⌖ Diary for the coming week ⌖

2nd Sunday of each month - 6.30pm
Sacred Space - contemplative worship
in the church

Thursday – 5.00 pm
Evening Prayer
in the church hall

Friday - after school (in term time)
Explorers
in the church hall

Sunday 1st December 9.30am
1st Sunday of Advent
Parish Communion
led by the Rev'd Susannah Underwood
Readings for next week
Reading 1 - Jeremiah 33.14-16 Marlene Duke
Reading 2 - 1 Thessalonians 3.9-end John Rowland
Gospel reading – Luke 21.25-36 Margaret Tebbutt

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Find out more about All Saints at
www.datchworth.com/local-information/church/
and on Facebook – All Saints Church Datchworth

⌖ For Your Prayers ⌖

Please pray for:

The Sick and those caring for them:

Margaret Bakhru, Tony Charles, Mary Coleman, Gordon Cornell, Helen Doherty, Terry Fleming, John Hawes, Jonathan Hawes, Andrew Hide, Charlotte Jesse, Moy Martin, Mia Percival, Lily Rayner, Sarah Richardson, Mick Stoddart, Helen Tross, Betty Williams and Harry.

We give thanks for those whose health has improved.

The family and friends of those who have died.

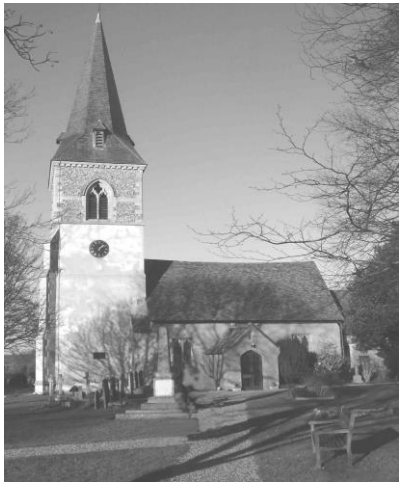
Our clergy: David, Dominic, Philip, and Susannah.
All the Churches of our Team Ministry.
For Explorers and Tweenagers and those who help to run the groups.

This week we pray for the residents of
Bishops Road, Bragbury Lane, and Bragbury Close.

We give thanks and pray for
our Cleaners, Coffee makers, and Fair-Trade sellers.

Welcome to All Saints

Datchworth's Parish Church



Sunday 25th November 11.15am

Christ the King
Sunday next before Advent

Family Service (non-eucharistic)

Catherine Jupp
will lead our worship
with the help of the Explorers group (which meets every Friday)

We welcome all visitors to this service.
We invite you to join us in the church hall afterwards for a cup of tea or coffee.

For those with a hearing aid,
an induction loop is fitted in the church.

⌖ Order of Service ⌖

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Opening Hymn 458 At the name of Jesus

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Collect
God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and to follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory. **Amen**

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Reading Psalm 93

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Hymn 443 He is Lord

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Hymn 279 Make Way!

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Hymn 459 Crown him with many crowns

Notice Board

Special Services for Advent and Christmas at All Saints

Sun 2nd Dec 6:30pm Advent Carols at St Mary's Welwyn
Sun 9th Dec 6:30pm Sacred Space
A quiet reflective, candlelit service for Advent
Sun 16th Dec 3pm Christingle
Thurs 20th Dec 7pm Carols by Candlelight
Sun 23rd Dec 11:15am Family Service with Nativity. *Adults and children come dressed as your favourite nativity character for a 'scratch' nativity!*
Christmas Eve 5pm Datchworth Crib Service
11pm Datchworth Midnight mass
Christmas Day 10am All age Holy Communion
All other Sunday services as normal at 9.30am

Stevenage Food Bank

Please put any items you can in the box at the back of the church. Full details at www.stevenagecommunityfoodbank.org.uk

Bible Study is back to Wednesdays!!

We will meet on **November 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th** at **7 Great Lawne**. **- 812613** Please let me or Howard know if you are coming, but last minute decisions are fine. Catherine

Church Christmas Cards

We have new cards for sale with lovely photos of church and village scenes. The design and printing of these has been organised by the Friends of the Church. All proceeds from sales will go towards the repair of the stonework around the windows.

Would you like to welcome Mary and Joseph into your home for a night?

Once again our knitted nativity will be travelling around the parish during Advent, setting off on 2nd December and returning to church at the Crib service on Christmas Eve. This is a lovely tradition for children and adults. If you can offer them a welcome then please add your name to the rota in church or contact Susannah by email or through the church Facebook page.

Sharing Experiences of Life for Children in a Refugee Camp *An Evening with Zeina Zacker*

Wed 5 Dec, 6.30pm for 7pm, Church Hall
(light refreshments provided)
Zeina, a Muslim, works at a Children's Centre in *Nahr al Bared* camp, close to the Syrian border and home to 30,000 Palestinians, many displaced from Syria.
The Centre looks after 200 children at a time, helping them recover from trauma in a safe, peaceful environment. The children's centre is funded by Christian Aid and run by **Najdeh,** its long-standing partner in Lebanon Contact Lynda Dent (01438 812156) to confirm your attendance.

All Saints safeguarding policies

can be found on notice boards in the church porch and church hall. Contact Chris Hills our Safeguarding Officer if you have concerns about children or vulnerable adults in our care.

If you have any notices send to
margaret@burnhamgreen.com
Latest Wednesday lunchtime. Please be brief.