# ALL SAINTS' AND SALUTATION

Seeking to grow God's Kingdom by:
Growing the church; Growing as disciples;
and Growing in service to the parish and beyond

# Sunday 18th October
# 20th Sunday after Trinity

Outward signs of an inward faith : Peace

## Welcome to our service
## especially to all guests and newcomers

**Collect**

God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; 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.

**Readings:** Numbers 6: 22-27 (p129) : Philip 4:4-9 (p196) : Matt 8:18-27 (p8)

**Hymns:** MP857, MP181, MP249 (MP396, MP882), MP178

**Please join us for refreshments in the Hall after our 10:30am service.**

# Today's Services

8:30am Holy Communion
10:30am Parish Communion

## This Week's Diary – 19th – 25th October

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| Monday | 9:30am | Morning Prayer |
| | 1:45pm | Circle Dancing at Salutation Hall |
| Tuesday | 5:30pm | Blackwell Community Band Practice |
| | 6:30pm | Church Choir Practice |
| | 7:00pm | Blackwell Community Choir Practice |
| | 7:30pm | Ladies Fellowship Meeting in the Hall |
| Wednesday | 10:00am | Holy Communion followed by refreshments |
| | 6:30pm | Brownies Bring and Buy Sale in the Hall |
| Thursday | 2:00pm | Knitting and Stitching Group |
| Friday | 9:30am | Tiny Tots Playgroup |
| | 1:00pm | Blackwell Recorder Concert in Church |
| | 7:00pm | Parish Badminton in the Millennium Hall |
| Sunday | 8:30am | Holy Communion |
| | 10:30am | Parish Communion with the Holy Baptism of Charlie Jack Norman and Rosie Georgina Norman, followed by refreshments<br>Readings: Exodus14:13–31, Acts 10: 23-48, Matthew 28:16-end |

**The Children's Society**
This is the time of year when the collection boxes are opened. Would you kindly hand your box/donation to Janice Shepherd or Alison Hopkins. We are happy to collect your box/donation if you would prefer or alternatively it can be dropped off at 42 Neville Road. Thank you for your continued support. Janice Shepherd (489990) and Alison Hopkins (333865)

**Prayer Book**
Please add the names of anyone you know who would like prayer during the intersessions to the book in the foyer.

**Have you considered becoming a verger, sidesperson or welcomer?**
We need additional help with the verger, sidespeople and welcomers rotas at both the 8.30 and 10.30 services on Sundays. If you are interested and would like to know more please speak to Miriam, Sandra, David or Mike. Training and support will be provided.

**Parish Magazine**
The copy date for the next parish magazine is 20th October, please send any contributions to Kevin Winkworth at keel40@btinternet.com

**Pastoral Visit**
If you or someone you know would like a visit from a member of clergy or pastoral team, please contact the Parish Office on 469891.

**Offerings**
There are collection plates on the table at the back of the church. If you pay UK tax please use a yellow gift envelope or scan the QR code, or use the Collection unit, which is located near the collection plates. On-line donations can be made at https://parishgiving.org.uk

**Hearing Aids**
There is a loop system available if you wear a hearing aid.

# Dates for your Diary

**Ladies Fellowship Meeting** – Tuesday 20th October at 7:30pm. Advent Service tickets are £6 and will go on sale from this evening

**Brownies Bring and Buy Sale** – Wednesday 21st October at 6:30pm. 12th All Saints' Brownies are celebrating 80 years! Donations for the stalls will be very welcome. Everyone is welcome to support us, the money raised will go to the Great North Children's Hospital.

**Blackwell Recorder Consort** – Friday 23rd October at 1pm at All Saints' Church, a lively concert with tea coffee and cake, entry by donation.

**Light Party** – Saturday 31st October, 5pm at Salutation Hall. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet in the foyer if you can help with crafts, games and catering. We are collecting for individually wrapped sweets without nuts, e.g. lollipops, sweets, heroes. Please leave donations in the foyer or office.

**All Soul's Service, Commemoration of The Faithful Departed** – Sunday 1st November at 6:30pm. Please leave the names of anyone you wish to be included in prayers on the sheet in the foyer or contact the office.

**Men's Group Dinner** – Tuesday 3rd November at 7pm at Al Forno. All our welcome, please sign up using the sheet in the foyer.

**Worship Night at the Dolphin Centre** – Sunday 8th November at 6pm. A chance to worship together with other Christians across Darlington. Tickets are limited so please book online using the QR code in the foyer.

**Parish Finance Meeting** - Monday 9th November at 7:30pm at Sheraton Park.

## CONTACTS

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