

SUNDAY 26 JANUARY 2025
THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY(CW) /
THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY (BCP)

TIME	SERVICES (Year C)	READERS	PRAYERS
8.00am	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE Sides person: Gospel reading: Matt. 8: 1-13	James Lloyd Rom. 12: 16b-end	
10.00am	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE Sides person: Marion Whatmore Gospel reading: Luke 4: 14-21	Margaret Thornton Neh.8: 1-3,5-6,8-10	Audrey Bullock

CONTACT DETAILS

Rector: Revd. Silke Tetzlaff 01580 891 258 (Day off ~ Monday)

Church Wardens: Adam Houghton 01580 891373, Joanne Evans

Choir Director: vacant

Children's Choir Leader: Jacqui Veitch 07796 487538

Children's Bible craft coordinator: Jacqui Veitch 07796 487538

Administrator: Julia Page 01580 891 258

Office Opening Times: Tue & Wed 11.00am – 1.00pm

Please put correspondence into the Green Office Post box.

For our notices to be announced please email the Parish Office

allsaintsstaplehurst@enterprise.net by 10.00am Thursday



DONATING TO ALL SAINTS CHURCH

www.allsaintsstaplehurst.co.uk <https://youtu.be/13297kvky20>

If you wish to make a donation to All Saints Church, you can do so by **Standing Order**, All cheques are payable to 'All Saints Church PCC'.

You can also now register with the following link:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/allsaintschurchstaplehurst/>

REGULAR GIVING TO ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Many thanks to all who regularly contribute to the cost of running All Saints, Church. Options for donating have increased over the last few years and include:

- Via the PGS (www.parishgiving.org.uk), search for 'Staplehurst, All Saints'
- Direct to Bank 'All Saints, Staplehurst PCC', sort code 30-92-36 Acc. no 00023322
- Cash via White 'planned giving' or Blue 'occasional gift' envelopes

If you require envelopes, a bank mandate form, an enduring gift aid declaration (to save completing a blue envelope each week), or help with PGS please contact e. Can you help - Our costs go up with inflation, if you can manage a small annual increase in your regular donation, it makes a real difference.

Many thanks, Tony Henley, Gift Aid Secretary 07970 442819



ALL SAINTS' CHURCH STAPLEHURST



SUNDAY 19 JANUARY 2025

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY(CW)
THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY (BCP)

TIME	SERVICES (Year C)	READERS	PRAYERS
8.00am	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE Sides person: Robin Oakley Gospel reading: John 2: 1-11	Anita Thompson Rom. 12: 6-16a	
10.00am	HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE Sides person: Mary Henley Gospel reading: John 2: 1-11	Glyn Roberts Isa 62: 1-5	Mary Henley

HEALTH, HEALING & SUPPORT GROUP Please let us know if you would like to be put on the Church prayer list, otherwise all prayer requests will be treated confidentially within the Prayer Group. Ron Dear, 1580 891 407



Those who are Sick:

Chris Lilywhite, Marion Whatmore, Colin Whatmore, Chris Davies
 Nick & Lesley Long, Charles McNeil, Wilson Rush, Ron Dear,
 Richard Weaver, Marion & Jack Christie, Sandy Campbell,
 Mandie Cammies, Shirley Saunders, Gemma Burke, Roy Jones
 Norman Wallis, Robert Blondizik, Lesley Franklin, Sarah Baines
 Abigail Sharpe, Jeremy Rutaraka, Michael House

Lift these and all in need into the healing light of Christ

Abbotsleigh:

HC Thu/month 3.30pm for inform. speak to ST

Staplehurst Manor:

HC 2/4 Wed/month 11.30am for inform. speak to ST

Iden Manor:

HC 3 Tue/month 3.30pm for inform. speak to ST

Maidstone Home:

Des Liddicoat, (Cedardale Residential, Queen Road, Maidstone, ME16 0HX, 01622 752117)

Those who have died:

Funerals:

Burial of Ashes:

Barry Watts Wed 22 Jan 2025, 12.30pm AR ~Churchyard

Baptisms:

Weddings:



Deanery Confirmation Service

The Confirmation Service will be at All Saints Church on Sunday 8th June 2025, 3pm; Anybody who would like to get confirmed please speak to Silke.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Day	Date	Time	What	Where
On Wed's Please log in at John & Sharon's		9.30am & 5.00pm	On Wed's please always use John & Sharon's log in https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2839943736 Meeting ID: 2839943736 Password: 375115	~Zoom
		9.30am	MIDWEEK HOLY COMMUNION	~St.George's Chapel
JANUARY 2025				
Wed	22	12.30pm	Burial of Ashes: t/l Barry Watts AR	~Churchyard
Thu	23	10.30am	Worship Committee Meeting	~Kings Head
Wed	29	7.30pm	PCC Meeting	~Parish Room

DAILY OFFICE

All are welcome to join in spirit and with their private prayers Tue - Fri	MP	Silke's log in https://us04web.zoom.us/j/8365783814 Meeting ID: 836 578 3814 Password 424158 If after 5minutes the above link doesn't work try John & Sharon's log in
	Evening Prayer 5.00pm	John & Sharon Wright's log in https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2839943736 Meeting ID: 2839943736, Password: 375115

CHURCH BANNER



"He calls his own sheep by name". John 10 v3.

