



Anna Benefice Bulletin

(ST PETER'S GOODWORTH CLATFORD, ALL
SAINTS' UPPER CLATFORD AND ST MARY'S
ABBOTTS ANN)

2 NOVEMBER 2025- ALL SAINTS' DAY
(4TH SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT)

Verse of the week

Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again.

Do to others as you would have them do to you.

(Luke 6:30-31)

Prayer for the week

God of glory,
touch our lips with the fire of your Spirit,
that we with all creation
may rejoice to sing your praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Details of weekend services with link

Saturday 1 November All Souls' Day

3pm	All Souls' Service	St Mary's	Teresa
4.30pm	All Souls' Service	St Peter's	Teresa
6pm	All Souls' Service	All Saints'	Teresa
6pm	All Souls' Service	Facebook	Tim, Di

Sunday 2 November All Saints' Day

8am	Holy Communion	St Peter's	Nicky	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Luke 6:20-31
9.30am	Parish Communion	St Mary's	Nicky	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Luke 6:20-31
9.30am	Patronal Festival Communion	All Saints'	Teresa	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Luke 6:20-31
11am	Informal Worship	St Peter's	Tim	Luke 6:20-31
6pm	Zoom Praise	Zoom	Tim	Hebrews 11:32-12:2

A description of our services can be found on the Benefice website [LINK](#)

Bible reading Sunday morning services

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 NRSVA - Visions of the Four Beasts - In the - Bible Gateway

Luke 6:20-31 NRSVA - Blessings and Woes - Then he looked up - Bible Gateway

Hebrews 11:32-12:2 NRSVA - And what more should I say? For time - Bible Gateway

Diary of events

(Including services on the rota)

Mon 3 Nov

9pm Night Prayer, Facebook, Teresa

Tue 4 Nov

9pm Night Prayer, Facebook, Tim

Wed 5 Nov

9pm Night Prayer, Facebook, Peter, Jane

Thu 6 Nov

11am Men's Café, Abbotts Ann Village Shop, Peter, Tim

9pm Night Prayer, Facebook, Nicky

Fri 7 Nov

9.30am Little Steps mothers & toddlers group, All Saints', Teresa

2pm Memorial Service, Oliver Madge, St Peter's, Teresa

Sat 8 Nov

10am-3pm World War 2 exhibition, Abbotts Ann War Memorial Hall

10am-4pm World War 2 exhibition, All Saints'

10am-4pm World War 2 exhibition, St Peter's

Sun 9 Nov Remembrance Sunday

8am Holy Communion, All Saints', Nicky

10.55am Act of Remembrance and Service, St Mary's, Tim

10.55am Act of Remembrance and Service, All Saints', Teresa

10.55am Act of Remembrance and Service, St Peter's, Peter

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6pm Zoom Praise, Zoom, Peter, Jane



Activities for families with children

Paul was very pleased with members of the church in Thessalonica. It must have cheered them up. [HERE](#) are some ideas for making people around you feel good about themselves.

Notices & News



Abbotts Ann – a community at war

Over Remembrance weekend (8-9 Nov) Abbotts Ann will commemorate the men, women and children from the village who went through World War 2.

We will celebrate those who lived and worked here at an exhibition in Abbotts Ann War Memorial Hall, Saturday 8th November 10am–3pm, Sunday 9th November 11am–3pm

Those who died will be honoured at our annual Service of Remembrance on Sunday 9th November at 10.55am St Mary's Church.

All are welcome. Admission free.
Donations welcome for Help the Heroes

Abbotts Ann – A Community at War



An Exhibition

Remembering those who lived and worked in Abbotts Ann during WWII

In this, the 80th year following the end of World War II, we want to celebrate those men, women and children who lived and worked in Abbotts Ann with an exhibition of information, photos and memorabilia

Abbotts Ann War Memorial Hall
Saturday 8th November 10am – 3pm
Sunday 9th November 11am – 3pm
(after 2 Minute Silence)

Refreshments available

All are welcome. Admission free.
Donations to Help for Heroes welcome

This exhibition is designed to tell residents what life was like for their predecessors.

A major part of the display will be information about the experiences of some of the 104 people names on the Roll of Honour in the Hall.

