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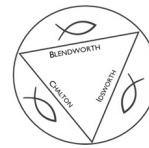
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BCI CHURCHES

Welcome!

Weekly News

W/C Sunday 2nd November

All Saints

From the Ministry Team:

Unlike some weeks in the benefice, this one has been relatively quiet. Pete and I enjoyed our visit to our son's home in West Norwood and I survived the drive there! It was lovely to be able to spend time with our family and experience a little of their day to day life where they are.

We now enter this November into a season of remembrance. This week we remember the saints and next week the fallen. On All Souls we remember those we see no longer. It is an opportunity to reflect on what's gone before and reach the climax at the end of the month with our reflection on Christ the King right at the end of the Church year. Remembering those who have gone before us is always important but don't forget that we also live among saints too. As Sowing Seeds will find out on Sunday - We're all SAINTS!

Revd Joy

Bible thought:

...he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all. **Ephesians chapter 1.**

Collect

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age;
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

NOTICE: From Blendworth Hills -

Inspired Homes would like to host a free community Christmas lunch for the over 65's on Thursday 4th December at their new restaurant. Our church community has been invited to join in. If you would like to take up this invitation, please let Revd Joy know as soon as possible and she will pass numbers on to the manager.

Bible Readings

Sunday 26th October

Sunday 2nd November—All Saints

Daniel 7.1-3,15-18

Psalm 149

Ephesians 1.11-23

Luke 6.20-31

Sunday 9th November

Remembrance Sunday

Please pray for:

Christians who maintain their faith in difficult circumstances throughout the world.

The World For all those who suffer in places of conflict — we pray for peace. For those in Gaza and for a rapid ceasefire as well as all those in the forgotten conflicts in Sudan and DRC

The Parishes For our Churchwardens and PCCs. That they will be equipped by the Spirit to work for the Kingdom to come in this place.

For our Benefice as we discern our mission plan.

The Sick Dayle ,Kevin, Veronica Brice

For those who mourn

What's on ?



Armistice Day
Lest we forget.

Tuesday 11th November

**St Michael & All Angels,
Chalton, PO8 0BG**

The service will commence in the church at 10.50am and move to the lychgate for 11am

South Central
Ambulance
Charity

FREE CPR & DEFIBRILLATOR Awareness Session

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN ABOUT CPR AND PUBLIC AED'S
(AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS)?

South Central Ambulance Charity are hosting an 2 hour awareness session.
This session will cover;

Introduction to South Central Ambulance Charity
What is a cardiac arrest?
Safe use of a defibrillator
How to provide effective CPR
Differences between age groups
A practical session at the end where attendees can practice
CPR and use the training defibrillator

Saturday 15th November
10:30am - 12:30pm

**St Michael's & All Angels,
Chalton, PO8 0BG**

Registered Address:
South Central Ambulance Charity
7-8 Tottenham Business Centre, Tottenham Road,
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**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
BLENDWORTH**

YOU ARE INVITED TO



CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

**13TH
DEC
14
DEC**

**FREE
ENTRY**

**10 AM
12 PM
4 PM
4 PM**

Beautiful trees; children's activities ;
refreshments & music



CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 2025
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
BLENDWORTH

Upcoming Services

Sunday 2nd November—All Saints

8am BCP Communion at Blendworth

led by Wendy

9.30am Holy Communion at Chalton

led by Joy

9.30am Mattins at Idsworth

led by Wendy

11am Sowing Seeds with Morning
Prayer at Blendworth

led by Dawn & Joy

**Sunday 9th November—
Remembrance Sunday**

9.30am Holy Communion at Idsworth

Please see below for further details on
the day's services.

Tuesday 11th November

10.45am Armistice Day Service at
Chalton (see opposite)

Remembrance Sunday—9th November

There will be a Holy Communion service at Idsworth at 9.30am but no service at either Chalton or Blendworth on Remembrance Sunday. The Village service in Horndean Square (led by Revd Joy) will start at 10.40am with traffic restrictions in place from 10am—12pm. Blendworth Lane will be closed between 9.45am and 1pm.



Christmas Jumpers—please wear your Christmas jumpers to the 11 o'clock service on Sunday 16th November at Blendworth. We will be filmed , singing for the Christmas card this year.

Access to Holy Trinity between 3rd and 11th November will be difficult as the Northern end of Blendworth Lane will be closed and Patterson's Lane also inaccessible.