

PRAYER REQUESTS

The churchwardens value your continued prayers during the vacancy. Please pray for Rev'd Lisa Fairman-Brown and her family as she prepares to take up her post as Priest in charge of All Saints and Lyminster and they prepare to move.

For Nancy Fellows, Jeff, Viv and Ron Jones, Dan and Becca Jenkins, Steve Legg, John Baker, Margaret Millidge, Sue Moss, Dennis Elson, Gill Haworth, Maureen Perry, the Batchelors, Jonathan Black, Susan, Ian, Alex Penfold and Imogen her daughter and her son-in-law, Sarah's family & relatives of church family: Sophie, Jean, Jamie Colclough (Val Stewart's son).

If you would like something about All Saints or other local churches publicised or would like your name added / taken off the prayer request list above please email Jonathan Black: wickinformation@gmail.com

OTHER SERVICES AND MEETINGS

Knit and Natter - Mondays 10.15am-12pm in The Garden Room at All Saints

Tots on Tuesday - 10am -11am at Wick Hall. Term time only.

The Garden Room Cafe and Information every Tuesday 10 am to 12 noon.

Midweek Communion - Wednesdays, 9.30am in All Saints

Coffee Morning - Fridays 9.30am - 12pm in All Saints

Splat! - fun-filled faith celebration for 45 mins with stories, music, craft, games and the Bible. 1st Sunday of the month starting at 9:30 at Wick Hall.

Online Prayer - 1st Sunday of the month **7:30-8:15pm** on zoom:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88323153741?pwd=TIIsSBSseWFhcEtVFRuQUFVeFpUQT09>; Meeting ID: 883 2315 3741; Passcode: 343191

The 8pm - worship, hear from God, receive prayer. 2nd Sunday of the month 8-9pm at Wick Hall. Refreshments from 7:45pm.

In person prayer gathering - 3rd Sunday of the month **6-7pm** at All Saints

All Saints Wick Sunday 12 May:
Ascension
Know, Love & Follow Jesus

Welcome to All Saints, Wick. We are one Church, meeting on Sundays in All Saints (9am) and Wick Hall (10am for refreshments, service starts 10:30am). If you are visiting, please make yourself known to one of our welcomers.

Inside you will find our Bible reading for today, the church's prayer for this week and news of what's going on in the life of our church family.

We have groups for children and youth during our service in Wick Hall, apart from the 1st Sunday each month when we have Splat! at 9:30am for all ages. On the 1st Sunday refreshments are served in the small hall between Splat! and the 10:30am service.

We tend to stand to sing and at the beginning of communion but please do what you feel comfortable with. In Wick Hall the toilets are up the stairs and to the left or flat access is through the back door and round under the covered walkway.

Above all we hope that you feel welcome, and able to share in the good news of Jesus our risen Saviour.

CONTACT DETAILS

We've setup a detailed contact list on the church website for the vacancy for different areas of church life:

<https://www.allsaintswick.org.uk/428/Contact>

COLLECT (Worldwide Anglican prayer) for The Seventh Sunday of Easter

Risen, ascended Lord, as we rejoice at your triumph, fill your Church on earth with power and compassion, that all who are estranged by sin may find forgiveness and know your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

BIBLE READING

Acts 1:1-11

1 In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach 2 until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. 3 After his suffering, he presented himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. 4 On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: 'Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. 5 For John baptised with water, but in a few days you will be baptised with the Holy Spirit.' 6 Then they gathered round him and asked him, 'Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?' 7 He said to them: 'It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. 8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.' 9 After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight. 10 They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. 11 'Men of Galilee,' they said, 'why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven.'

SERMON NOTES – What's God been saying to you today?

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

Online Prayer - This month's meeting will be held this evening (12th May) from 7:30pm on Zoom. All are welcome to attend. The usual Link can be used to join the meeting.

Next Sunday is the In person prayer gathering - 3rd Sunday of the month **6-7pm** at All Saints

Save the date - We are planning a farewell tea for Nat, Connie and the family, Sunday 19th May 3-5 pm. The tea will be held at Wick Hall, all are welcome. There will be a sign up sheet at the Sunday service, please add your name so we have a rough idea of numbers. There will also be some food suggestions and corresponding sheet for those who are able to contribute to the event.

Littlehampton Chaplains need you. The only qualification needed is that you are a Christian willing to spread the Good News of Jesus on a Friday in the town centre. We are holding a training Day at the Baptist Church Fitzalan Road, BN17 5NY on Friday 24th May commencing at 10am. Please email vivienneprior1@gmail.com if interested or just turn up on the day. Please come and see if we can make Littlehampton the place where Jesus is shining brightly. God Bless.

Nat & Connie will be moving to Angmering at the end of May in preparation for Nat taking up his role as Curate at St. Margaret's Church. If you would like to contribute to a leaving gift for them please do this by bank transfer to the PCC account reference Nat & Connie or place cash in an envelope marked Nat & Connie on the collecting plate at the back of church or in the hall.

All Saints - Men's Meeting How do we navigate in a world of deception? Come and Hear Steve Jennings from Maybridge Church Worthing. On: Thursday 30 May at 7.00 p.m. At: 115 Arundel Road Littlehampton BN17 7DH Steve is a great speaker and will help you understand how to seek truth in a deceptive world as an ex Jehovah's Witness. He'll discuss how he broke from the JW's and found peace in the truth.