

Today 4 August, 7th Sunday after Trinity

10am Parish Communion

Leading: Rev'd Mark Bate

Welcoming: Judith Johnson

Reading: Rob Rand

Praying: Liz Hicks

Playing: Matthew Williams

The Week Ahead at All Saints'

Events take place in church or Fellowship Room unless otherwise stated

Friday 9 August 2pm Finish that Kit!

Next Sunday

11 August, 8th Sunday after Trinity

10am Parish Communion led by Rev'd Mark Bate

Collect for today

Creator God,
you made us all in your image:
may we discern you in all that we see,
and serve you in all that we do;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Thought for the week

A young man once asked God how long a million years was to him. God replied, "A million years to me is just like a single second to you."
The young man asked God what a million pounds was to him. God replied, "A million pounds to me is just like a single penny to you."
Then the young man got his courage up and asked, "God, could I have one of your pennies?"
God smiled and replied, "Certainly, just a second."

New Testament reading for today

Colossians 3.1-11

The New Life in Christ

¹ So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ² Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³ for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴ When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

⁵ Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). ⁶ On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. ⁷ These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. ⁸ But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. ⁹ Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices ¹⁰ and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. ¹¹ In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!



Gospel reading for today

Luke 12.13-21

The Parable of the Rich Fool

¹³ Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' ¹⁴ But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' ¹⁵ And he said to them, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' ¹⁶ Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷ And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" ¹⁸ Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." ²⁰ But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" ²¹ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.'



News, Events and Notices



IMPORTANT DIARY DATE

It's quite a while away but **PLEASE** keep **Saturday 9th November** free! We are planning to hold, with Brigit and Penny from the Diocese to help us, a special 'Vision Day', to which all the church family are invited. It will be held from **10am-3pm** with both **morning coffee and a buffet lunch** provided. It's to discuss and plan for the future of All Saints' so should be **VERY IMPORTANT** to us all.

CUPPAS AND CAKES at All Saints'

The next 'Cuppas and Cakes' will now be held on the 4th Saturday of September, i.e. **Saturday 28th September**

10am – 12pm. Please let Rita Sculpher know if you are able to help or would like to join the Catering Team for this or other church events. *Please note: There is no 'Cuppas and Cakes' morning in August.*



Prayer for the Week

Heavenly Father,
thank you for my new life in Christ, received by your grace through faith.
Thank you that nothing can ever separate me from your love and that I have an assurance that I will one day see you and know you, even as I am known.
Thank you, in Jesus precious name,
Amen.



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All Saints Kenton Weekly News



Sunday, 4 August 2019
7th Sunday after Trinity

10am: Parish Communion



Welcome to our service today, especially if you are visiting All Saints' for the first time this morning. We hope you will feel at home with us, and experience the presence of God as we worship together.

Gluten-free wafers and non-alcoholic wine are available at Communion, if needed. Please tell the Welcome Team if you need either of these.

Please join us for refreshments at the back of the church after the 10am service and take this sheet home with you to refer to during the week ahead.