



All Saints Gosforth

'The Community of All Saints: living, thoughtful, caring faith'.

Sunday 11th June 2023

1st Sunday of Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion
9.30am	All Together Service
6.30pm	Evening Prayer

For live and recorded services please visit

<http://allsaints-gosforth.org.uk/youtube>

At St Hugh's

11.00am Holy Communion

Thought for Today

'Show Mercy!'

(are we really being kind?)



A less formal service for everyone with activities and holy communion

Show Mercy!

You may be forgiven for thinking that this is a cry for help, but what we would like to explore at this week's service is what 'showing mercy' actually means. Mercy cannot find expression without kindness: kindness is intrinsic to mercy.

In our readings today God, and Jesus, are confronted with situations where compassion is called for. Hosea relates in the Old Testament how, when Israel and Judah are fighting, God tells them that they must show their constant care and affection towards him, and not simply at times of immediate need. In today's Gospel we hear how Jesus shows kindness in his response to the ailing woman who touches his garment, and to Jairus, who is distraught at the apparent death of his much-loved daughter. What we need to take away from these stories is to consider how we respond to individuals and situations we may encounter in our everyday lives – at work, at school, and at home – and whether we are able to show the kindness and mercy we hope that God will show us.

Ann Cross

Readings:**Old Testament:** Hosea 5:15-6:6**New Testament:****Gospel:** Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26**8.00am Holy Communion**

Presiding: Revd Ruth Birnie

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9.30am All Together Service

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Hymns are in the booklet**Anthem:** Lean on me by Bill Withers arr. John Lewis**6.30pm****Evening Prayer****Psalm:** [39] 41 **Hymns** 453, 357, 338

A warm welcome to you if you are a newcomer. Please complete a green Contact Card and place it in the box provided, or hand it to one of the clergy or churchwardens.

Young Saints / Children in the Service Young Saints is on pause for the time being. Children are most welcome in the service. There is a dedicated children's area at the back by the south door; please feel free to use this space and the materials provided. If you do need to step out for a bit, the Centre is open to you. We are deeply grateful to the Young Saints group leaders who have invested so much over the years in supporting children in their faith journeys, and are now looking at how we can continue that important work in new ways.

Have you problems with mobility? Please let a steward know if you need assistance going up for communion, or would like communion to be brought to you.

Hard of hearing? If you use a hearing aid, please switch it to the 'T' position to use our loop system.

To gain access to the All Saints YouTube channel please go to: allsaints-gosforth.org.uk/youtube

Notices

The funeral of Grace Brown is at 11.00am on Wednesday 21st June 2023 in church.

All Saints aims to be a busy, socially active church with lots of events for all types of peoples so we are always looking for new volunteers.

No commitment is too big or too small; we need people to make coffee after services, help with our preschool group on a Tuesday called ' Little Saints, help with live streamlining, to read the lesson or lead intercessions during services and much more.

If you would like to become involved and could offer time and any skill or talent even not listed here, please email Louise Waugh , Parish Administrator, or phone her on 213 0450

“DON'T FORGET THE FUN” is what the Mothers' Union leaders keep telling us! So ... on Monday 12th June at 2.00pm, after the usual short service, the MU members will be playing many of the games we used to play before technology took over. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME** to come and join in 'Games Galore.' No need to be a member. Refreshments as ever. Pam Taylor.

PS Definitely no Hide and Seek, Hopscotch or Dodgeball! All games will involve sitting around a table.



Our **Christian Aid Week** appeal has raised £442.40, including gift aid. **Grateful thanks** go to everyone who made a donation. If you still have an envelope waiting to be returned, it is not too late to pop it into the church office or add it to the collection plate on Sunday - and the e-envelope is still live.



The Christian Meditation Group meet today Sunday 11th June at 5.15pm in the Upper Room.

SING *at the Centre*

Next meeting - **Tuesday June 13** from 2:30 for drinks/nibbles first in the (Upper Room).

Why not come along and try us out?

Diana Lavin

Happy Birthday this week to
**Lydia Steel (11th), Flynn Marshall (14th),
Rory Cartmell (15th), and Henry Stewart (15th)**

A social event for PCC is at the Vicarage on Tuesday 19th June from 7.30pm. A half day away is being planned on Saturday 14th October from 12 noon at the Friary in Alnmouth.



Gülsin Onay here

...at 7.30pm on Wed 17th May at All Saints' Church Gosforth playing a wonderful, varied piano programme including Haydn Variations, Mozart, Chopin and Saygun

£10 admission on the door, under-18s free

Please pass it on!

Fuller details <https://www.allsaints-gosforth.org.uk/latest/>

Please see the new edition of the Link. Copies are available at the back of church.