The banner is hanging in All Saints Church and is ready to receive Sheep. If you would like your name on a Sheep for the banner please send a donation to: 60-60-08 ac/ 02913488 with reference Sheep. Then send an email to djbraganza@hotmail.co.uk or a note to me with name(s) clearly printed so there can be no spelling mistakes. Monies raised in this way will go to the Turret fund and Chancel fund.

Thank you, Doreen.

PCC MEETING DATES 2024-2025

NEXT MEETING

Wed 29th January 2025, 7.30pm ~Parish Room
 PCC reports/Agenda items to Parish Office for: Tues 7th January
 Folders in Church on: 12th January 2025

PLEASE NOTE

*If you have any matters that you'd like to put to the PCC please speak to the chair and write/email to **Parish Office:***
*allsaintsstaplehurst@enterprise.net and the **PCC secretary:***
*allsaintsstaplehurst@enterprise.net and please put in the **subject line:***
PCC if possible, **1 week in advance of the next PCC meeting**, in order that your item may be added to the Agenda.

Thankyou.

TEA WITH THE VICAR

SATURDAY 8th February 2025 ~ KING'S HEAD PUB
3.00-4.00PM



Pop in simply to enjoy each other's company – no sermons, no agenda just good conversation over a nice cup of tea ☺ Come as you are and bring a friend, or come solo for a bit of friendly company.

Everyone is welcome, whether you are a churchgoer or not!

CHARITY SUNDAY



Is the Charity for 1st April 2024 - March 31st 2025

The Torch Trust is the Christian sight loss charity. One of our congregation is already helped by them. They provide a one to one service for people with sight loss. Audio, large print and braille literature is available. Please give generously throughout this charity year. Thank you.

Donations may be given in:

1. An orange monthly charity envelope. Get your year's supply from Tony Henley.
2. A plain envelope with "For Charity" on the outside.
3. A blue envelope with "for Charity" on the outside. The latter are available in All Saints Church. All envelopes may be placed at any time in the hole in the wall in the vestibule of All Saints Church, or in the collection plate on any Sunday.

Thank you, *Charity & Social Responsibility Committee*

SHIRLEY SAUNDERS

Whilst Shirley's kitchen is being refurbished, Shirley is spending a few weeks at Milward House, 6 Madeira Park, Tunbridge Wells, TN2 5SZ.

She would really appreciate contact from her friends in the parish: card, phone call or visit.

Please ring her sister Margaret (01580 891512 or 07903 196333) for further information and if you want to check no one else is booked in before you go.

THANK YOU



Dear Carol Singers

Thank you for coming to share your Christmas cheer with us!
We really enjoyed the singing and joining us and making our Christmas extra special.

Kind Regards
Kirsty & Esme

Recreation and Well-being team
Abbotsleigh Care Centre
Tel: 01580 891314



CHURCH CLEANING

Let's give 2025 a polished welcome!



Dear All,

Happy New Year!

We've been blessed to welcome hundreds of people through our doors over the Christmas period. Inevitably, our church now needs a bit of sprucing up.

Let's start 2025 by getting rid of those cobwebs and making our church shine.

Please help by cleaning your self-assigned section at your convenience.

All cleaning supplies are in the cleaning cupboard. Anything that needs buying, please write down in the folder under cleaning supplies.

Every effort make a big difference in creating a warm and welcoming space for all.

Thank you for all you do, Silke

TEA WITH THE VICAR



A big thank you to everyone who supported our afternoon tea, and a special thanks to Michele, manager of the Kings Head Pub, for generously treating us to our first 'Tea with the Vicar' on the house.

We had such a wonderful time! The pub was warm and cosy, the tea, coffee,

and cakes were delicious, and the staff made us feel like royalty. We're already looking forward to next month!



Everybody welcome.

No need to sign up, just turn up!

If you need a lift, get in touch with Silke (01580 891 258)

New Defibrillator



The Parish Council have organised the installation of an automated external defibrillator in the telephone box at Church Green. It is for use by any member of the public in emergencies 24/7.

The defibrillator is now registered on The Circuit – the national defibrillator network. It's also now connected to **South East Coast Ambulance Service** and more likely to be used in an emergency.

In the first instance, if someone collapses ring 999 for an ambulance. After this the first 6 to 8 minutes after collapsing is crucial. Take the defibrillator to the person who has had a heart attack and switch it on. You will hear instructions on each step of the procedure, including where to place the electrode packs on the persons chest, how to administer resuscitation and when to press the 'Shock' button. The equipment will prevent the operator giving a shock to someone who does not require it, so it cannot make the situation worse.

Contact Information: Staplehurst Parish Council ,01580 891761

LENT, HOLY WEEK and EASTER

✿ Journey Towards Easter

Lent, Holy Week, and Easter at All Saints Church

Join us as we embark on a meaningful journey through Lent, Holy Week, and Easter. This season is a time for reflection, repentance, and renewal as we prepare to celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

LENT: Wednesday 5th March to 17th April 2025

Ash Wednesday Services: 5th March 2025

Holy Week:

Palm Sunday 13th April: Celebrate Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem

Maundy Thursday 17th April: Reflect on the Last Supper

Good Friday 18th April: Remember the crucifixion

Holy Saturday 19th April: Passover, Parish Communion and vigil service

Easter Celebrations:

Easter Sunday 20th April at 6.00am:

Rejoice with a sunrise service followed by breakfast

Easter Sunday Worship at 8.00am: Holy Easter Communion

Easter Sunday Worship at 10.00am:

FESTIVE EASTER PARISH COMMUNION SERVICE



Please let me have your palm crosses.

Just leave them at the back of Church or pop them into the Office post box.

Thank you, Silke