

## **NOTICES:**

**SUMMER FETE CANCELLED:** The Summer Fete was one of the two fundraising events held at All Saints to help towards the expenses of the church. Its cancellation will increase the shortfall in funds. If you were planning to attend this event, perhaps you would consider donating an amount, which you might have spent at the fete to church funds direct, or send a cheque payable to "All Saints, Leighton Buzzard" by post to the Parish Office.

Church Account: All Saints Leighton Buzzard

Sort code: 405240

Account no: 00019360.

If you have been putting your collection away each week, you could use one of these methods to send what you might have donated. At the present time when nothing is coming in from collections, or from Coffee shop receipts, we would very much appreciate donations being forwarded.

**HONEY FOR SALE:** The bees in All Saints' Apiary have been thriving during 'lockdown' and have produced a bumper spring harvest. If you want to buy some of their honey, please contact Margaret Wallace either by 'phone 07983 989406 or by email [margaret.wallace3@icloud.com](mailto:margaret.wallace3@icloud.com). The price is £3.50 for an 8oz jar (the same as last year). There is a limit of 2 jars per person. Margaret will then arrange collection or delivery. Payment, placed in an envelope, either by cheque, payable to The Bee Team or in cash should be made on collection / delivery.

**REPORT ON BIKE 'N HIKE 2019:** The recent pandemic has distracted from the considerable achievement of the All Saints Team in last September's Bike 'n Hike. We raised the magnificent sum of £1,565.00 and a Silver Award Certificate has been awarded but not yet presented. This was the highest amount collected by any church in the Dunstable Deanery and was nearly 30% of the total collected by all the churches in the Deanery. Overall the Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Historic Churches Trust has raised more than £95,000 and our contribution was 1.6% of the total. This is especially noteworthy as Canon Malcom has been elected this year as the Chair of the Trust. Well done Brian, Jennie, Maggie and Canon Malcolm.

**BIKE 'N HIKE SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2020:** Due to the coronavirus pandemic, a decision regarding this year's Bike 'n Hike will be made over the next few months and following Government advice. In the meantime, please put this date in your diary and be prepared to walk, ride, drive or sponsor this worthwhile charity to support our Historic Churches. More details from Brian Bainbridge 01525 382 404.

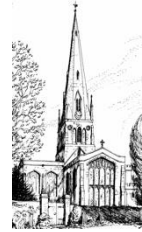
# **All Saints Parish Church, Leighton Buzzard**

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**Sunday 28th June 2020**

**The Third Sunday after Trinity**



## **The Collect & Readings for Today**

*Collect:*

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; 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.

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| Readings: | Genesis 22: 1-14<br>Romans 6: 12-23 |
| Psalm:    | 13                                  |
| Gospel:   | Matthew 10: 40-42                   |
| Hymn:     | NEH 239 Lord of all hopefulness     |
| Anthem:   | I waited for the Lord - Mendelssohn |

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## **IN YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE REMEMBER**

*Sick:* Tony Simpson, Michael Grant, Marie Brooker, Mike Nash, Ava Palmer, Kerry Sykes, Marjorie Bewick, Janet Stanley

*RIP:* Bill Cunningham

*Year's Mind:* David Ingledow, Velda Turney, Rosemary Plenderleath, Rosie Hughes, Caroline Greco, Paul Bottos, William Gilbert, Margaret Nash, Edith Benton, Harry Powell

## Saint Days:

*Monday 29th:*

*Peter and Paul, Apostles*

*Collect:* Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, 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.

*Wednesday 1st:*

*Henry, John and Henry Venn the younger, Priests, Evangelical Divines 1797, 1813 and 1873*

*Friday 3rd:*

*Thomas the Apostle*

*Collect:* Almighty and eternal God, who, for the firmer foundation of our faith, allowed your holy apostle Thomas to doubt the resurrection of your Son till word and sight convinced him: grant to us, who have not seen, that we also may believe and so confess Christ as our Lord and our God; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## An update from Mother Cate:

I welcome the Government's announcement that Churches will be able to begin opening for worship from the 4th of July. We have not yet received the government guidance on what this might mean and how it might happen.

We will continue to open for individual prayer on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 10am and 2pm. This week we will also open for individual prayer on Tuesday evening between 6pm & 8pm.

We are now able to offer funerals and weddings (for a maximum of 30 people) in Church, but have not yet been given the go ahead for baptisms. All of these services will be carefully discussed on an individual basis as to what may be possible.

I am working with the Church Wardens and our Head Verger to get us ready to re-open for worship and we will let you know as soon as possible the date for our first Sunday worship. We do not yet know what form of worship we will be able to offer and we will have to limit the numbers of those in the building in line with social distancing.

## Team Churches Opening Times

Please visit church websites and Facebook pages for up-to-date information.

- ❖ All Saints: Tuesday and Thursday 10am - 2pm
- ❖ St Barnabas: Monday & Friday 10am – 11am
- ❖ St. Leonard's, Heath & Reach: Wednesday evenings – time to be decided
- ❖ St. Michael's, Eggington: Saturday mornings – time to be decided
- ❖ St. Nicholas, Hockliffe: Sunday afternoons 2 - 5pm