#### **MISSION and MINISTRY PARTNERS (MMU) PRAYER**

Gidea Park, St. Michael, Harold Wood, St. Peter & Harold Hill, St. Paul.

Loving God, pour out your Holy Spirit on us
And our Mission and Ministry Partners.
Help us to heal past hurts and divisions,
As we seek to minister to those you entrust to us.
Guide our thinking to discern your will
And equip us to follow the way that you are calling us
To work and worship together,
So that we may be agents of your love, grace, peace and hope,
Transforming our communities and building your Kingdom.
Amen.

# **COMPASSION UK CHILD SPONSORSHIP**

Through *Compassion UK*, All Saints sponsors Melvine Gum who lives in Uganda. Please consider contributing towards our sponsorship, by leaving a donation using the 'hole-in-the-wall' at the back of Church (left side of the double doors). Many thanks, *Chris*.

# **NEXT SUNDAY**

5th January 2020, Epiphany

# 8:30am, HOLY COMMUNION

Welcome: Arthur Cottis

Leader: Laurie Cowie/ Preacher: Chris Wragg

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6 / Jim Rimell

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:1-12 / Liz Rimell

Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:1-12 / Laurie Cowie

Intercessions: Laurie Cowie

Assist with Communion: Laurie Cowie

### 10:30am, PARISH COMMUNION

Welcome: Helen Edwards & Hilary Lygoe

Laptop/AV: Peter Cocks

Leader & Preacher: Chris Wragg

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6 / Richard Benson

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:1-12 / Jim Rimell

Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:1-12 / Chris Wragg

Intercessions: Andrew Maxey

Assist with Communion: Hilary Lygoe & Christine Wragg

Refreshments: Liz Rimell



# "Letting the light of Christ be among us, seeking to live by His example"

# **TODAY**

29th December 2019, 1st Sunday of Christmas

# 8:30am, HOLY COMMUNION

Welcome: Laurie Cowie

Leader: Jim Rimell / Preacher: Chris Wragg 1st Reading: Isaiah 63:7-9 / Laurie Cowie

2nd Reading: Hebrews 2:10-18 / Richard Benson

Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:13-23 / Jim Rimell

Intercessions: Jim Rimell Assist with Communion: Liz Rimell

# 10:30am, WHOLENESS & HEALING

Welcome: Pat Baumber & Christine Wragg

Leader: Chris Wragg

1st Reading: Isaiah 63:7-9 / Laurie Cowie

2nd Reading: Hebrews 2:10-18 / Helen Edwards

Gospel Reading: Matthew 2:13-23 / Chris Wragg

Prayers: Chris Wragg

Refreshments: Christine Wragg

We extend a warm welcome to all who are joining us for worship today. Please stay for refreshments (served at the back of the Church) after each service. We have an induction loop installed; to use please switch your hearing aid to 'T'. If this is your first time at All Saints, please make yourself known to Chris, the Vicar, or one of our welcome team. Toilets, with baby-changing facilities, can be found in the Hall area, through the door on the right, towards the front of the Church. This sheet is for you to take home.

# **NOTICES**

#### **SAFEGUARDING**

If you have any safeguarding concerns, whether they be about a child or an adult, please contact Helen Edwards ASAP Mobile: 07850584169 / Email: safeguarding@aschornchurch.org.uk

#### **CAR PARKING**

Please DO NOT park your car in the space outside the Ardleigh Green Family Centre (across the road from the Church).

Thank you. *Chris* 

#### MID-WEEK INFORMAL HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

Wednesdays @ 10:30am

#### **PRAYER TREE**

Before or after any of our services, please feel free to leave a prayer on our Prayer Tree, situated near the Votive Candles (near the pulpit). Each week these prayers will be offered up to God as part of our Intercessions during our mid-week Communion Service. *Chris* 

#### RAINHAM FOODBANK

Please continue to donate non-perishable foodstuffs, tins, jars, packets to the Rainham Foodbank.; most needed items include tinned fish, UHT milk and sugar. On Monday evenings, I will taking these gifts to the 35A New Road, Rainham, RM13 8DR, where the Foodbank is open between 6-7:30pm. Foodbank is also open on Wednesdays at Holy Cross Church, Hornchurch, 11am-1pm. Chris

#### **UNWANTED CLOTHES**

We collect unwanted clothes that are either given to either Hope4Havering for the homeless or to the newly established 'clothes bank' at Rainham Foodbank. There is a green wheelie bin in the church where clothes can be left.

#### **ALL SAINTS FELLOWSHIP & SOCIAL CLUB**

We meet every Thursday from 2-4pm. Come and enjoy a chat, cup of tea and cake as well as entertainment, speakers, films, etc. You need never sit at home feeling lonely. Everyone is made to feel welcome. Contact Barbara Elton on 07963738881 for more information.

#### **BIBLE PASSAGE FOR 2019: PHILIPPIANS 4:6-7 (NLT)**

<sup>6</sup> Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. <sup>7</sup> Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

#### **DREYWOOD COURT**

There is a monthly service at Dreywood Court to which you are all invited. The next service is at 2pm on Thursday 2nd January.

#### **ON-LINE SAFEGUARDING TRAINING (C0 & C1)**

Recommended for EVERYONE, mandatory for some roles in All Saints! http://www.cofelearning.org/ Create account and password, parish code = 04.11. 2 courses: E-LEARNING Child Safeguarding 2019 & E-LEARNING Adult Safeguarding 2019. *Helen Edwards & Chris Wragg* 

#### **CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING**

The Saint Francis Hospice Christmas Tree Recycling collection is completely free of charge. However, they would welcome a voluntary donation for the collection of your tree. Your donation will make a difference to the lives of people in our local area facing the most difficult circumstances. 90% of the monies raised go directly to Saint Francis Hospice and the remaining 10% will be donated to other local charities. For More information go to: https://www.sfh.org.uk/tree-recycling

# **FUTURE SUNDAY SERVICES**

12TH JANUARY @ 8:30AM - HOLY COMMUNION 'Said' Service. No sung worship, no group for children.

# 12TH JANUARY @ 10:30AM - PARISH COMMUNION Children to their groups for first part,

come into church after Eucharistic Prayer.

19TH JANAURY @ 8:30AM - HOLY COMMUNION 'Said' Service. No sung worship, no group for children.

19TH JANUARY @ 10:30AM - MORNING PRAISE
All together for first part, children to their groups after 2nd song.

26TH JANUARY @ 8:30AM - HOLY COMMUNION 'Said' Service. No sung worship, no group for children.

# 26TH JANUARY @ 10:30AM - PARISH COMMUNION

Children to their group for first part, come into church after Eucharistic Prayer.

#### 3RD FEBRUARY @ 8:30AM - HOLY COMMUNION

'Said' Service. No sung worship, no group for children.

# 3RD FEBRUARY @ 10:30AM - FAMILY PARADE SERVICE CANDLEMAS

All together for start of service, then young people go to their group in the Hall before coming back for the end of the service.