

All Saints Sedgley in the Parish of Gornal and Sedgley

Registered Charity Number 1179471

10th February 2019 – 4th Sunday before Lent

8am – Holy Communion - The Revd Guy Hewlett

Readings: Isaiah 6.1-8

1 Corinthians 15.1-11

Luke 5.1-11

10.30am – Worship for All – Canon Jan Humphries

Readings: As above

Readers: Peter Trinder and Joan Sullivan

Intercessions: Liz Williams

6.30pm – Evensong - Using the Book of Common Prayer – Canon Jan Humphries

Readings: 1 Corinthians 15.1-11 and Luke 5.1-11

Wednesday 13th February 2019 – St Peter 10am – Holy Communion The Revd Catherine Mitchell

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

Collect – Lord of the hosts of heaven, our salvation and our strength, without you we are lost: guard us from all that harms or hurts and raise us when we fall; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Isaiah 6.1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said: 'Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory.' The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: 'Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!' Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: 'Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.' Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I; send me!'

1 Corinthians 15.1-11

Now I should remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to someone untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace towards me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

Luke 5.1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and

were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, 'Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.' Simon answered, 'Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.' When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signalled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, 'Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!' For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.' When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

Parish Office – The parish office is open Monday to 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.)

17th February – All Saints – 8am - The Revd Guy Hewlett
10.30am – Canon Judith Oliver
6.30pm – Evensong - Using the Book of Common Prayer – Canon Jan Humphries
St Andrew – 9.30am – Worship for All – Canon Jan Humphries
St Peter – 10.30am – The Revd Guy Hewlett

FUNERAL – the funeral of the late Hilda Eileen Flavell will take place at All Saints on Thursday 14th February at 10.30am, her body will be bought in church on the 13th February at 4pm. Our thoughts and prayers go to her family at this sad time.

PCC SECRETARY – Chris Williams is standing down as our PCC Secretary at the APCM. Thank you Chris for all your contributions and hard work in this role. If you are interested in the position of PCC Secretary please speak to The Revd Guy Hewlett or The Revd Catherine Mitchell, to Chris or any of our Church Wardens. Thank you. **CLEANERS -** we are in urgent need of cleaners to assist cleaning the church on Tuesday mornings. **WE NEED YOU.** If you think you could help please see Keith Tomlinson or Geraldine Baker. Thank you.

FAIR TRADE – thank you for all your support. We have raised a cheque for £150 to Traidcraft Exchange. Fair Trade fortnight will take place Monday 25th February until Sunday 10th March. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

SIDES PEOPLE - Would anyone be willing to join our small band of sides people?, they give much help to the smooth running of our services, which is much appreciated. if you are interested please see Linda Watkins.

ANNUAL REPORT – could we please have all reports in by the 11th February. Thank you. John Anderson

FEBRUARY PRAYER MEETINGS - Tuesday evening the 12th February at 7.30 pm at All Saints Vicarage And Tuesday afternoon the 26th February at 2.30 pm at All Saints Vicarage.

DEFIB'R AND CPR TRAINING. The Defib'rs are now to hand. To those interested, a training session has been arranged for Thurs 28th Feb at 8.00pm at the Upper Gornal Methodist Church. Please contact me or Gail if you wish to attend. Thank you, Roger.

BARN DANCE WITH THE EVE EVANS EXPERIENCE Sat April 6th, 7.30pm, incl F&C, in the church hall, Tickets £8.00 from Roger Berry.

LADIES SOCIETY THEATRE TRIP - Our trip to the Mill Theatre, Sedgley will be on Wednesday 10th April 2019 to see Willenhall Musical Theatre Company's production of Sister Act. The show starts at 7.30 pm and tickets cost £17. Other members of the congregation and our team churches are welcome to join us. Tickets must be paid for by our meeting on Monday 4th March. Please see Barbara Price if you would like tickets. Thank you.

TRAINING EVENT on 11 April (10.00 – 12.00) at St Francis Dudley Parish Centre. This workshop event has been organised by the Black Country Just Finance worker, Cassius Francis, and will introduce participants to the work of the illegal money lending team, and the issues involved in spotting and reporting loan sharks. Places can be booked via Eventbrite: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/loan-shark-training-tickets-53579366327

