



***Welcome to all visitors. Everyone is welcome to coffee after the service***

**Services this Week: Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Communion

6.30pm Evening Prayer

**Morning Prayer:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9.00am

Saturday 9.15am

**Wednesday:** Holy Communion 11.30am

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**COLLECT :**

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

**FIRST READING: Ezekiel 33: 7-11**

So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. If I say to the wicked, "O wicked ones, you shall surely die," and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life. Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel, Thus you have said: "Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?" Say to them, As I live, says the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways; for why will you die, O house of Israel?

*This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God*

**SECOND READING: Romans 13: 8-14**

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbour as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law. Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

*This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God*

**GOSPEL READING: Matthew 18: 15-20**

"If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a

one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

*This is the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you O Christ*

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER:**

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

**MEDITATION:**

**PRAYERS:**

**WE PRAY FOR:**

- we remember before God those who are ill, Joan Mendham, Lovetta Campbell, Val Hems, Josephine Hickin, Kathryn Steventon, Helen Ross, Helen McMahon and those for whom we regularly pray Jannette Cunningham-Green, Teresa, Clare Moody, Dereck Brown and Betty Tilley
- we remember those who have died Roy Canning and in our Year's Mind Nellie Pearce, Pauline Garratt-Reed, Alan Hewson, Dorothy Thickett, Jean Newbury, Roy Williams, James Munro, Edgar Topley, John Bembridge, Grace Bacon and Vincent Sadler

**A Special Prayer Vigil for Peace**

**Weds 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 7.30pm**

**St Mary's Church**

**St Mary's Row Moseley B13**

**ALL SAINTS BADMINTON CLUB** is back- do you play badminton /would you like to join a small group of club players who meet every Wednesday in the Church Hall - your first session is free to see whether you like our format. We have one court and usually play mixed doubles. You will get three games every Wednesday and enjoy some pleasant conversation with other players. we currently have 12 members and would like to boost the number to 15-16 . We start at 8 pm every Wednesday and finish at 10 pm . For more information call Kevin on 0121 443 2134 or Steve on 01905 772171

**Advance Notice - Junk, Jumble and Book Sale Saturday 14 October 2017.** Offers of help and donations, especially clothes, gratefully received. Further details to follow over the coming weeks. Thank you. Sarah Wilson 07914667651

**All Saints Community Café:** Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August was Margaret's last day as a sole trader running the café. The café ownership has now transferred to All Saints Community Catering Ltd, a community benefit society. There are six directors of the society including Margaret. The others are Gill Cole, des Workman, David inions, Tina Farnham and Rosina Singleton. Initially the café will remain more or less as it is, but for the future we are intending to raise capital through a community share offer so improvements can be made. More about this over the next year. We hope the congregation will continue to support the All Saints Café

**'smAll Saints'** is the brand new baby and toddler group starting at All Saints! It will be run by Emily and a team of volunteers on Monday afternoons from 1:30-3:00pm, in the creche space in church. Please spread the word to anyone who might be interested, and if you're available to help set up, make drinks and clear away (even to be on a rota once a month so no-one has to make a weekly commitment), please let Emily know - that would be a huge help and support to young families. Opening our doors to everyone on 4th September. Flyers and posters on the Welcome Desk soon. Everyone is welcome!

**Date for your diary:** The next Family Day in autumn is based on 'The Scarecrow's Wedding' by Julia Donaldson, and is on Saturday 30th September. Emily will need helpers to plan and prepare the day with her, and help on craft tables /set-up and pack-down on the day. Please let her know if you're available.

