

**WEEKLY NOTICES**  
**SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024**

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**SERVICES THIS WEEK – SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**8am** – Quiet Holy Communion Service – Revd Stewart Timbrell

**9.30am** – All Age Service

**11am** – Morning Prayer BCP Service – Revd Paul Simester

**SERVICES NEXT WEEK SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> MAY**

**9.30am** – Café Church in the Church Hall – Fun, food and worship for  
all the family

**11am** – Holy Communion Service

**Annual Parochial Church Meeting and Dinner**

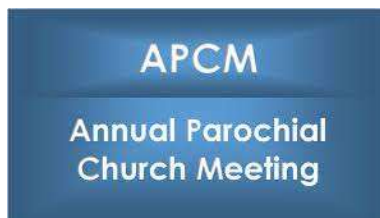
Our APCM will be held in the Church Hall on

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May**

**6.30pm Dinner Together**

**7.30pm Meeting Starts**

Please sign up on the sign-up sheets in the church  
porch to let us know numbers for dinner, and to  
volunteer to help on the evening.



If you are interested in being on the PCC there are nomination forms in the  
church porch.

## Open Garden

Peter Jackson's Award Winning garden at  
**24A Western Avenue**  
will be open again for charity  
(Macmillan, Marie Curie and others)  
under the National Gardens Scheme on  
**Sunday 28th April 2024 2pm to 5.30pm.**



Children and dogs on leads welcome.  
Delicious teas will be available, plants, and Judy's famous jams and chutneys  
all for sale. Adults £6, children free.  
We look forward to welcoming you.



## Stepping Stones Walk

The next walk will be on

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April**

Poole Park and Quay with lunch at the RNLI.  
3.5 miles, flat. Meet outside Church at **10am.**

## All Saints' Tea Party

The next tea party will be in the Church Hall on  
**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 2.30pm**  
All are welcome to come along and enjoy fellowship,  
tea, coffee, sandwiches and cakes.



## Kids' Church

From **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May** we will be creating the  
opportunity for our children to worship and learn about  
Jesus in the Hall at our **9.30am** services on second and  
fourth Sundays. If you would like to be involved in  
serving in any way in this exciting adventure, please  
contact Dale at [dale.edy@allsaintsbranksome.org](mailto:dale.edy@allsaintsbranksome.org)



**Joan Benham**, who was a long time valued member of the All Saints church family died recently, aged 99<sup>1/2</sup> years, surrounded by her family.

Joan was a sidesperson and Choir member for many years.

Joan moved to be nearer her family and the funeral will be held at Weymouth Crematorium on the 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 2.30pm. If anybody would like further details or would like to contact her family please give me a ring.

Howard:01202 769143 or 07968 345695.

### **Future Dates for Your Diary**

#### **Croquet**

Ladies' Croquet evening on **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June**

Men's Croquet Evening on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

*More details to follow*

#### **Blessed are the Carers**

As part of National Carers Week we are celebrating carers on

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June.**

**1.30pm** Service of Blessing for Carers

**2.30pm** All Saints' Tea Party in the Hall celebrating

carers. If you are a carer, or you know someone who is, then please put this in your diary and spread the word.



#### **Knit and Natter**

Knit and Natter is in the Church Hall on **Fridays between 2.30pm and 4.30pm**

All are welcome!



## **Electoral Roll**

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you everyone who submitted their details for our new Electoral Roll (ER) last April before the 2023 APCM.

We now have 157 names on it and, as we approach this year's APCM, with a new vicar and high hopes for the future, everyone who attends All Saints', whether you live in the parish or not, is invited to add their names or check the existing ER to make sure your details are up to date. If you are already on it there's no need to do any more.

There is no, repeat no, financial burden attached to being on the ER. It is simply a register of All Saints' parishioners, and we are required to have one under Church Rules.

Throughout March and into April an edited copy of the ER will be on display in the church, and forms will be available for those who wish to add their names this year. If you have any questions, please contact Tom Tobin who is the All Saints' ER Officer.

## **Poole Foodbank**

Just a reminder that we have a **box in our Church porch** where you can leave items for the Foodbank. Any items you can give would be greatly appreciated.

**Particular needs this week are:**

**Anti-bac spray/wipes, feminine hygiene, tinned fish, jam, tinned ready meals, tinned potatoes, tinned tomatoes, toilet rolls, washing up liquid.**

If you would like to **download the app** to see which items they require each week, click on this link

**<https://www.bankthefood.org/downloadapp/>**

## Eco Collections

There are black collection boxes in the porch for **plastic milk carton lids**.



**Please do not give plastic lids from other products and please do not leave any other items in the porch. Thank you.**



Also, please continue to save **used stamps** for **The Bible Society**. There is a box in the church porch where you can leave them but please **do not** put other items into the stamps collection box.



## Teddies Baby and Toddler Group **Every Monday (term-time)** **between 2pm and 3.30pm**

Calling all mums, dads, grandparents and carers of babies and pre-schoolers! Come along for a fun time of free play, tea & coffee and great company.

## Weekday Prayer Meeting

A half-hour prayer meeting is held in church on **Wednesday mornings at 9.15am.**

Come along for this quiet time to pray for our church, our community, and the wider world.



A reminder that we have the **Prayer Box** in the church for all your prayer requests and answers to prayer.

## Prayer Diary

**We would love you to send in any prayers for the prayer diary** concerning the world, our church and the community we serve. With love and prayers 😊🙏



**Howard and the Team**

## **Prayer Requests**

Jennifer Simpkin, Barbara Jenkins, Peter Davidson.

We pray for the grieving friends and family of Joan Benham, Bryan Tizzard,  
Yola Price,  
Jill Hayward and Penny Davidson.

**Also please pray for those approaching the anniversary of their bereavement.**  
*(Please note prayer requests stay on for 4 weeks,  
after which you need to let the office know if they are to be renewed).*

## **Office Notice**

**Please note that Anne is away from the office from Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April  
until Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April but the office will remain open Monday to  
Thursday.**

The church email addresses and website have changed. Please find the new details below. If you use any of the old email addresses or website address, don't worry! They will still work but we would ask you to use the new ones from now on.

The general office email address is [office@allsaintsbranksome.org](mailto:office@allsaintsbranksome.org)  
Luke's email address is [luke.steven@allsaintsbranksome.org](mailto:luke.steven@allsaintsbranksome.org)  
Our Families Pastor, Dale's email address is [dale.edy@allsaintsbranksome.org](mailto:dale.edy@allsaintsbranksome.org)

The new website address is [www.allsaintsbranksome.org](http://www.allsaintsbranksome.org)

For **urgent prayer requests** contact the Office on 01202 701822  
or email Suzie Myatt on [doversole@aol.com](mailto:doversole@aol.com) to activate the **prayer chain**.