The Halas Team of Churches

Sunday 15th November 2026

The Church of England

serving Cradley, Halesowen, Hasbury, Lapal & Romsley

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A Warm Welcome to all who worship with us today.

If you are visiting us for the first time and would like more information about the church or a home visit, please introduce yourself to the minister or welcomer at the door.

Worship Later Today

St John's
8.00am Holy Communion
6.30pm Evensong

St Margaret's
1.00pm Baptism

Zoom Evening Prayer Every Sunday
5.15pm A gentle evening prayer, keep your camera on or off, join in with the chatter after or not, be as fully present as you like, or just gently in the background. All are welcome
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5589842329

Worship through the week

Monday St Margaret of Scotland and St Edmund of Abingdon

Tuesday St Hugh of Lincoln
7.30am Holy Communion at S Margaret's, Hasbury followed by Tea and Toast

Wednesday St Elizabeth of Hungary
10.00am Holy Communion at St Peter's, Lapal
12.30pm Holy Communion at St John's,
4.00pm Evening Prayer at St Kenelm's Church Hall
7.00pm Holy Communion at S Margaret's

Thursday St Hilda of Whitby

Friday St Edmund the Martyr

Prayer Requests

Please pray for those who have died recently and their family and friends:

Barbara Shilton
Graham Field
Harry Mansell
Brenda Young

Please pray for those who are preparing for their wedding in the next month:

Debbie and Richard
Rayne and Alex

Please pray for those who are coming for Baptism this Sunday:

Freddie Worrall

Worship on Sunday 22nd November, Christ The King

St John's
9.30am Holy Communion
1.30pm Wedding
St Peter's, Cradley
9.30am Holy Communion
St Kenelm's
11.15am Holy Communion
St Peter's, Lapal
9.30am Holy Communion
4.00pm Faith 'n' Fun
S Margaret's
11.15am Holy Communion

Places of Welcome, St Peter's, Lapal
Every Tuesday afternoon, 2.00pm – 4.00pm. Come and enjoy, homemade cakes, craft, games and chat. All Welcome. This is a free event

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Coffee Mornings, S Margaret's
Thursday 26th November 10.00am to 12 noon. All Welcome.

Messy Church in November
Saturday 21st November, 3.30pm at St John's, Halesowen. Join us for crafts, stories, games, singing, food and best of all getting to know God. All Welcome

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Bible Hour at S Margaret's
Thursday 26th November 1.00pm. Bring a sandwich (if you like), share a cuppa and we shall open the book and look at a passage of the gospel of Mark. All Welcome.

The Traidpoint Shop and Café
Open on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10.30- 12.30pm. Come in and visit the church and the Fairtrade Café. Tea, Coffee and Biscuits available. All Welcome. New volunteers welcome.

Sunbeams, St John's
Mondays 1.30pm – 3.00pm during term time. Stay and Play for under 5's. Stories, craft, songs and gentle blessings. Free, donations welcome.

Coffee Church at St John's
Saturday 21st November 12noon for refreshments 12.30am for a short informal service. All welcome

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Story Time At S Margaret's
Friday 13th November 2.00—2.45pm
A time for preschoolers and their families, exploring the love of Jesus through contemporary story, activity and songs. All followed by refreshments and a chance to chat.

Meeting with Bishop Hugh

This autumn, you are warmly invited to one of a series of diocesan gatherings to meet Bishop Hugh, hear something of what he has discovered so far in his first year, and explore with him what it means to be Kingdom People today. Each gathering will include time for Bishop Hugh to share his reflections, to ask questions, listen to each other, look ahead and to pray together.

Saturday 14 November, 4-6pm - St Peter's Church in Ipsley, Redditch
Saturday 21 November 4-6pm - Holy Trinity Church, Wordsley
Everyone is welcome, especially those who have not yet had the opportunity to meet Bishop Hugh in person. No need to book, just come along

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Fair Trade Coffee Morning with Cake

Friday 20th November 10.;30am at Hasbury Community Church to celebrate the work of Fair Trade. All Welcome

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Floodlighting Sponsor – St John's, Halesowen

The church flood lighting is being sponsored in the memory of Adelaide and Leonard Ebourne on Sunday 8th and Thursday 12th November. If you would like to sponsor the floodlights, then please contact the parish office.

Bible Study and Discussion Group

8.00pm – 9.00pm this group meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday each month at St Peter's, Cradley, All Welcome

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PCC Meeting
The next meeting of the PCC will be on Tuesday 24th November , 7.30pm at St Peter's, Lapal.

Parish Office Closed

The parish office will be closed from Wednesday 11th November (3.30pm) until Monday 23rd November (9.30am). If you need any advice or support during this time please contact one of the clergy team.

There are several social events in the five churches - please see the separate social diary newssheet for more information.

Safeguarding Concerns

If you have any concerns or questions about safeguarding in the parish please contact our parish safeguarding officer Mel Case email: safeguarding@halasteam.org.uk