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reaching into our community with the love of Jesus



St Paul with All Saints Church

WEEKLY NEWS SUNDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2026

This week @ All Saints Church



Holy Communion
10.30am Sunday 8th February



Bible Builders and Explorers
10.30am Sunday 8th February



Nugen and NxGen
10.30am Sunday 8th February
Maynard/Magpie Centre



Home Group
Monday 9th February, 10am



Little Saints
Tuesday 10th February, 9.30am



Home Group - Acts
Tues 10th Feb, Vicarage, 7pm



Cubs
Tues 10th Feb, 6.15-7.45pm



Lunch Club
Wednesday 11th Feb, 1pm



Holy Communion
Thursday 12th Feb, 9.45am



Squirrels, Beavers and Scouts
Thursday 12th Feb, 4.30-9.00pm



TGF
Friday 13th Feb, 7-9pm



Alpha – Who is the Holy Spirit?
Friday 13th February 6pm
Vicarage

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Services at All Saints

Sunday 8th February

10.30am Holy Communion
Acts 8:1-8, 26-40
1 Peter 3:13-17

Monday 9th February

8.45am Morning Prayer
Psalm 30
2 Timothy 4:1-8

Thursday 12th February

9.45am Holy Communion
1 Kings 11:4-13
Mark 7:24-30

Sunday 15th February

9.00am Holy Communion
Acts 10:34-48
Galatians 3:26-29

10.30am Praise & Worship

Acts 10:34-48
Galatians 3:26-29

Our Sunday services are usually Livestreamed
YouTube Channel: [saintpaulwithallsaintschat2644](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtjwz2644)



Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

1 Corinthians 13:6-7

Priest in Charge: Rev Jenny Warrington
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Day off: Saturday; Quiet day: Friday

Last Sunday we took a break from Mission in the book of Acts to focus on a character from the Old Testament. The service was not livestreamed, so here's a summary:

- The reading focuses on the story of **Abigail** from *1 Samuel 25*, highlighting her as an example of faith-driven action.
- David is in hiding from Saul and has protected the flocks of the wealthy but foolish Nabal, who refuses David's request for provisions.
- With the prophet Samuel now dead, there is no spiritual barrier against God's judgment, and Nabal's insult pushes David toward violent retaliation.
- Abigail, intelligent and wise in contrast to her husband, steps in after a servant warns her of coming danger.
- She quickly gathers gifts, meets David, and delivers a brave and persuasive speech—the longest recorded speech by a woman in the Old Testament.
- Abigail reminds David of his calling and encourages him to act righteously, leading David to abandon his plan of revenge.
- Her actions reflect self-sacrificial intercession, similar to Moses and ultimately Jesus.
- After learning of Abigail's intervention, Nabal suffers a stroke and dies ten days later; David later marries Abigail.
- The story encourages believers to pray for their community, seek peace, intervene against injustice, and embody qualities described in the Beatitudes—meekness, mercy, purity, and peace-making.
- May I encourage you to read the story of Abigail, and more than this, awaken your internal Abigail to bring peace to our families, friends and ultimately our troubled world. In Jesus Name. Amen.



Please continue to pray for those struggling with their health, including **Sally, Maureen, John Francis, Claire and John & Jenny**
Thank you.

If you would like someone added to the prayer list, please ensure you have their consent and let Jenny or Tracey know. If there are urgent prayer requests, please consider using our prayer circle or ring Jenny.



Lent Resources

Lent begins with our Ash Wednesday service on 18th February at 7.30pm. There are resources available, including the Church of England 'Draw Near' booklets/App and emails and Lectio 365 app and videos.

Details at the back of church. Join us on a journey of drawing closer to God this Lent.

Lent Prayer Morning On Holy Saturday 4th April 10am-12

Join us for a time of quiet reflection on Holy Saturday. Tea and coffee will be available throughout the morning and a series of prayer stations as we reflect back on the death of Jesus and look forward to his rising from the dead.

Help Needed to Dismantle the Old Chairs

After the service on Sunday we will be removing the seats and backs from the old church chairs. Please could you bring a Philips/Cross head screwdriver to church and help with a few chairs? Your help would be much appreciated. Thank you. Jenny

Sermon Series for 2026

Unstoppable: Living the Acts 1:8 Life

'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.'

