



ALL SAINTS DUNSDEN

PEWSHEET FOR SHIPLAKE WITH DUNSDEN

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Sunday 9th February - 3rd Before Lent

Readings Today:

Isaiah 58.1-12

Shout out, do not hold back!

Lift up your voice like a trumpet!

Announce to my people their rebellion,
to the house of Jacob their sins.

Yet day after day they seek me
and delight to know my ways,

as if they were a nation that practised righteousness
and did not forsake the ordinance of their God;

they ask of me righteous judgements,
they delight to draw near to God.

'Why do we fast, but you do not see?

Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?'

Look, you serve your own interest on your fast-day,
and oppress all your workers.

Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight
and to strike with a wicked fist.

Such fasting as you do today
will not make your voice heard on high.

Is such the fast that I choose,
a day to humble oneself?

Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush,
and to lie in sackcloth and ashes?

Will you call this a fast,
a day acceptable to the Lord?

Is not this the fast that I choose:
to loose the bonds of injustice,
to undo the thongs of the yoke,
to let the oppressed go free,
and to break every yoke?

Is it not to share your bread with the hungry,
and bring the homeless poor into your house;
when you see the naked, to cover them,
and not to hide yourself from your own kin?

Then your light shall break forth like the dawn,
and your healing shall spring up quickly;

your vindicator shall go before you,
the glory of the Lord shall be your rearguard.

Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer;
you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

If you remove the yoke from among you,
the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil,
if you offer your food to the hungry
and satisfy the needs of the afflicted,
then your light shall rise in the darkness
and your gloom be like the noonday.
The Lord will guide you continually,
and satisfy your needs in parched places,
and make your bones strong;
and you shall be like a watered garden,
like a spring of water,
whose waters never fail.
Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt;
you shall raise up the foundations of many generations;
you shall be called the repairer of the breach,
the restorer of streets to live in.

1 Corinthians 2.1-end

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But, as it is written, 'What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him'— these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. For what human being knows what is truly human except the human spirit that is within? So also no one comprehends what is truly God's except the Spirit of God. Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God. And we speak of these things in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual things to those who are spiritual.

Those who are unspiritual do not receive the gifts of God's Spirit, for they are foolishness to them, and they are unable to understand them because they are discerned spiritually. Those who are spiritual discern all things, and they are themselves subject to no one else's scrutiny.

'For who has known the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?'

But we have the mind of Christ.

Matthew 5.13-20

'You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot.'

Amongst our friends & in this united Benefice we pray this week for:

Jennie Griffiths, Helen Cotteril, Nikky Plews/Bailie, Philip Bowcock, Bill Willatt, Rebecca Griffiths, Rob Tubb, Sylvia & Peter Saint, Eileen Gough, Mike & Angela Aires, Beth Brown, Mike Endicott, Kate, Jen & Nev

We give thanks for the lives of those who have recently died:

For Doris Charlton, we pray for her husband Dick & their daughters

Linda & Shirley (interment of ashes on Feb 15th at Harpsden)

For Pat Flinn & we pray for her husband John, their daughter & granddaughters

Dr Derek Lohmann. We pray for his family and friends

'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

'Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfil. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

Church Diary:

Sunday 9th February - 3rd Before Lent

Isaiah 58.1-12 | 1 Corinthians 2.1-end | Matthew 5.13-20
9.30am Harpsden Sung Eucharist
11am Dunsden Sung Eucharist
11am Shiplake Sung Eucharist

Monday 10th February

Psalm 30 | Genesis 24.1-28 | 1 Timothy 6.1-10
10am Shiplake Morning Prayers

Wednesday 12th February

Mark 7.14-23
9.30am Harpsden Mid-Week Eucharist

Thursday 13th February

7 for 7.30pm Goring Church Deanery Synod

Sunday 16th February - 2nd Before Lent / Snowdrop Sunday

8am Harpsden BCP Eucharist for those wishing for a Eucharist this Sunday
10am Dunsden Service of the Word (Benefice Service with Wholeness and Healing)

