



All Saints' Church Newsletter

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Diary for November

4th Sunday Services

**All Saints Patronal Festival
Bereavement Service 4pm**

11th Remembrance Day

13th Mothers' Union 2:30pm

14th Coffee Morning 10:30

18th Sunday Services

Chocolate Church 8am

21st PCC meeting 8pm

24th Wine Tasting Evening

25th Sunday Services

Faith 101 Session

Looking ahead :

December

**3rd Christmas Tree Blessing
& Carols at The Hare 5pm**

4th Advent Groups begin

16th Chocolate Church

**23rd Carol Service 5pm
followed by mulled wine
& mince pies**

Remembrance Day & Day of Peace

Remembrance Day:

This year is a very special year – the centenary of the end of WW1. We are joining with the village school and village society to remember those who died for us. The week prior to armistice day year 5 are each going to 'adopt' a soldier and research him, creating stories, poetry and images that will be exhibited in school on 9th September and shared in the service on 11th.

We are also getting 21 perspex figures of soldiers (thanks to sponsorship and the Village Society) each of which will bear a name of one of the 21 soldiers from Langton that died. These are the 15 currently on the war memorial, plus 6 more that came from Langton and were killed in the war, but are not recorded on any war memorial. The Village Society has commissioned a stone plaque for the memorial that will bear these additional soldiers names.

The figures will be in the school on the days leading up to the 11th November, and children from the primary school will collect and escort these figures to the service. Year 5 and 6 are also singing a specially written anthem and will have created a very moving reflection for the Remembrance Day Service.

At the end of the service, after gathering around the memorial for the reading of names and the 2 minutes silence, the Village Society is hosting coffee and tea at The Hare (rather than coming back into the church hall).

Day of Peace

The Monday after Remembrance Day is a day we are hosting the school (years 3-6) in the church for peace workshops. This day is intended to help children experience and understand what it means to live peacefully (at peace in themselves which helps lead to peace with others). They will take part in 3 different workshops – yoga (with Nicholas, Debbie and James from Tree of Life Yoga and Hollands Farm), art (with Louise Dean) and an empathy awareness simulation with a Tunbridge Wells charity empathy action. Please pray that this is a meaningful and helpful day for all involved.