Prayer Intentions This Week: Today 31st October - All Saints/Patronal Festival

- · All Saints, Sawley
- ♦ The Province of Alexandria
- ♦ Ada Naylor

Monday 1st November - All Saints' Day

- All churches celebrating their Patronal Festivals
- ♦ Gwagwalada The Church of Nigeria
- ♦ Ros Hague

Tuesday 2nd November - All Souls' Day

- Funeral Directors & ministers to the bereaved
- ♦ Haiti The Episcopal Church

Wednesday 3rd November - Richard Hooker

- · All Saints, Lullington
- ♦ Hanuato'o The Anglican Church of Melanesia
- ♦ Reginald Doncaster, Priest; Mabel Dean

Thursday 4th November

- · St Peter, Netherseal
- ♦ Harare Church of Province of Central Africa

Friday 5th November

- St Mark, Winshill
- ♦ Hawaii The Episcopal Church
- ₱ Lucy Dobbs

Saturday 6th November - Leonard;

William Temple

- Mercia Deanery
- ♦ St Helena Anglican Church of Southern Africa
- ♦ Mary Clark
- · Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ♦ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- + Year's Mind

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Our prayers have been asked for:

John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Teddy; June Frankland; Michael Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean Madin; Jane Jackson; Robin Glasson; Kenneth Hughes; Jane Stretton; Paul Taylor; Margaret; Ray Hearn; Tom Pierce; members of the Wolf-Kidd family; Valerie Alice Seeney; Daisy Wallis; Christopher Browne; Sandra Jones; Tony Ragan; Richard Harrison; Baby Thea; Liz Parker; Julie Weeks; Becky Laird; Barry Fletcher; Pamela Fletcher; Van; Colin Hutson; Rosalia Hazel; Alan Johnston; Andrea Sutcliffe

Solemn Requiem for All Souls

This will take place at 7.30pm on Tuesday 2nd November. For preference, please email the names of those you wish to be remembered direct to vicar@crookedspire.org. Otherwise, clearly-written notes can be handed in to the Gift Shop.

Lunchtime Organ Recitals

The next recital is on Thursday 4th November. 12.15 - 1.00pm, with Joshua Stephens, Entry is free, with a retiring collection for the Music Fund.

Christmas Tree Festival - 18th/28th November The timetable for volunteer stewarding duties is now available at the back of church. Please sign up - don't be shy!

Next Sunday - 7th November - III Ante Advent

08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)

09.30 Mass (St Leonard's, Spital)

10.30 Choral Mass

Jonah 3.1-5, 10 Readings:

Mark 1.14-20

18.30 Choral Evensong

Readings: Psalm(s) 37

> Isaiah 10.33-11.9 John 14.23-29

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Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

ever Too Late! When we consider the saints, there can be a tendency to assume that they were all holy/close to God, all through their lives, and all the time.

Yet the holiness we recognise in the saints could come early or late, and often despite besetting weaknesses and personal failings.

Today is a reminder that we are all called to be the holy people of God—God's saints—because of the gifts and strengths that God has placed in us, and along with whatever weaknesses we may strive to overcome.

God calls all of us alike, no matter who or where we are, and it is never too late to respond to the call for holiness!



ALL SAINTS PATRONAL FESTIVAL (31st October 2021)

08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)

09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's)

10.30 Procession & Choral Mass

18.30 Solemn Evensong & Procession

ALSO THIS WEEK:

Monday 1st November

09.00 Morning Prayer

12.15 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

Tuesday 2nd November

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

19.30 Solemn Requiem Mass

Wednesday 3rd November

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)

16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday 4th November

09.00 Morning Prayer

12.15 Organ Recital

17.00 Evening Prayer

17.30 Mass

Friday 5th November

09.00 Morning Prayer

12.15 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

Saturday 6th November

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Mass

15.00 Hear Our Song* (Chesterfield Philharmonic Choir)

* Ticketed event - contact organisers

PATRONAL FESTIVAL - PROCESSION & CHORAL MASS

Processional Hymn: 226

Setting: Rawsthorne

Collect Prayer

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

A reading from the Book of Wisdom Wisdom 3.1-9

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them for ever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn: 230

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint John Glory to you, O Lord John 11.32-44

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep.

So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 197

Communion Motet: Holy is the true light (Harris)

Post-Communion Hymn: 219

Voluntary: Postlude in D (Healey Willan)

SOLEMN EVENSONG & PROCESSION

Responses: Sanders Psalm(s): 147-150

First Lesson: Isaiah 65.17-end

Office Hymn: AM 305 (See separate sheet)

Canticles: Brewer in D

Second Lesson: Hebrews 11.32-12.2

Anthem: Give us the wings of faith (Bullock)

Processional Hymn: 381

Voluntary: Processional (C S Lang)