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St Paul with All Saints Church seeks to be an inside-out Church
reaching into our community with the love of Jesus

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WEEKLY NEWS SUNDAY 24TH MAY 2026

Next week @ All Saints Church



Holy Communion
10.30am Sunday 24th May



Bible Builders and Explorers
10.30am Sunday 24th May



NuGen and NxGen
10.30am Sunday 24th May



Morning Prayer
Monday 25th May, 8.45am



Home Group
Monday 25th May, 10am



No Little Saints
Tuesday 26th May, 9.30am



Creative Reflection
Tues 26th May, 1.30-2.30pm



No Cubs
Tues 26th May, 6.15-7.45pm



Home Group
Tues 26th May Vicarage, 7pm



Holy Communion
Thurs 28th May, 9.45am



No Squirrels, Beavers & Scouts
Thurs 28th May, 4.30-9.00pm



No TGF
Friday 29th May, 7-9pm



Alpha
Friday 29th May, 7.30pm
Vicarage

Services at All Saints

Sunday 24th May

10.30am Holy Communion

Judges 7:15-22
2 Corinthians 4:7-10

Monday 25th May

8.45am Morning Prayer

Psalms 126
Luke 9:18-27

Thursday 28th May

9.45am Holy Communion

1 Peter 1:18-end
Mark 10:32-45

Sunday 31st May

**10.30am Healing Service with
Holy Communion**

Isaiah 40:27-end
Luke 6:17-23



**Please continue to pray
for those struggling with their health, including
Sally, Maureen, John Francis, John & Jenny and
Maria (Elizabeth's sister-in-law)**

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.

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What is God's Mission for Our Church in 2026/7

On 31st May, during our 10.30am healing service, we will spend time listening to God and completing a short questionnaire, put together by the Intergenerational Group that was drawn together as part of Jenny's Church of England's Incumbents leadership Programme to 'Grow a younger and more diverse church'. Your opinion and prayerful reflection is important and will help the PCC shape the direction of All Saints in the coming years.

New Sermon Series starts in June

Following the fascinating and transformative sermon series on Gideon from the book of Judges, we turn to the Gospel of John for our summer series and consider the 'I AM' sayings of Jesus. These aren't just titles, they are invitations. Jesus isn't just offering a product, he's offering himself. You are welcome to join us as we spend time in the reality that the great I AM is here with us now.

Ministry to the White Road Estate

A small group continue to seek God's vision for this important part of our Parish. Our next prayer walk will be on **Monday 1st June at 11.15am** starting from the Community Centre. All welcome.



NuGen & NxGen Fundraiser

Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who supported the car wash and bookmark sale on Sunday. About £150 was raised which will help with funding for the Rooted Camp in July. Watch out for more details of other fundraising events! 😊



Confirmation Classes

Following the wonderful outpouring of love for Jesus, we currently have 14 candidates offering themselves for Confirmation. **For adults:** There will be 2 Adult classes on alternate Friday evening starting on 22nd May at 7.30pm at the Vicarage. Dates 22nd May & 5th June. **For young people** under 18 there will be a session on Sunday 7th June at 10.30am. Please make every effort to attend these sessions. If you haven't expressed an interest and would like to be considered for Confirmation this year - please complete an application form and talk to Jenny asap.



APCM 2026: A Year of Growth and Gratitude

Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) offered a wonderful opportunity to look back with gratitude and look forward with shared vision. Reports highlighted a vibrant year of worship, deepening discipleship, and flourishing community outreach, particularly across our children and youth ministries.

Financially, we extended heartfelt thanks to everyone whose faithful stewardship and generosity sustained our shared mission. Our buildings and fabric remain well-maintained, thanks to dedicated teams ensuring our spaces are safe and welcoming for all.

During the elections, we expressed immense gratitude to our outgoing officers and warmly welcomed our newly elected Churchwardens and PCC members as they step into leadership. Thank you to everyone who attended and contributed!

Spring '26 Sermons Flawed: Perfect for Gods use Sermon Series on Gideon

Date	Title	Scripture
24 th May	Jars of Clay and Torches / Pentecost Sunday	Judges 7:15-22



Lunch Club

The next Lunch Club will be on **Wednesday 10th June** at 1pm where we will share a meal together.



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, 3rd & 4th Sundays in the Maynard Room. (3rd Sunday with NxGen in the Magpie Centre)

NxGen (15-18yr olds) will also meet on 2nd, 3rd & 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, baby and toddler group meets every Tuesday during termtime from 9.30 -11.30am



Rooted – Weekend away for

NuGen & NxGen & TGF 3-5th July 2026

Please encourage your young people to sign up for this weekend away and pay (if possible) their £20 deposit. The weekend will be held at Carrotwood near Tonbridge and will be fun and transformative. The youth team are hard at work putting a programme together for the weekend and arranging fundraising activities. Please support our young people and pray for the team.

Jackie Baldock's 80th Birthday!

On Saturday 13th June, Jackie is holding a party to celebrate her 80th Birthday. Fellowship members are warmly invited to. See Jackie for details.

Sponsored Cycle

Julie Tong's son, Matthew is doing the London to Brighton Cycle Race in aid of The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity. If you would like to sponsor him please see Julie or go to the Just Giving page of Matthew Alden for The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity. Thank you.



Bubble Church

Sunday 24th May 1pm

Join us at 12.30pm for lunch, followed by a short service of fun as we celebrate Pentecost with balloons and more!



Prayer Festival: 30th May 10am-4pm

A Prayer Festival is being held at St. Benedicts Centre and Malling Abbey to explore different ways of praying. See attached poster/poster in church for further details.



Fraud Awareness and Scams Talk

Christ the King, 27th May 10.30am

Kent Police are coming to speak at Christ the King about fraud awareness and information about the latest scams doing the rounds. If you would like to attend, it takes place on Wednesday 27th May at 10.30am.

Are you Emergency Ready?

Kent and Medway have issued a 5-step plan to help us all be better prepared for household emergencies.

1. Make an emergency grab bag
2. Make a household emergency plan
3. Sign up for weather & flood alerts
4. Check your flood risks
5. Join the Priority Services Register

Pick up a leaflet at the back of church or visit

www.kentprepared.org.uk/5-steps



Leightons Opticians and Hearing Care Visit

21st May, 10am-3pm

Leightons Opticians are holding a drop in session in the Magpie Centre offering free hearing screening, basic glasses repairs and assisting with ear wax removal on Thursday 21st May.

There will also be a chance to grab a few freebies while you are there!

All Saints Community Project



offering hope and a future

all saints community project trust

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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 26th May
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.

Craft and Chat

10.45am – 12.15 pm

Home Ed Chat and Stay

Come along to the centre to enjoy some activities with other Home Ed children
1.30pm – 2.30pm

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 5th June
9.30am – 11.30am

Gaming Friday

1.30pm-3pm

Saturday

Men's Group

Next date 6th June 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



Leightons Opticians and Hearing Care

Drop in session
Thursday 21st May, 10am-3pm

Bingo

Come and join us on the 29th May 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: 19th June 2026
10am to 1pm