Dates for your diary:

11th November Joan Merritt's funeral – see below

16th November Sing Hosanna 11.30am.

25th November Child of Hope Talk – see below

30th November Gift Day – see below

Joan Merritt's Funeral - 11th November:

Joan's funeral service will take place here on Tuesday 11th November at 2pm.

Child of Hope School Talk - 25th November:

We are fortunate that during a brief visit to UK, Bex is able to join us here in church at 11.00am on Tuesday 25th November to bring us the latest news from the school. Coffee served from 10.30 and a light lunch after the talk. Please come and hear about the school, which we have supported from its early days.

Gift Day - Sunday 30th November:

Amy and Ann will be outside church from 11.30am until dark to receive gifts. Tea and cake available all day.

Godalming Foodbank:

Please continue to donate tinned goods for the foodbank so that we keep the squirrels at bay. Priority tinned items are spaghetti hoops/strands, hotdog sausages, sweetcorn, peas, carrots, corned beef, Spam, potatoes, ravioli, minced beef, chilli, custard, rice pudding, fruit (pears, prunes, fruit cocktail etc).

SAFEGUARDING: Our safeguarding officer is Phil Lewis. Any concerns, report to <u>safeguarding@allsaintswitley.co.uk.</u>

FIRST AID: A First Aid Kit is available in the vestry on top of the glass fronted cupboard on the right.

FIRE SAFETY: In the event of a fire, the sidespeople will direct you and everyone should assemble in the churchyard on church path to the North or vestry side of the church building. Please be aware that there are 4 exits from the church – the main door, vestry door, West door (at the end of the aisle) and the door in the South transept. The main door, West door and South transept doors are unlocked during church services and activities.

All Saints Church Witley

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Our vision is for All Saints to be the beating heart of a community filled with the love of God and for God.



9th November – Remembrance Sunday



COLLECT: God, our refuge and strength, bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end, that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please pray for:

From the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: The parish of Virginia Water and their incumbent Revd. Simon Vibert.

From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church in the Province of the West Indies.

lain our Director of Music, and all members of our choir and band. Those who live in Yew Tree Road and Cramhurst Lane

Those who are sick: Bernard Rowe, Alana (age 2), Becky Sue Leves (age 9), Philippa Vidler, Yvonne Cova, Donna, Lydia, Roy Hardy, Ian Perkins, Susie Price, Pauline Prince, Trevor Hornzee, Alan Gittings, Sally Lewis, Celine, Alekya Guggilam, Roger Burford, Ken Gell, Mary Langtry, Suzy Brooke-Jones, and Imogen Hill.

Those who have died recently: Joyce Grindrod and Joan Merritt.

If you would like us to pray for anyone here, please do let Revd Amy Webb or Mark Gill in the office know.

First Reading: Job 19. 23 - 27a

'O that my words were written down!
O that they were inscribed in a book!
O that with an iron pen and with lead
they were engraved on a rock for ever!
For I know that my Redeemer lives,
and that at the last he will stand upon the earth;
and after my skin has been thus destroyed,
then in my flesh I shall see God,
whom I shall see on my side,
and my eyes shall behold, and not another.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2. 1 - 5, 13 - 17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Gospel: Luke 20. 27 - 38

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question, 'Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.'

Jesus said to them, 'Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die any more, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.'



NEXT WEEK: Sunday 16th November Preaching: Ruth Gill Intercessor: Christine Parrott Reading: Gwen Fermer and Mark Gill

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