



WEEKLY NEWS



Sunday 7th June

First Sunday of Trinity

- 9.30am Holy Communion St Andrews
11am Holy Communion All Saints
1pm Baptism of Ray Edward Richard Evans
6.30pm Evensong All Saints

THE WEEK AHEAD:

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| Mon 1st | 9.15am | Little Angels St Andrews, The Straits |
| Tue 2nd | 9.30am | Noahs Ark in All Saints Hall |
| Wed 3rd | 10am | Holy Communion at St Peter's |
| Thu 4th | 7.30pm | Fellowship Group on zoom |
| Fri 5th | 9.15am | Morning Prayer at All Saints |
| | 10.30am | Coffee Morning at All Saints |

CHURCH OPENING – Please note there will be no Church Coffee Morning on Friday 19th June.

NOTICES: - We are delighted to announce that **Donna Smith** will be joining our staff team as our new part-time Operations Manager. Donna joins us with over twenty years of invaluable administrative, financial, and operational experience spanning the charity, local government, and banking sectors. Most recently, she served as the Business Support Administrator and Payroll Officer for Citizens Advice. She is incredibly excited to bring her skills, professionalism, and community-focused values to our renewal project to support the long-term ministry and growth of our Church Family. She will begin on Monday 6th July and will work in the Parish Office alongside Gail for 4 mornings per week. We trust that she will give receive a warm Gornal and Sedgley welcome.

CHURCH WARDENS ADMISSION SERVICE - this year's Admission Service is on Monday 29th June 7pm. The venue will be held at St Johns the Baptist Church, 14 Kidderminster Road Bromsgrove. B61 7JW. Please do try and support this event, everyone is welcome to go.

Funeral – the funeral of the late Molly Taft will take place at Gornal Wood Tuesday 9th June 1:30 p.m. The wake will be held at The Mount in Tettenhall. If you can attend, please let Gail know in the parish office as the family need to know numbers to cater for. On the 10th June the funeral of Gordon Betterley will take place Gornal Wood 3.10pm. Please keep his family and friends in your thoughts and prayers.

Mothers' Union Cream Tea with the TG Singers - Tuesday 7th July 2.30pm, at All Saints' Church Hall Tickets £7 (from Liz Williams).

Church magazine – Our thanks to all the people who have delivered magazines this year. Can I remind you that the £5 fee for the magazine is due for collection. It can be handed to me or Gail in the office. Thank you, Karen Evans.

Black Country Day 12th July – we will be having a stall again on the Tenscore, which will include a soft toy tombola to raise money. If anyone has any new or really good condition Soft Toys could you please drop by the parish office Monday to Friday 9.45 till 1pm or to All Saints on a Sunday morning. Many thanks.

St Peters Patronal Festival – will be on Sunday 28th June 6pm. This will be a communion service followed by cheese and wine. Do note there will be no morning services that day, other than the 8am at All Saints. Instead, we are invited to join with Tracey at the Cathedral as she is ordained at 10.30am. Lifts can be arranged.

Parish Lunch – 26th July at the Lodge, Dudley 12.30pm for 1pm. Two course meal plus tea or coffee £23 per person. Please contact Tracey Bate, Janet, John Powell or Linda Watkins.

BLACK COUNTRY FOODBANK - Thank you to all who continue to donate. This week we need: Long-life Milk, Long-life Fruit Juice, Tinned Vegetables, Tinned Fish, Tinned Tomatoes, Small Jars of Coffee, Jars of Pasta Sauce / Cooking Sauce, Cup-a Soup, Packets of Mashed Potato, Bars of Soap, Toothpaste & Toothbrushes, Roll-on Deodorant, Shower Gel. Thanks, from all at 'Springs'.

NEXT SUNDAY: Trinity 2

8am **Holy Communion All Saints**
9.30am **Worship for All St Andrews**
10am **Worship for All St Peters**
11am **Holy Communion All Saints**

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