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All Saints Sedgley

in the Parish of Gornal and Sedgley

Registered Charity Number 1179471

21st October – 21st Sunday after Trinity

8am – The Revd Catherine Mitchell

Readings: Isaiah 53.4-end

Hebrews 5.1-10

Mark 10.35-45

10.30am – The Revd Catherine Mitchell

Readings: As Above

Readers: Cicely Thomas and Martin Platts

Intercessions: Tony Hart

Chalice: Sheila Kendrick and David Melhuish

6.30pm – Evensong – Canon Jan Humphries

Readings: Hebrews 5.1-10 and Mark 10.35-45

Readers: Martin Moseley and John Grosvenor

Wednesday 24th October St Peters at 10am
The Revd Catherine Mitchell

PARISH PRAYERS – Tuesday at St Andrew's, Wednesday St Peter's and Thursday at All Saints'. These will all start at 9.15am. All are welcome.

Collect – Almighty God, in whose service lies perfect freedom: teach us to obey you with loving hearts and steadfast wills: through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Isaiah 53.4-end - Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. By a perversion of justice, he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth. Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the LORD shall prosper. Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge. The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. Therefore, I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

Hebrews 5.1-10 - Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.' In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation

for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Mark 10.35-45 - James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.' When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

Parish Office – The parish office is open from Monday – Friday 10-12.00 noon. My phone number: 01902 540289 and my email address is admin@allsaintssedgley.co.uk. Can items for the pew sheet be sent to me by Wednesday 12 noon please. Thank you. Gail.

(Please note that The Revd Guy Hewlett's usual day off will be a Monday and The Revd Catherine Mitchell's a Friday.)

Sunday 28th October - All Saints' 8am – The Revd Catherine Mitchell
10.30am – The Revd Catherine Mitchell
6.30pm – BCP – The Revd Guy Hewlett
St Andrews – 9.30am – The Revd Guy Hewlett
St Peters – 10.30am – Worship for All – Suzanne Bradley

FLOWERS FOR OCTOBER – October 21 In memory of Jack Parton and October 28 In memory of Lil Parton.

SEDGLEY & DISTRICT CHILDREN'S SOCIETY APPEALS COMMITTEE

I would like to thank everyone who helped to organise our Annual Autumn Fayre which took place last Saturday. Despite the dreadful weather the

event was well attended and, of course, our Little Angels went down really well. The end result, which everyone always wants to know, was that we raised no less that **£1,381.81** for the Society. Anne.

LEGACY POLICY - DCC at the last meeting approved a Legacy Policy that seeks, as previous legacies have done, the continuance of All Saints' Christian Mission. For further information, please contact Guy or Catherine.

CHARITY DONATION - DCC is keen that as part of our charitable giving we donate to local charities that support local people. I would be pleased to receive suggestions that meet this criteria. John

REMEMBRANCE SILHOUETTES - This year Remembrance Sunday marks 100 years since the end of WW1. In the weeks leading up to Remembrance Day, as a reminder of those who did not return, 10 silhouettes will be placed in the pews. Before they went to the war your preferred seat may have been theirs.

FUNERAL – the funeral of the late Bernice Patricia Giles will take place at All Saints on the 25th October at 11.30am. Our thought and prayers go to her family at this sad time.

ST PETER'S CHURCH PUBLIC MEETING - the second public meeting regarding the future of St Peter's church building will be held on 30th October 19:00 in church. All are welcome. Please pray for St Peter's church and this important meeting.

ALL SOULS – The All Souls Service will be held on the 4th November at 6.30pm. Please add names of those to be remembered on the list at the back of the church. It is expected that if asking someone to be remembered that you attend the service.

NOVEMBER CONCERT - 'An Evening of Music', with The Salvation Army Dudley Citadel Band and Acoustic Voices, will be held on Saturday 17th November, 7.30pm, at All Saints' Church. Tickets £8 from Liz, Kath and Tony.

SKITTLES NIGHT WITH FISH&CHIP SUPPER, Nov 24th starting promptly at 7.30pm in the church hall. Tickets £6.50 and available from Roger Berry, tel 881374. Please bring your own drinks & glasses.



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