

# The Benefice of All Saints, Highbrook & St Margaret of Antioch, West Hoathly

## Benefice Notices for the Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

### Worship

Due to reduced capacity, and to prepare the building appropriately please let Mother Nicol know by Saturday 12 noon if you are intending to attend the next day's service (Email: [mother.nicol@gmail.com](mailto:mother.nicol@gmail.com) or Tel: 01342 810 183).

### **Next Sunday (20th September)** **The Fifteenth Sunday After Trinity**

9.00am All Saints, Highbrook - BCP Holy Communion

10.30am St Margaret's West Hoathly - Eucharist

*Open to all & will be live-streamed*

*This will be followed by changing of chairs and cleaning of common areas.*

11.30am St Margaret's West Hoathly - Eucharist

*A repeat of the 10.30am service & reserved for the  
elderly (70yrs+) and/ or vulnerable*

**Mthr Nicol will be on annual leave until Friday 18th September.**

*Until she returns, if you are in need to get in touch on an urgent matter, please contact the Churchwarden of St Margaret's, Erica Ansell on 01342 811215 or [ma.dearest@btinternet.com](mailto:ma.dearest@btinternet.com), or of All Saints' Adam Hackett ([adamjphackett@outlook.com](mailto:adamjphackett@outlook.com)) or Tony Osborn (01444 892 191).*

## **Covid-19 news...**

**Please remember that if you need help, support or pastoral care, you can call Mthr Nicol on 01342 810 183. It is important that you know that you are supported and loved.**

## **Face Coverings**

A reminder that face coverings are currently a legal requirement for attending Places of Worship. If you plan to come to church, please bring a mask or face covering with you; remembering that they are mainly intended to protect other people, not the wearer, from coronavirus (COVID-19) and that they are not a replacement for physical distancing and regular hand washing.

If you feel unable to attend church whilst the wearing of a mask is compulsory then the online streamed service will continue for your viewing whilst we are in these extraordinary times.

## **Annual Parochial Church Meetings**

Our APCMs will now take place on the following dates:

St Margaret's - 10am on Saturday 26th September

All Saints - 11am on Saturday 10th October

Anyone is entitled to attend the Annual Meeting of Parishioners, during which the Churchwardens are elected. This takes place at the beginning of the meeting.

Only people whose names are on the Electoral Roll are entitled to attend the APCM which follows immediately after. During this meeting we elect the PCC members and present the reports and accounts of the 2019.

Due to social distancing restrictions, it is very important that you plan to attend, please let Mthr Nicol know so that we arrange the chairs appropriately can hold the meeting safely.

Nomination forms for PCC members, Churchwarden or Deanery Synod are available in the appropriate church or from Mthr Nicol.

## **Visiting the churches for individual prayer**

We trialling a new system which creates more access whilst allowing the spaces to remain closed for 72 hours following and before Sunday worship.

**Both churches are open on Wednesdays until late afternoon.**

If you wish to visit the church, please maintain a 2m distance between groups, use the hand sanitiser at the entrance (you can bring your own if you prefer), wear a face coverings and to sign-in (as part of our Track and Trace protection).

These procedures are in place to protect you and everyone who visits.

## **A Prayer for the week: 2 Graces for Mealtimes**

Creator of the universe,  
you give us this gift of food to nourish us and give us life.  
Bless this food that you have made and human hands have prepared.  
May it satisfy our hunger,  
and in sharing it together may we come closer to one another.  
Amen

*Anglican Church of Canada, Alternative Service Book*

Be present at our table, Lord;  
Be here and everywhere adored.  
Thy creatures bless, and grant that we  
May feast in paradise with thee.

*John Wesley, 1703-91*

## **For our Prayers**

Please continue to pray for yourself, for our communities, for our nation, and for the whole world.

The sick and housebound or in especial guidance: Marjorie Marshall, John Edwards, Michael Mays, Carole Oddy, Nora Jones, Eric Jane, Peter Brewster, Graham Norris, and David.

We pray for the recently departed and those whose anniversary of death falls this week, and all who are grieving for them.

For those preparing for Baptism: George Lambert, James Field & Max Neal; for Confirmation: Lily Shannon, Bailey and Karen Moore; and for marriage, Arabella & Bertie, Ben & Katherine, Jennifer & Stephen, Mollie & Gary, Jemima & Arthur, David & Helen, Paul & Lauren, Jack & Sarah, Kate & Pete, Lee & Jennifer, Henry & Annabel, Winsome & Ed, Max & Sasha, and Kate & Pete.

And please pray for our young people and the staff of West Hoathly Primary School.

*If you would like to add someone's name to the prayer list, please contact Mthr Nicol.*

**For details of how to join others online for prayer, worship, study, and community life, and for updates, please check our website:**

[www.allsaints-highbrook.org.uk](http://www.allsaints-highbrook.org.uk) & [www.westhoathly.org.uk](http://www.westhoathly.org.uk)

**And social media:**

Facebook - @stmargaretswesthoathlyallsaintshighbrook

Twitter - @StMargarets\_WH

YouTube - search for 'St Margarets West Hoathly All Saints Highbrook'

## **Contact details**

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Mthr Nicol's day off is Monday.