News from Archbishop Runcie School. There are currently a small number of places available in the Reception class in September. Please speak to Andrew for more details. Applications need to be made to the LA. <https://www.newcastle.gov.uk/services/schools-learning-and-childcare/apply-school-place/applying-reception-places>

Confirmation at All Saints in September. The Right Revd Mark Wroe, the Bishop of Berwick will be leading a Confirmation Service on Sunday 17th September at 9.30am. All those interested in being Confirmed please be in touch with the Clergy.

Keeping in Touch Please see the new Keeping in Touch Magazine. To submit an article of no more than 400-500 words please email: intouch@allsaints-gosforth.org.uk or pass to: Christine Willoughby, Dermot Killingley, Lesley Atkinson or Ann Cross.

We are collecting for the West End Foodbank. Please leave donations of non-perishable foods at the back of church. The foodbank's current most needed items are tea, coffee, rice, soup, tinned tomatoes, rice pudding and tinned meatballs.

I would be very happy to hear from anyone willing to help man the Kitchen- and Tableware Up-cycling and Recycling Stall at the Farmers' Market on Sat June 17th. If you could help with getting the stall or chairs for it ready in the morning or have an item you wish to donate please let me know! All funds from this stall go to our church and we are currently netting an average profit of over £100 per market. Thank you for reading this! Ros Place

Open Gardens is back for 2023. Please see the poster at the end of the newsletter.

News from St Hugh's –

- Revd Canon Syd Connolly is leading worship today.
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Upcoming Events

Prayer and Worship

Sunday: Services at 8.00am, 9.30am and 6.30pm

Monday - Thursday: 8.45am Morning Prayer in Church. Enter by the South Porch.

Tuesday's Holy Communion is at 10.15am in church.

'Farmers' Market' June 17 – It's almost time!

ARE YOU ABLE TO HELP?

- *Please* – have you announced the event on your street WhatsApp yet?
- There'll be a zoom for helpers beforehand.

Thank you so much, to those who've already volunteered.

Diana Lavin

Ordination of Miriam as Priest. Saturday 1st July 2023 11am at Newcastle Cathedral. Her first presidency will be on Sunday 2nd July at Parish Communion. Please save the date.

Miriam's First Celebration, 2nd July As you are probably aware, Miriam's first celebration of the Eucharist will take place at the 9.30 service on Sunday 2nd July after her ordination as a Priest on the previous day. We are planning to hold a reception in the Centre after the service and so we would be very grateful for any offers of food for that event. Please indicate on the list at the back of Church if you are able to help. *Nick Glover, Christine Willoughby*

There will be a special event for young families at the vicarage on Sunday 16th July 2.30 – 5.00pm.

The Handlebards present a rip-roaring, bicycle-powered production of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*. Wednesday 9th August 7.00 – 9.00pm. Tickets £19.50, under 18 £12.50, under 10 free (only one free ticket per paid ticket). Click on this link for tickets <https://www.handlebards.com/show/dream-all-saints-gosforth/>

Donations

We now have a number of ways to donate to All Saints online:

- By QR code. Simply hold your mobile phone camera over the code, follow the link to your browser and follow on-screen instructions Or
- go to <https://givealittle.co/campaigns/8ecfe5b6-18c7-4179-aba0-2ebc43a82f7b>



Please note that cash on the plate goes to our Mission of the Month, money put into the yellow envelopes goes to pay for the work of All Saints. Thank you!

June Mission of the Month: Cornerstone, Benwell, another worthwhile local project which continues to “include the excluded, empower the disempowered and encourage the discouraged”.

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Thank you, for looking at our news today.

The All Saints Mission Statement: Working together as a church we are pursuing a vision to put All Saints at the heart of the wider community. Our vision is to be a vibrant, inclusive, compassionate and outward looking church with a sensitive and thoughtful approach to faith, where there is excellent pastoral care and encouragement for all and where diversity is welcomed and our worship inspires us to transform the world.



**June
17**

Farmers' Market
10am - 3pm

All Saints Church Green
NE3 4ES

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WEDNESDAY - JUNE 14TH AT 7.30 PM

GÜLSIN ONAY - (Turkey) - piano

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Sonata Kv 331 - Mozart
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Open Gardens

SUMMER 2023

SUNDAYS 2.30 - 5.00PM

MANY THANKS TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE INVITED US TO VISIT
THEIR GARDENS

THIS IS ALWAYS A VERY POPULAR EVENT SO COME AND ENJOY

18TH JUNE

SUE SCOTT

5 BEECHFIELD ROAD, GOSFORTH, NE3 4DR

25TH JUNE

PAT & VIC SPONG

16 MILFORD GARDENS, BRUNTON PARK, NE3 5AT

16TH JULY

SUE FINKILL

35 THE FAIRWAY, BRUNTON PARK, NE3 5AP

6TH AUGUST

PAM TAYLOR

38 WESTBOURNE AVENUE, GOSFORTH, NE3 2HN

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