

All Saints, Turvey

Newsletter

March 2016

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## Church Notices for March :

### Coffee Mornings

**March Coffee Morning will take place on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am – 12 noon at Grove Farm House by kind invitation of Rod and Carol Petty.** There will be a Raffle and Bring and Buy. Any contributions, especially of cakes, will be most welcome...please join them for what promises to be a lovely event.

Last month's Valentine coffee morning was a thoroughly enjoyable success and raised £231 towards church funds. A big thank you to Heather, James and Katie Whelbourn for hosting the event and making us all so welcome. Thank you too to all those who helped and supported it.

### Lunch Club

**March Lunch Club will be on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 12.30pm in the Village Hall.**

All ages are welcome. Come along and enjoy great food and excellent company!

### Mothering Sunday

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March 11am – Come and join us for an **interactive Mothering Sunday family service** with well-known songs and hymns; learn about the history of Mothering Sunday and celebrate all that our mothers and carers provide.

**Please bring along a non-returnable photo/copy (if you have not done so in previous years) of your mother / carer to add to our collage.**

### Easter Lilies

Easter is early this year and the church will be decorated for Easter on **Sat 26<sup>th</sup> March**. Donations for Lilies in memory of a loved one may be given to Jacqui Darrington or placed in an envelope and given to a church warden. If you would like to help decorate the church contact Jacqui on 881566.

**Children's Easter Workshop – *Come and join us – all ages welcome and lots to do.***

We offer children some exciting craft, story-telling and singing activities. Please join us for a happy and relaxed morning.

When: **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March, 10am – 11.30am**

Where: All Saints Church

Cost: £4 per family towards cost of craft materials.

Under-fives to be accompanied by an adult please.

### Little Lights

Little Lights for preschool children, toddlers and babies will be meeting in church at 9.15am on the following Mondays:

**11<sup>th</sup> April, 9<sup>th</sup> May, 13<sup>th</sup> June, 11<sup>th</sup> July** – Come and join us for a story, activity and craft plus refreshments.

There will not be a meeting in March as there will be a children's workshop instead.

### Outreach - The Cinnamon Trust – helping a Turvey resident:

The Cinnamon Trust is the national charity for the elderly and terminally ill and their pets. They seek to keep owner and pet together for as long as possible with the help of a national network of volunteers who assist when day to day care poses a problem.

They are once again trying to find some dog walking help for a resident of Turvey, but do not have enough local volunteers to be able to help them, so wondered if any of the Turvey

church family might like to help Their aim is to relieve the owners of any worry concerning the welfare of their pets both during and after their own lifetime, making them unique amongst charities. All volunteers help in the ways that are most appropriate to them. Teams take it in turn to visit housebound owners, to take dogs for a walks, volunteers foster pets as one of their family when owners face a spell in hospital, they take pets to the vet, clean a budgie's cage out etc.

They take any problem posed in day to day care of pets. If you can help in any way, no matter how small, contact Sally direct on 01736 758707 or email [sallycollins@cinnamon.org.uk](mailto:sallycollins@cinnamon.org.uk).

You can visit the volunteer page on their website [www.cinnamon.org.uk](http://www.cinnamon.org.uk) or by emailing them at [volunteer@cinnamon.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@cinnamon.org.uk)

### **BeCHaR and new Charity for the coming year**

Thank you for your nominations on the poster board at the back of the church. If you have not done so yet, this is your last opportunity to **suggest our next charity for the coming year which will commence soon!** You may nominate the same charity (BeCHaR) again however - whichever charity you nominate - we would prefer a local charity as opposed to a national one where our contribution will make a real difference..

### **Parish Electoral Roll**

The roll is revised each year before the Annual Parochial Church Meeting.

From Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March the electoral roll will be available for revision for 3 weeks. A copy of the roll can be found on the Tithe table near the entrance to the church.

Please check that your name is included and that we have your current address. If you would like your name added to the roll, or there are any amendments necessary, please contact Paul Gentry on 881637 or speak to a Church Warden.

**Newsletter April 2016** will be in the form of a short news sheet due to Easter falling at the end of the month and printer holidays. **The deadline for the April Newsletter is 20<sup>th</sup> March. All entries email to:**

**[heather.whelbourn@virgin.net](mailto:heather.whelbourn@virgin.net).**

If you have a prayer, Bible passage / verse you would like to share, or if you would like members of the congregation to pray for someone you know, or a loved one, please let Heather Whelbourn know or email at the above address.

**Subscriptions:** If you have not yet paid your £3 annual subscription for the Newsletter please place it in an envelope labelled 'Newsletter' and pass to one of the Church Wardens or Sidespersons in church. If you would like the monies collected please contact Heather Whelbourn 881728.

### **All Saints Website:**

Visit us at: [www.allsaintsturvey.org.uk](http://www.allsaintsturvey.org.uk) for the latest news, services and events....

## **Church Services for March and Easter including Holy Week**

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March Mothering Sunday 11am Family Service (Non Eucharist) Lay Leader**

**6pm Evensong Lay Leader**

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March Passion Sunday 11am Parish Eucharist Revd. David Powell**

**6pm Evensong Lay Leader**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March Palm Sunday 11am Parish Eucharist The Ven. Peter Delaney**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March Maundy Thursday 7.30pm Eucharist of the Last Supper  
Revd. Jo Spray**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March Good Friday 2pm Liturgy for Good Friday Lay Leaders**

**7.30pm Requiem – Faure.  
Sung by the Choir with members of the choir of St. Andrew, Bedford**

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March Easter day 11am Parish Eucharist Revd. Jo Spray and Revd.  
Canon Peter Mackenzie**

**All services are correct at time of going to press.**

**Coffee is served after each 11am service – please stay after the service and join us.**

Please see the church notice board for updates

**Please check the All Saints Church website [www.allsaintsturvey.org.uk](http://www.allsaintsturvey.org.uk) for services.**

### **Who's Who at All Saints:**

Church Wardens	Mr David Nightingale Mr Rod Petty	881453 881619
Administrator	Mrs Heather Whelbourn	881728
PCC Treasurer	Mr William Littler	881444
Organist and Choir Leader	Mr Tim Brewster	881484
Sacristan	Mrs Gill Betts	720615
Bright Sparks / Little Lights	Mrs Rosemary Gentry	881637
Flowers In Church	Mrs Jacqui Darrington	881566

**We are currently in Interregnum so please contact the Church Warden as we have a vacancy for a Priest.**

**The Secretary position is also vacant. Please contact Heather Whelbourn if you would like to help us as Secretary.**