

Welcome to All Saints West Dulwich

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14 January 2018 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

Collect

Almighty God,
in Christ you make all things new:
transform the poverty of our nature
by the riches of your grace,
and in the renewal of our lives
make known your heavenly glory;
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.

Amen

This morning's readings

1 Samuel 3.1-10 , 20
John 1.43-end

This morning's hymns

353, 238, 271, 341

Will you come and follow me?

Anthem:

The Lamb - Tavener

6.30pm Epiphany Meditation

This Week's Services & Groups

Morning Prayer

Monday to Friday at 9.15am

Evening Prayer

Monday to Thursday at 5pm

Eucharist

Tuesday at 6.30pm

Thursday at 12.15pm

Knit & Natter, Sew & Chatter

Monday at 2pm

Bible Reading Group

Tuesday at 10am

Community Coffee Morning

Thursday at 10.30am

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Friday at 10.15am

21 January 2018 3rd Sunday of Epiphany Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

8am Holy Communion

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Revelation 19.6-10

John 2.1-11

6.30pm Evensong

Jeremiah 3.21-4.2

Titus 2.1-8, 11-14

1 Samuel 3.1-10, 20

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread.

At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. Then the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' and he said, 'Here I am!' and ran to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call; lie down again.' So he went and lay down. The Lord called again, 'Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' But he said, 'I did not call, my son; lie down again.' Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, 'Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, "Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening." ' So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

As Samuel grew up, the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. And all Israel from Dan to Beersheba knew that Samuel was a trustworthy prophet of the Lord.

John 1.43-end

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, 'Follow me.' Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, 'We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth.'

Nathanael said to him, 'Can anything good come out of Nazareth?' Philip said to him, 'Come and see.' When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'



Notices

The Ministry Team

David and the Ministry Team wish the whole All Saints community blessings for a peace filled 2018. In this season of Epiphany - thank you all for your Christmas gifts, including the very generous sums raised for the Coats4Calais campaign and the Children's Society.

Confirmation Service

Four adults from All Saints are being confirmed at the Cathedral on Saturday 27th January at 3pm. It would be wonderful to have the support of others from All Saints at the service.

Candlemas Sunday

On Sunday 28 January we celebrate the feast of Candlemas recalling the 40 day old Jesus being presented in the Temple. We are inviting families from the last two years to give thanks for their children's baptisms. The service will be followed by canapés and activities for children.

Sunday Evening Recital

Our next Sunday evening recital 'Even Songs' will be given by the soprano (and ASWD congregation member) Rebecca Hickey and pianist Lyn Parkyns on 21 January at 7.30pm. Music includes songs by Mozart, Purcell, Quilter and Armstrong Gibbs. Retiring collection towards the Timothy Penrose Organ Scholarship Fund.

Day Chapel

On Wednesday evening the PCC passed a resolution to apply for a Faculty for the proposed Day Chapel.

David's day off

David will now be taking Fridays as his 'Sabbath'.

Care4Calais

Item list and packing details on the welcome hall table. Please bring donations on Monday or Thursday 9am-5pm (or Tues 2.30-4.30pm / Weds 9am-12). Thank you.

Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?

Will you go where you don't know,
and never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown,
Will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown
in you, and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?

Will you care for cruel and kind,
and never be the same?

Will you risk the hostile stare
should your life attract or scare,
will you let me answer prayer
in you, and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?

Will you set the pris'ners free,
and never be the same?

Will you kiss the leper clean
and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean
in you, and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.

Let me turn and follow you,
and never be the same.

In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
in you, and you in me.

John L Bell & Graham Maule

Prayer Matters : 14 January 2018 : 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

Pray for:

Health Service: Across the UK hospitals are being faced with bed shortages and the NHS are struggling with lack of funds, which is putting lives at risk

Environment: we are being faced with hard changes that are disturbing our wildlife and climate.

Foodbank: We give thanks to Foodbank, the volunteers and to everyone who donates.

All Saints Charity of the week - L'Arche London

L'Arche is a Community because they believe that we all—people with learning disabilities, assistants and Community friends—have need of one another; we all have something to give and to receive from one another. Often this involves doing small, simple, day-to-day things: going for walks or having a cup of tea or just spending time together. People with learning disabilities help take decisions through house meetings and a monthly members meeting.

Those who are sick or in need: Mary Goodlad, Gosia Gardiner, Emily Rixon, Ronald Alcock, Cass, Ruth Bennet, Beth, Hyacinth Brown, Wisdom Karikari, George Farmer, Zee Zee Gwaite, Jenny Bundark, Jan Ross, Aldwyn Holley, Katie Gedge, Anthony Backs, Julian Greene, Tishawah Binns, Orlando Gordon, Dazlyn Dawkins, Lucille Simpson, Jenny Pick, Ben, Thomas Hardy, Elizabeth Stead, Do Jones, and those who support and care for them.

Those whose year's mind falls at this time: Marjorie Fletcher (2001), Stephen Flood (2003), Dennis Palfreman (1991) and Desmond John Parsons (Vicar 1971-83) (2014)

Commemorated this week: Richard Rolle of Hampole - 20 January

Richard Rolle was born in about the year 1300 in Thornton in Yorkshire, where he first began to live the hermit life at the age of eighteen, after breaking off his education at the University of Oxford. After moving his hermitage to several other sites, he finally settled close to the Cistercian nuns at Hampole, where he undertook much of his prolific writing on mysticism and asceticism. He wrote in Latin but also produced many texts directly in English and even in the Northumbrian dialect. His writings were widely influential and he was venerated for at least three hundred years after his death in the year 1349.

Thought for the week:

For love is a willful stirring of our thoughts unto God, so that it receive nothing that is against the love of Jesus Christ, and therewith that it be lasting in sweetness of devotion; and that is the perfection of this life.

Richard Rolle

If there is something or someone we should call to mind in our prayers, please phone Elizabeth Flood 020 8670 8072 or leave a message at the Church Office 020 8676 4550.