



All Saints Church
Grayswood

For God, for one another, for the world

Sunday 29th October 2023
All Saints Patronal Festival

8 am Holy Communion
10 am Patronal Festival

President: Rev Elaine Collins

Collect: God of glory, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings: 1 John 3. 13 (Richard)
Matt 5. 1-12 (Emma)

Sermon: Rev Fi Gwynn

Chalice Bearer: Jane

Intercessions: Rev Chris Bessant

Sidespeople: Jackie and John

Next Sunday: 8 am Holy Communion
10 am Parish Communion

In **October**, we pray for:

The church in the world: Anglican Church of Melanesia

Our quarterly mission: Skillway

Our village: those who live in Lower Road, Park Close and Ash Tree Close

Individuals in particular need: Mathilde, Jane T, Jan F-D, Naomi, Andrew and baby Abigail, Fiona T, Joanne T, Eugene, Jasmin, Rhys, Anthea, Ted those caring for others, those known to us, and only to God.

RIP: We pray for the families and friends of Janet Boxell

Anniversaries in October:

Baptisms: Benjamin Byrne

Marriages: Katherine & Nick; Adele and Matt

Deaths: Estella Harris, Jeanne Dolmetsch, Audrey Creasey, John (Sandy) McCarthy, Christine Smithers, Jonquil (Mary) Giles, Mary Holthouse

Church open daily from 9.30 to 4 (ish!)

Morning Prayer: Wednesdays from 9-9.30 in the North Transept- All welcome

ZOOM Connection details are on the church website
allsaintsgrayswood.org

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NOTICES

Please turn off mobile phones during the service



You are warmly invited to attend the **Annual Memorial Service** on 2nd November at 7.30 pm

Whether you are remembering someone who died recently, or many years ago, please join us in this Service of Thanksgiving

If you would like us to read out the names of those you are remembering during a time of prayer, please phone Sarah on 01428 656504 or email allsaintsgrayswood@gmail.com

Parish Quiet Day for Advent on Saturday 18th November 2023 on the theme Emmanuel – God with us – details to follow.

Toddler Group is taking a break for half term

House Group meets on Tuesdays from 7.30pm

Quiz Night with chilli and rice supper. Gather the Gang and get competitive!

November 24 | 7 pm | Cash bar | Village Hall
Form a group of 8 and get ready to battle it out. Tickets available for £10 (inc supper/veggie option) from Pauline pjlamb4@gmail.com. Raising funds for the Friends of All Saints Grayswood

Christmas Fayre Sat 2 December 11.00am – 1.30pm Grayswood Village Hall. It's that time of the year again and we are putting together our plans for the Christmas Fayre. Any brocante, unwanted gifts (check in your cupboards for unused treasures from those birthdays and Christmases past!!) and, nearer the time, cakes and plants, would be gratefully received. Please support us and help make this a great success again. Contact Di drdcook01@gmail.co.uk

Please pray – all our rotas are short of volunteers especially to lead intercessions - please speak to Fi or Elaine or the churchwardens – help, books and inspiration can be provided

Joining on zoom - Topic: All Saints Sunday Service
Time: 10 am Sunday
Meeting ID: 325 676 8563 | Passcode: 2023

Parish Giving Scheme: Please consider giving regularly to the church by Direct Debit. It is very easy to do online parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/ then enter All Saints Grayswood and click on give now.

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