Monday 17th February

Psalm 44 | Genesis 29.31-30.24 | 2 Timothy 4.1-8
10am Shiplake Morning Prayers

Wednesday 19th February

Mark 8.22-26
9.30am Harpsden Mid-Week Eucharist

Sunday 23rd February - Sunday next before Lent

Exodus 24.12-end | 2 Peter 1.16-end | Matthew 17.1-9
9.30am Harpsden Sung Eucharist
11am Dunsden Sung Eucharist
11am Shiplake Sung Eucharist

Monday 24th February - St Matthias

Mark 9.14-29
10am Shiplake Eucharist
7.30pm Shiplake Shiplake/Dunsden PCC Meeting

Snowdrop Sunday, 16th February

We are looking forward to a wonderful celebration of spring on Snowdrop Sunday at Dunsden. The afternoon entertainment this year includes a saxophone trio, an opera-trained soloist, traditional choral songs by a small ensemble and several short talks including one on bee keeping. If you have previously helped with the event, or would like to help this year, please contact John Bodman. There is a particular plea for help with the advertising and promotion of the event, please contact John Bodman urgently if you feel you can help in this area. Thank you. (0118 947 7015; jwbodman@aol.com)



ALL SAINTS CHURCH DUNSDEN

PANCAKE SUPPER

Tuesday 25th February 2020

DUNSDEN VILLAGE HALL

7.30 p.m

Home-made soup and pancakes followed by a Beetle Drive

Tickets price £8

Call Pippa on 0118 947 3184

Check out the Benefice website at <http://www.shiplakedunsdenharpsden.org.uk>

Tuesday 25th February - Shrove Tuesday

6pm Harpsden Harpsden PCC Meeting
7.30pm Dunsden Village Hall Pancake Supper

Wednesday 26th February - Ash Wednesday

Joel 2.1-2, 12-17 | 2 Corinthians 5.20b-6.10 | Matthew 6.1-6, 16-21

8.20am Shiplake College Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes
9.30am Harpsden Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes and Wholeness and Healing
7.30pm Shiplake Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes and Wholeness and Healing

Sunday 1st March - Lent 1

Genesis 2.15-17, 3.1-7 | Romans 5.12-19 | Matthew 4.1-11

9.30am Harpsden Sung Eucharist with Sunday School
11am Dunsden Sung Eucharist
11am Shiplake Sung Eucharist

Monday 2nd March - St Chad

Matthew 25.31-end

10am Shiplake Eucharist
10.30am The Ark, Shiplake Boys Brunch (A Friendship event)

Wednesday 4th March

Luke 11.29-32

9.30am Harpsden Mid-Week Eucharist with Wholeness and Healing

Thursday 5th March

1 – 3pm The Ark Shiplake Craft Group

Sunday 8th March - Lent 2

Genesis 12.1-4a | Romans 4.1-5, 13-17 | John 3.1-17

9.30am Harpsden Sung Eucharist
11am Dunsden Sung Eucharist
11am Shiplake Sung Eucharist

Monday 9th March

Psalms 32 | Genesis 43.16-end | Hebrews 1

10am Shiplake Morning Prayers

Wednesday 11th March

Matthew 20.17-28

9.30am Harpsden Mid-Week Eucharist

Sunday 15th March - Lent 3

Exodus 17.1-7 | Romans 5.1-11 | John 4.5-42

9.30am Harpsden Sung Eucharist with Sunday School followed by APCM
11am Dunsden Sung Eucharist followed by Bring and Share meal and APCM

Monday 16th March

Psalms 5 | Genesis 47.1-27 | Hebrews 4.14-5,10

10am Shiplake Morning Prayers



BOYS BRUNCH AT THE ARK AT SHIPLAKE CHURCH

2 Mar, 1 Jun, 7 Sep, 7 Dec

Inviting all the gentlemen in our community to enjoy each other's company over a leisurely brunch from 10.30 – noon

Paul Barrett 01491 578051

Welcome

Welcome if this is your first visit to our church. There will be refreshments after the service, a good opportunity to slow down, enjoy the peace of the building, drink tea/coffee/soft drink and chat to new people or catch up with those you know.

Parish News Updates

Please send details of any parish news items that you would like included on the Pewsheets to Jackie Bryant, email badgers1939@gmail.com / phone 0118 9401382.

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