Those who died will be honoured at our annual
Service of Remembrance on
Sunday 9th November at 10.55am
St Mary's Church

Pre-Advent Prayer Morning

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US ON
'A QUIET JOURNEY OF LETTING GO,
MAKING SPACE,
AND CARRYING GOD'S LOVE AND HOPE
INTO THE WORLD.'



Saturday 22nd November 2025
10am - 1pm
Meadow Room
All Saints Church, Upper Clatford
followed by simple Soup Lunch

To sign up for a place, please email Revd Teresa on
revdteresaannabenefice@gmail.com
or phone 571213 or 07464 272894

Commemorating the 80th Anniversary of the end of World War II in the Anna Benefice

On the 8th and 9th November 2025

You are warmly invited to visit us over the Remembrance Weekend



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UPPER CLATFORD REMEMBERS WWII ...80 YEARS ON A FLORAL TRIBUTE TO OUR WWII HEROES

Saturday 8th November

All Saints' Church, Upper Clatford 10am - 4pm

Key events in World War II told through flowers and other displays by members of our community
Stories of WWII heroes depicted by the next generation who are living in our local community today
Upper Clatford in WWII

Refreshments will be available

All are welcome. Admission free.

Donations welcome in aid of SSAFA



GOODWORTH CLATFORD REMEMBERS:

Those who lost their lives in the Second World War from the village

Those who served and returned

(some of them, based on the photos in the Club)

The Flying Bomb

Village life during the War, including Home Guard, Civil Defence, Evacuees, plane crashes and bombs around the village

All are welcome. Admission free.

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**Each church will hold a Service of Remembrance
at 10.55am on Sunday 9th November 2025.**



Events in the Anna Benefice



Abbotts Ann, Upper Clatford and Goodworth Clatford



NOVEMBER



2025

**SAT
01**

1500, 1630,
1800

ALL SOULS SERVICES

A Service of Light and Remembrance
We gather to remember and name
those we love but see no longer

1500 St Mary's,
Abbotts Ann
1630 St Peter's,
Goodworth Clatford
1800 All Saints,
Upper Clatford
1800 Facebook Live

**SAT
08**

SEE SEPARATE
POSTERS FOR TIMES

END OF SECOND WORLD WAR 80TH ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITIONS

Remembering and honouring the lives of those
who served, died and lived from our villages
- each exhibition unique and special -

Abbotts Ann
War Memorial All
(Sat and Sun)
St Peter's Church,
Goodworth Clatford
All Saints Church,
Upper Clatford

**SUN
09**

1055

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Act of Remembrance including two minutes
silence followed by a reflective service
- held in each church-

All Churches
starting at 1055
with the
Act of Remembrance

**SAT
22**

1000 - 1300

PRE-ADVENT PRAYER MORNING

A time to rest, reflect, restore
as we head towards Advent
and preparations for the birth of Christ.
- Lunch provided -

Venue:
All Saints' Church,
Upper Clatford
please let
Rev'd Teresa know
if you are planning to
come
(for catering purposes)

For more information:



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UPPER CLATFORD REMEMBERS WWII ...80 YEARS ON



SATURDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2025



ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, UPPER CLATFORD

10am – 4pm

A FLORAL TRIBUTE TO OUR WWII HEROES



- **Key events** in World War II told through flowers and other displays
- **Stories** of WWII heroes depicted by the next generation in our local community today
- **Upper Clatford** in WWII

Donations in aid of SSAFA

Refreshments will be served



Abbotts Ann, Upper Clatford and Goodworth Clatford



Can you knit, crochet or sew?

**We would like to create some poppy displays
at the churches in the Benefice:**

**St Mary's, Abbotts Ann; All Saints', Upper Clatford
and St Peter's, Goodworth Clatford**



**These will be for the
Remembrance Weekend 2025
when each church will hold an exhibition
that commemorates the end of WWII
8th-9th November**



Choose any pattern that you are comfortable with for your poppies.

- Please bring them to the churches whenever you wish to-
- a container will be placed in each church for them -

This is an opportunity for our church and village communities to work together and we thank you for your support.



For further information, please get in touch with
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If you need any help or support then don't hesitate to contact one of the team

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