

## Notices

*It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our dear friend Janice Underdown on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2021.*

*Janice passed away peacefully at the Heart of Kent Hospice she will be dearly missed.*

*In our hand o Lord,  
we humbly entrust our dear friend Janice to  
your care.  
In this life you embraced her with your tender  
love,  
bid her eternal rest.*

**The Parish of All Saints  
With St Philip, Maidstone and  
St Stephen, Tovil  
[www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk](http://www.maidstoneallsaints.co.uk)**

**Sunday 14th November 2021  
Second Sunday before Advent  
Remembrance Sunday**



**10.00am Joint Eucharist Service  
At St Philips Church**

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### November 2021

14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Joint Eucharist	St Philips
21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	Joint Eucharist	All Saints
28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Joint Eucharist	St Philips

### • COVID RESTRICTIONS

- Face coverings optional
- Unmasked singing permitted
- Area to be provided for apprehensive mask wearers wanting to keep distanced from non-wearers.
- Social distancing to remain but reduced from two metres to one.
- Retain alternate vacancy pews to lessen perceived risk of aerosol contamination.
- Non-contact sharing of the peace encouraged.
- Consideration and courtesy for others space when interacting.
- Mingling outside permitted.

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**PCC Meeting** at St Philips on Tuesday 23rd November at 6.30pm

### Next week's Service

**Sunday 21st November  
Christ the King  
Sunday Next before Advent  
10am Joint Eucharist Service  
at All Saints Church**

**Zoom Service kindly offered by St Martins Church - Thursday Morning Holy Worship  
10.00am**

**St Martin's Church Zoom Link for Services  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/866070731>**

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### Collect

Almighty Father,  
whose will is to restore all things  
in your beloved Son, the King of all:  
govern the hearts and minds of those in  
authority, and bring the families of the  
nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages  
of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule;  
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity  
of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## **Reading**

### **Hebrews 10:11-14. 19-25**

And every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, 'he sat down at the right hand of God', and since then has been waiting 'until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet.' For by a single offering, he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

## **Gospel**

### **Mark 13:1-8**

As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.' When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, 'Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?' Then Jesus began to say to them, 'Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

## **Post Communion**

God of peace, whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom and restored the broken to wholeness of life: look with compassion on the anguish of the world, and by your healing power make whole both people and nations, through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

### **Special prayers for those in need**

*Matt 5.3 'Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven'*

Paul Crease, Vera Alflatt,  
Daphne Holland, Nigel Gunyon, Mary Wheeler,  
Jane Sadler, Ray Stephens, Debbie Proctor,  
Roger Doe, Gemma (Joan Bull's Daughter)

### **Special Prayers of Hope and Compassion**

#### **In Memory Of**

Janice Underdown

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