



# All Saints Gosforth

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

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**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2024**  
**Eleventh Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am      Holy Communion  
9.30am      Parish Communion with Holy Baptism  
6.30pm      Evening Prayer

*For live and recorded services please visit*

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**At St Hugh's**

11.00am      Parish Communion

## Thought for Today

In her memoir 'Leaving Church', Barbara Brown Taylor recalls being invited to address a church gathering, and being given as a topic: "Tell us what is saving your life right now." She writes that it was such a good question that, years later, she continues to reflect on it, and to ask it of others. What is saving your life right now? In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of "the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die". His hearers are confused because they are thinking of literal bread, but Jesus has something else in mind: the things that nourish the soul, the things that give life to the spirit. His promise is that he himself will be that bread, nourishing and giving life to those who come to him.

*Miriam Jones*

**Old Testament:****New Testament:** Ephesians 4:25 – 5:2**Gospel:** John 6:35, 41-51**8.00am****Holy Communion**

Presiding: Revd Dr Miriam Jones

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**9.30am****Parish Communion with Holy Baptism**

Presiding: Revd Canon Andrew Shipton

Preaching: Revd Dr Miriam Jones

**Processional:** Green 332 All hail the power of Jesu's name**Gradual:** Brown 164 Lord Jesus Christ**Offertory:** Brown 91 Great is thy faithfulness**Communion:** Brown 196 Lord, all the world**Recessional:** Green 486 We have a gospel to proclaim

Please stay for tea and coffee after the 9.30am Parish Communion Service

**6.30pm****Evening Prayer**

Psalm: 91 Hymns: 239, 294, 235

**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.

**Children in Church.** Children are always very welcome in church, and there is a dedicated Children's Corner at the back with some quiet activities available for children to use there or to bring back to their pew.

On the second Sunday of each month we hold an 'All Together' service which is less formal and with plenty of opportunities for young people to take part. Please speak to the clergy or churchwardens for more details of these and of other activities for children and young people.

**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](https://allsaints-gosforth.org.uk/youtube)

**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

**Upcoming Events**

**We welcome** Louis Whittaker, Annie Whittaker, Luca Lennox and Kit Lennox and their parents and families for Holy Baptism today.

**Coffee and Conversation** is held every Monday in the Centre from 10.30am – 11.30am. Please come along and join our companionable group.

**Sew, Knit and Natter:** This friendly group of knitters, ranging from the totally inexperienced to the very skilled, meets each Wednesday morning from 10-12 in the upper room of the Centre. There is plenty of knitting and nattering, with coffee and biscuits always provided. All are welcome. If you would like to know any more about the group, do ring me on 07474040267, or you can just turn up and see what we do. *Diane Henderson.*

**The Christian Meditation Group** meet today Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 5.15pm in the Upper Room.



**The Handlebards present** The Comedy of Errors

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August 7.00 – 9.00pm.** Tickets £19.50, 21 and under £12.50, 12 and under £5.00 (under 5's are free – no ticket needed!)

Book tickets at: <https://www.handlebards.com/show/the-comedy-of-errors-all-saints-gosforth/>

**Faith @4 will be on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August in the Centre.**

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**All Saints Family Fun.** There will be an afternoon of 'Tea and Games' on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2.00pm – 4.00pm on All Saints Green and in the Centre. This event is free of charge. For catering purposes, please let us know if you can join us by emailing [post@allsaints-gosforth.org.uk](mailto:post@allsaints-gosforth.org.uk) For further details contact Miriam Jones.

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**Little Saints Pre-School** Children and Parents Group returns after the summer holidays

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**SING** at the Centre is back in September! *Thank you, Diana Lavin*

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**The first meeting** to plan the Christmas Fair is on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm at Vicarage.

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**We are planning** a trip to the People's Theatre on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 7.30pm to see their production of Boeing Boeing, a popular comedy many of you may know. The Theatre is holding 20 tickets for us (but this can be altered) until no later than Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September at the very latest. Please let me know if you would like to come along! I can also let you have more details of prices etc. *Ann Cross* (Convenor, Social Committee) [anncross060@gmail.com](mailto:anncross060@gmail.com)

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**News from St Hugh's –**

- Revd Dr Miriam Jones is leading worship today.
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## Notices

### *Farmers' Market July 20*

On the day, after a very wet week, we were lucky enough to be blessed with sunny, dry weather and 100% pre-booked stall attendance *plus* our very own Gardening plus Recycled Kitchen/Tableware stalls. Our chosen local charity stall of the market was 'Daft as a Brush' Ros Place had arranged for Gosforth Community Choir to perform 2 sets in church.

We earned IRO £700 – stall fees/donations on our own stalls and some £40 acquired from internet sales of unsold bags from the handbag stall last November - thank you to Marian for her dedication! (Still a few to go.)

We heard numerous visitor comments regarding the wonderfully pleasant atmosphere (contributed to by all our Team) both out and indoors. It's become noticeable, with each market, (this was #9) how many more people are happy to step into church!

The 2 things most difficult to predict are the weather, and the number of shoppers who might turn up to the event. The footfall was a steady trickle throughout the day rather than crowds and some stall holders are finding market food sales generally poor these past few months. The originally intended focus on outdoor children's activities for this FM, in the end, proved to be problematic, communication with other 'agencies', fewer activities and an unavoidable let-down from the Donkey Charity played a part. However, the Face Painter was popular. Some families bought food from the van/pies & hummus from the stalls and had an impromptu picnic on the Green - lovely to see.

**Thank you** very much for your continued shopping support and to the Team running our own stalls, hanging posters on lampposts, drawing up & marking up pitch plans, growing plants and donating their time often starting well before the day itself. **Very well done** to you all and just know you are so appreciated!

Next market is **September 21**. (Now taking donations for a mega November market raffle – please let us know if you have something you'd like to donate – more details in the next few weeks.)

*Marian Coulson Cave & Diana Lavin*

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**The Parish Office** is closed until the 13<sup>th</sup> August. **Amendments** to the newsletter need to be sent to the office by 11.00am on Thursday.

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**Keeping in Touch** The latest edition can be viewed online at <https://www.allsaints-gosforth.org.uk/category/church-news/> To submit an article of no more than 400-500 words please email: [intouch@allsaints-gosforth.org.uk](mailto:intouch@allsaints-gosforth.org.uk) or pass to: Christine Willoughby, Lesley Atkinson or Ann Cross.

**Food donations** are now being taken to Kenton Foodbank. Their most needed items currently are tinned soup, tinned tomatoes, tinned fruit, biscuits and long life milk. Thank you to everyone who continues to bring donations and leave them at the back of the church.

**Mission of the Month for August: PCDC (Practical Compassion for Destitute Children)**, an international charity with UK-based support for children in the Bible lands who have lost their parents or whose parents are unable to get work, to provide for example, school and hospital fees.

## 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!*

## Contact Us

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH    ALL AGE WORSHIP

# FAITH @ 4











LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

# 4:00PM

ALL SAINTS CENTRE | NE3 4ES | GOSFORTH



THE HANDLEBARDS

PRESENT...

# THE COMEDY OF ERRORS



★★★★★ "A GENUINE TREAT FROM START TO FINISH" - THE STAGE

**7.00pm 17<sup>th</sup> August 2024**

All Saints Church Green, West Avenue, NE3 4ES

To book tickets use the QR code or [www.handlebards.com](http://www.handlebards.com)



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# All Saints FAMILY FUN

**MONDAY 2  
SEPTEMBER**

TEA AND GAMES 2PM-4PM ON ALL SAINTS GREEN