SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> MARCH Lent 3

8.00 Holy Communion (Canon Grant/Fr. Max)

9.15 Parish Eucharist (Canon Grant/John Wallace)

6.00 Choral Evensong (Fr. Max)

6.45 Benediction (Canon Grant)

7.00 Choir Concert for Oxjam

### **MONDAY 20th MARCH**

10.00 Lent Group 7.30 Scout Visit 7.45-9.30 Bellringers Practice Night

### TUESDAY 21st MARCH Joseph of Nazareth (transferred)

7.30 Holy Communion with Healing (Fr. Don) 8.00 Lent Group

### WEDNESDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> MARCH

12.00 Holy Communion (Fr. Noel)

### **THURSDAY 23rd MARCH**

10.00 Holy Communion (Fr. Don)

FRIDAY 24th MARCH Walter Hilton of Thurgarton, Augustinian Canon, Mystic, 1396

6.30 Trebles Choir Practice 7.30 Full Choir Practice

## SATURDAY 25<sup>th</sup> MARCH The Annunciation of our Lord to the Blessed Virgin Mary NO 9.00am service all welcome to attend the 10am service

10.00 Holy Communion with Deanery Mothers' Union (Canon Grant)

10.45 Readers' Meeting

### SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> MARCH Mothering Sunday Lent 4

8.00 Holy Communion (Canon Grant/Stephen Burge)

9.15 Parish Eucharist (Canon Grant/Geoff Huskisson)

11.15 All Age Communion with Pulford School (Canon Grant/Dave Heather)

6.00 Evening Prayer (John Wallace)

Please switch OFF your mobile phones during the service.



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## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2017 Lent 3

We warmly welcome all visitors and newcomers to our church. If any of you are from other denominations and are accustomed to receiving Communion in your own church you are welcome to here. Coffee will be served in the North Transept after the Service. For the hard of hearing the church is equipped with a loop system. Switch to T please.

The news sheet is for you to retain and use for reference and prayer

### Today's services

8.00am Holy Communion (Canon Grant/Fr. Max)

9.15am Sung Eucharist (Canon Grant/John Wallace)

Readings: RCL: Year A: Page: 101 Setting: New English Folk Mass

Introit: 173 God moves in a mysterious way (Cowper) HYMNS OLD & NEW

Collect: Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

1st Reading:Exodux 17: 1-172nd Reading:Romans 5: 1-11

Gradual Hymn: 27 Amazing grace (Newton)

Gospel: Matthew 5: 13-20
Preacher: John Wallace
Intercessions: Iulia Lau

Offertory Hymn: 197 Hark my soul (Cowper)

During this time please observe a period of quiet reflection, as we receive Communion

Anthem: Like as the hart - Howells

Communion Hymn: There is a fountain (Cowper) – see insert

Post Communion: 333 May the grace (Newton)

### 6.00pm Choral Evensong followed by Benediction (Fr. Max/Canon Grant)

**AMNS** 

Responses: Smith 40 Psalm: Office Hymn: 298

Magnificat: Stanford in Bb Nunc Dimittis: Stanford in Bb

Anthem: I waited for the Lord - Mendelssohn

Hymns: 64, 219

### IN YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE REMEMBER

Sick: Gordon Wallace, Bishop Michael Perham, Ron Colbert,

> Freda Blundy, John Kilman, Rebecca Reyland, Maggi Stannard, Svetlana Radulovic, Elaine Hesford, Andrew Milne, Irene Casper

RIP: Richard John Woodhouse, Frederick George Tucker,

Bernard Charles Holliman, Norma Hentall

Year's Mind: Paul Hayes, Cora-Anne Ingram, John Scammell, Laura Maskell,

Peggy Heyward, Susan Lennard, David Tunnadine

In our Team: Pray for local shops and businesses

In the World: Pray for World Bank and International Money Fund

In the Diocese: Pray for those training for Lay Ministry

In the Wider Church: Pray for the Church of the Province of the Congo

#### **NOTICES:**

**AGM REPORTS:** Please send your AGM reports to <u>parish@allsaintslb.org.uk</u> as soon as possible.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES: These are due for emptying in March. If you could leave your filled boxes in the Verger's Office, they will be emptied and returned to the sidesman's table for collection. If anyone would like to have a collection box at home for the Children's Society, please speak to Janet Wenborn (370987).

FLOWERS FOR EASTER: We would be grateful if you would like to make a donation towards All Saints Easter flowers. Alternatively, why not donate £1.50 (per person) towards a flower within an arrangement in memory of those who will not be celebrating Easter with us this year. All the names will be written up and placed in the South Transept. Please put your name and telephone number, together with the name of the person you would like remembered, with your donation in an envelope and hand to either Kerry Sykes or Lindsay Bevis.

**EASTER SERVICES:** Please take a card from the sidemans table.

LENT APPEAL: If you would like to contribute further to our Lenten appeal, you can buy a paper teddy bear after the service which will be entered into a draw.

**PARISH GIVING:** Boxes of envelopes for those who give by way of weekly envelopes are available from the table in the North Aisle. If you would like to start using these, please ask in the office where a supply is kept. This type of giving can also be gift aided (where, at no cost to you, the church is able to claim back tax, if you have already paid it on your income). Forms to do this are also available from the office.

**ELECTORAL ROLL 2017:** Revision of the Electoral Roll takes place in April. If you have changed address, telephone number or email in the past year, please contact me or leave a note in the Parish Office. If you are over 16, a member of the congregation and would like to enrol, forms are available from the literature rack in the Coffee Shop entrance, and should be returned by the 15th April 2017. Liz Corbett 372822.

### WHAT'S ON?

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT: As you enjoy your tea or coffee after the 9.15 Sunday service and choose your purchases from the Fairtrade Stall please take a few minutes to watch the video which will be playing which highlights the importance of choosing Fairtrade products where possible to avoid unconsciously supporting exploitation.

LADY DAY: Saturday 25th March. Mothers' Union Deanery members will be invited to join our members at the 10am Eucharist. Refreshments will be provided after the service, to which all are welcome.

**SERVERS REHEARSAL:** Rehearsal for Holy Week Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April at 3pm. ALL who are on the rota to attend please.

PULFORD PRE-SCHOOL OPEN EVENING: The preschool will be open on 19th April, 4pm – 5pm, for an informal visit to the school with a view to joining in September. BIBLE BOOK CLUB: The next Bible Book Club will be on Friday 28th April, when we will be discussing the Book of Ezekiel, same time and place as usual!

**ALL SAINTS' GOT TALENT:** Saturday 17th June, 7.30pm. Following the success of our previous extravaganzas, this year we will be showcasing the talent at All Saints! Tickets will be available nearer the date and you will need to book early as it is one show only and really not to be missed! If you are interested in taking part, adults only, we could do with acts. The event is fun and light-hearted and you will be expected to make a fool of yourself!! For more information please speak to Lindsay or Jo.

PARISH HOLIDAY TO BOURNEMOUTH: 1st-6th October 2017. Would all applications for the proposed parish holiday trip to the Bournemouth area be handed in by 30th March in order that we may assess whether we have sufficient numbers this year to be viable. Application forms are available from the display in the North Transept. Any questions, please contact Geoff Huskisson on 01525 757013.