

ALL SAINTS' FUTURE EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR YOUR DIARY

**1st March 2025 Wine Tasting Event and on the
26th April a Murder Mystery Evening,**

Both of these events will be at Blackwell Hall, further details to follow.

Term Times for **All Saints' Pre School - Blackwell Hall Mon - Fri 9.30–12.30** Contact Radhika Kovendra-Kumar for further details 07531 511388 Email: allsaintspreschoolhw@live.co.uk

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BULLETIN

Sunday 12th January 2025

**Baptism of Christ
Led by Archdeacon Catherine**

Hymns: 98, 306, 412, 135

Readings: Acts 8.14-17
Luke 3.15-17, 21-22

Following Jesus; for the good of the world



Epiphany

All Sunday Services

Will be live streamed from 10.00am.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3816805636>

and will be available on YouTube

**The Christmas Tree Festival made
£2910.29 for All Saints Church
Harrow Weald.**

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS'

Monday 13th January

Tues 14th January
Craft Club, **Blackwell Hall**

**Wednesday 15th January – Led by
Reverend Matthew Stone**
10.30am Said Eucharist
11:00am Bells

Thursday 16th January

Friday 17th January

Saturday 18th January

SUNDAY 19TH JANUARY – 2nd Sunday after Epiphany 9:15 Bells

Readings: 1 Corinthians 12.1-11 John 2.1-11

10.00 Family Eucharist with Hymns/Music

12.15 pm Mar Thoma

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS! We hope you find all you need to participate in the service, but please ask if you need help.

We have a hearing induction loop and the service is livestreamed.

PLEASE NOTE: If you do not wish to be seen on camera, the North Aisle (by the Blue Corner) is out of view, and communion can be brought to You. Just mention this to one of our Welcomers

**** A SPECIAL WELCOME TO PARENTS.** If you have brought children with you today, we are delighted to have them with us. Please sit where you can see comfortably and follow what's going on. There is an area at the back of church (the 'Blue Corner') with colouring sheets and quiet toys for you to use if needed. You will find toilets, including baby changing facility, through the Vestry.

Please switch mobile phones off (or put on silent) during the Service

Thank you to our wonderful bells ringers will be ringing the bells this week.

<https://bb.ringingworld.co.uk/view.php?id=1796862>

Thought for the weekend - why did Jesus need to be baptised?

Have you ever wondered why Jesus (the son of God) asked to be baptised by John? John was the messenger, the one sent to prepare the way for Jesus. As John himself pointed out, surely he should be the one getting baptised by Jesus, not the other way around. However, this is typical of the ministry of Jesus; he consistently turns the tables on what we expect. We, usually, see things in terms of human values of privilege and authority, Jesus shows an alternative way founded on humility and service.

When Jesus stands in the water with everybody else, he shows us a small piece of what God is like. God stands with us in our humanity and all that it means. God comes to us in human form to show his companionship with us, without any intention to demand subservience. This is a visual confirmation of what it meant when we were told at Christmas that Jesus would be called 'Immanuel', which means 'God with Us.' Do we see God, 'With Us'? I hope so, because God is not against us. Rather he is alongside us, and this is good news for each and every one of us.

PRAYER FOR THIS WEEKEND:

Each week we have the choice of two prayers as our Collect. This is one for when we commemorate the baptism of Christ:

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THOSE IN IMMEDIATE / SHORT-TERM NEED For Healing: Elle Coleman, John Frith, Doris Lubin, John Beard, Steve Keighley, Rachel Power, Anne Dwyer and Andree Campbell, Colin Campbell, Denise Mordell and Bob Todd.

For Harrow Pastors: for the work of volunteers, prayer partners, services that support this work and for all whom our pastors meet and serve.

FROM OUR MEMORIAL BOOK

JAN 12th Derek Henry Dean

13th Sarah Beatrice Holmes Keith Bennett Oulton
Sidney Wilfred Cheetham

14th Sidney Odell Albert William Frederick Garrett

15th Constance Miriam O'Connor John Wilson

16th Dorothy Agnes Richardson

17th June Brown

We continue to pray for the departed and all who are grieving: