

Events for the week

Monday

10.00 am Crafty Saints
7.00 pm PCC Meeting

Wednesday

9.00 am Silver Swans

Thursday

10.00 am Silver Swans
5.00 pm Silver Swans

Friday

9.00 am Silver Swans

Sunday

11.00 am Holy Communion Service
6.00 pm Evening Prayer Service

Those For Whom Your Prayers Are Asked

Sue, Beverley, Paul B, Peter, Olive, Jean, Mary A, Elizabeth B, Susan, Rachel, Jimmy, Samuel, Martin, Marcus, Rosemary, Andrew, Mary C, Matty, Dr. M, Olly H, Elizabeth C, Ann & Dave, Sylvia D, Linda D, Tony S.

This week we are remembering all who live & work in

Buzzard Close & Othello Close



The Mission to Seafarers

During **July** we will be remembering The **Mission to Seafarers** in our prayers.

The Mission to Seafarers, with a history dating back to 1856, provides help and support to the estimated 1.9 million crewmen and women, operating on 74,000 ships, who face danger every day to keep our global economy afloat.

These men and women of all nationalities are key workers, who bring in more than 90% of our goods and fuels. They can spend up to nine months at sea, far from families, friends and loved ones.

The Mission to Seafarers works to support these seafarers when they need help the most, as they experience loneliness and mental health issues, combined with limited access to the internet whilst onboard ships.

The Mission to Seafarers works night and day in over 200 ports in 50 countries and are grateful for any support given. Prayers for their continuing work and for all seafarers are always much needed.

You can contact the Rector,
Revd Geoff Boucher on 01480 461846 or
by email at: geoffboucher@btinternet.com



**All Saints Hartford
with
Houghton-with-Wyton**

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

28th June 2026



Appearance While the Apostles are at Table - Duccio 1308

Today

8.30 am Holy Communion Service

Preacher: Rev Steph Pedlar

11.00 am Morning Worship Service

Leader: Mary Adlam

Preacher: Elaine Levitt

Readers: Helen Dowzall / Elvira Phillips

Intercessor: Avis Owen

Readings: Romans 12-23

Matthew 10:40-42

Hymns

715 We have a dream

528 Only by grace

323 In heavenly love abiding

69 Be thou my guardian

Collect: The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Gracious Father, by the obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world: draw us into harmony with your will, that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Please Take The Weekly Sheet Home

You can watch the latest Service video on our website: <https://www.allsaintshartford.org.uk/>

1st Reading:

Romans 6:12-23

¹²Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal bodies, so that you obey their desires. ¹³No longer present your members to sin as instruments of unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. ¹⁴For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

Slaves of Righteousness

¹⁵What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! ¹⁶Do you not know that, if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? ¹⁷But thanks be to God that you who were slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted ¹⁸and that you, having been set free from sin, have become enslaved to righteousness. ¹⁹I am speaking in human terms because of your limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and lawlessness, leading to even more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness, leading to sanctification. ²⁰When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. ²¹So what fruit did you then gain from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. ²²But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the fruit you have leads to sanctification, and the end is eternal life. ²³For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gospel:

Matthew 10:40-42

Rewards

⁴⁰“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. ⁴¹Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous, ⁴²and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”



Pat Goodliff

As a celebration of having made it to 80 earlier this year - and especially as a nod of thanks to the good people at Addenbrookes Hospital for playing a big part in helping me get there, after I was diagnosed with Kidney Cancer a couple of years back - I'll be jumping out of a plane on **July 18th** (weather permitting).

I've wanted to do a parachute jump for a long time, but just to make sure that I don't have a sudden change of heart when the plane gets up to 13,000 feet, I'd be really grateful if you would consider sponsoring me, in aid of **Cancer Research UK**, to spur me on.

This is also in memory of my son Paul and niece Mandy, who both sadly died of Cancer in recent years.

I made a remarkable recovery and I attribute much of that recovery to my friends at All Saints Hartford Church fervently praying for me, which they still continue to do. I faced the surgery knowing that God was by my side and I felt His closeness and trusted in Him completely.

It will be greatly appreciated to visit my **JustGiving** page and for any sponsorship that you are able to give, for what I'm sure you'll agree is a very worthy cause. Here is the link to my JustGiving page ;

<https://tinyurl.com/Pat-Goodliff>

Thank you very much

Pat Goodliff



Holiday Club

Steph is organising a holiday club for children from reception to year 6, the week beginning the 27th of July in St. Mary’s Centre each morning (registration from 9.15 and starts at 9.30 till 12midday). If you would like to help or have any child that you would like to reserve a space for, then please speak to Steph or contact her on revstephedlar46@gmail.com