuits
- * Coffee (medium size)
- * Tea bags (40-bag packs)
- * Rice, Oats
- * Toiletries: shampoo, bath soap.



Please donate small packets—large packets, bags and jars are very generous but difficult for us to fit into the food packs **Thank you**