Date	Title	Readings
8 th Feb	Expanding Horizons and Facing Opposition	Acts 8:1-8 and 8:26-40
15 th Feb	Breaking Down Barriers	Acts 10:34-48
22 nd Feb	To the Ends of the Earth	Acts 17:16-34



Quiz Night Saturday 7th February 7pm

Back by popular demand! Our next quiz night is this Saturday. We look forward to seeing you!



Lunch Club

The next Lunch Club will be on **Wednesday 11th February** at 1pm where we will share a meal together. Are you over 45 and would like to join us? A two-course meal costs just £3.00 per person. For more information or to book, please telephone the office on 01634 566847.



Social Events 2026

We are planning a series of Social Event @ All Saints in 2026 to which you are warmly invited. Make a note in your diaries, so you don't miss out - there is something for everyone!

Saturday 7th February

7pm Quiz Night

Sunday 15th March

12.00pm Mother's Day Celebration Cake

Saturday 25th April

2pm St. Paul with All Saints Volunteers Tea

Sunday 17th May

12.30pm APCM Lunch

Sunday 19th July

12.30pm Summer bring and share BBQ

Sunday August – date t.b.c.

12.30pm Family Fun Day Picnic

Sunday 4th October

12.00pm Harvest Lunch (Bring and Share)

Saturday 11th November

5-7pm African Evening

Saturday 21st November

All Saints Christmas Fayre

Saturday December – date t.b.c.

IJO Christmas Jazz

Watch out for further details nearer the time 😊.



Children's & Young People's Groups @ All

Saints

Bible Builders and Bible Explorers meet on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sundays at 10.45am

NuGen (11-14yr olds) will meet on 2nd and 4th Sundays in the Maynard Room.

NxGen (15-18yr olds) will also meet on 2nd & 4th Sunday from 10.30am - in the Magpie Centre

TGF Youth Group for 11-16yr olds. Friday evenings 7-9pm during term time.



Little Saints our babies and toddlers group takes place on Tuesdays from 9.30 – 11.30am. Open to all with preschool aged children with their parents and carers.



Easter Experience

Thursday 9th April, 11am-2pm

Come and join us and find out what happened to Jesus in the lead up to his resurrection. For ages 4-11 year olds. Puppets, games Easter Egg Hunt, lunch and lots of fun! Details can be found on the poster in church. Booking essential, email:

office.allsaintschatham@gmail.com
Childrensminister.all saints@gmail.com

Second Chance Medway Charity

For those struggling with food costs, Second Chance, Medway offer a community Supermarket 9-4 Monday to Friday and a Community Food Pantry on a Thursday, offering affordable shopping. Based at the bottom of Brompton Hill. Leaflets available in the community rack.



Medway Foodbank

The new shopping lists for Medway Foodbank are now available at the back of church.

All Saints Community Project



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Tel: 01634 845419

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Our Advisors are here to help. Please Call 01634 845419 to make an appointment.

No appointment is required for food assistance. This is available from 10am to 1pm Monday to Friday

Monday

Golden Hour

Come for a chat, games and reminiscing
2pm to 3pm

Next Steps Support

Coaching sessions to help you move forward
Run by Wind Mill Training
2.30pm-4pm

Tuesday

Depression and Anxiety Group

Next Meeting Tuesday 17th February
10am – 12noon at All Saints Church

Talking Tables

10.30am – 12.30pm

Offering a warm and friendly welcome that encourages conversation and connection. Having a chat with someone can really brighten your day.
All are welcome.

Home Ed Chat and Stay

Come along to the centre to enjoy some activities with other Home Ed children
Starting at 1.30pm

Thursday

Knitters and Stitchers

Meet every week
10am - 12noon.
Come and join them

Book & Swap

Every week
An informal Book Swap and Chat.
2pm to 3pm

Friday

Have A Go Craft Group

Next meeting 13th February
9.30am – 11.30am

Gaming Friday

1.30pm-3pm

Saturday

Men's Group

Next date 7th February 2026
10.30am-12.30pm
Join us for coffee and chat

Every Week Day

Magpie Centre Café

Monday to Friday 9.30am to 4.00pm
Cooked/hot food stops at 2.00pm

Computer Suite

Monday to Friday 10am-1pm
A Job Club will be running between the hours of
10am and 12 noon.
All are welcome

EXTRA NEWS

School Uniform Swap

Next date: 11th February
9.30am-11.30am

Bingo

Come and join us on the 27th February 2026
from 1.30pm-2.30pm Prizes for the winners
A small charge of £1 per person

HepC Testing

All are welcome to have this test
Next date: 27th February 2026
10am to 1pm