**TCM volunteers wanted** - The Tea Coffee and Music afternoons on Thursdays have been very successful with between 12 and 24 older people turning up. Our own Rosie Cross plays the piano, there is a "sing a long for about 40 minutes" the event starts at 3 pm and finishes at 4.30 pm. We are currently having a Summer break and return on September 7th. David Inions, Sarah Bartram (who leads the singing) Gill Parkin and myself serve the drinks and cake and chat to older people. It would be super to have two or three more volunteers - would you like to help some Thursdays? If so please speak to me - you would be very welcome. Des Workman 0121 443 5292

**It's PANTOMIME time!** We are looking for people who would like to be involved in the All Saints production of Cinderella, to be performed on Saturday 3 February 2018. If you're interested in acting, singing, dancing, making costumes, organising props, doing the sound or lighting, or anything else, please do let us know – we'd love to have you involved. Sunday afternoon rehearsals start in October, with a casting and production meeting at 15:00 on Sunday 17 September. Clare, Ben & Fiona ([allsaintspantomime@gmail.com](mailto:allsaintspantomime@gmail.com) / 07929 593097)

### **Joyce Rimmer – Drawings from Sept 3 - Oct 15 2017**

Joyce was born in 1932 in Gloucestershire .She will be **85 in September** Even though she had two brothers she was lonely , so she drew pictures. In 1939 evacuees arrived in the village and her drawing stopped for a while because she had a friend.

She studied History at Bristol University and social work at the L.S.E and came to Birmingham as a probation officer in 1956. She worked in Summer Lane where The Birmingham Settlement was, of which she later wrote an 80 year history ' Troubles Shared ' After leaving the Probation Service in 1963 , she lectured at Birmingham University until 1992 .Joyce was a founder member of the Birmingham branch of Cruse Bereavement Care in 1974 and became Chair of the branch and later of the West

Midlands Region . All Saints Community Arts is delighted to present some of Joyce's remarkable and witty drawings .

The forthcoming exhibition will be work by Sarah McWilliams Oct 15 - Nov 26 2017

Join 'All Saints Children and Families' group on Facebook, and follow @allsaintsfamily on Twitter for updates on our ministry with children and families

**Friday Evenings, with live music, in the Cafe** The café is now open on Friday evenings until 9.30, for our usual meals, drinks, and cakes. We have a varied programme of live music from 7 – 9pm, organised by Sarah Wright Owens, who is looking for performers if you would like the opportunity. Contact Sarah on [sarah@singertrain.com](mailto:sarah@singertrain.com).

Please see our board, or the different Facebook pages (Café, Village Square, or Church) to find out the programme for the week. Hope to see you there!

**Communion:** Gluten-free wafers are now available, please mention to a member of the clergy before the service if you would prefer a gluten-free wafer when taking Communion

## **ALL SAINTS**

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supports the Statement of Belief of 'Inclusive Church',

see: [www.inclusivechurch.net](http://www.inclusivechurch.net)

has signed the Living Wage Pledge, see: [www.church-poverty.org.uk](http://www.church-poverty.org.uk)

belongs to the Christian Ecology Link, see [www.christian-ecology.org.uk](http://www.christian-ecology.org.uk)

is a Jubilee Congregation,

see [www.jubileedebtcampaign.org.uk](http://www.jubileedebtcampaign.org.uk)

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**Recycling at All Saints:** We recycle the following materials:

Old stamps for charity (main beneficiary is St. Mary's Hospice)

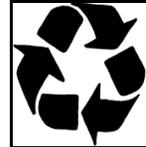
Redundant mobile phones for Christian Aid

Spare knitting wool

Clean jam jars required by Craft Group

please don't throw these items away – help a good cause

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**PHOTOGRAPHY:** Photographs may occasionally be taken by our photographer during services. They are to record our church's story and may be used for publicity. If you do not wish your picture or that of your child to be used, please speak to a Sidesperson or Churchwarden. We respectfully ask that others do not take photographs at church without permission



**Parking:** Our site is wonderfully busy during the week. Grateful

for that activity, then, this is a reminder to ourselves as congregation members that parking is not generally available at All Saints when the

Medical Centre and Robin Centre are open. Apart from disabled parking, loading and unloading, we encourage church family to park elsewhere if at all possible.