

All good gifts around us

Our Harvest Festival of Flowers and Music 21st-23rd September

Prize Draw

The Prize Draw tickets have been on sale for a few weeks now and are going slowly. Thank you to those who have returned their tickets and we are able to take them until the Saturday Lunchtime. We have lots more books so please keep selling over the next few weeks!

The draw will take place at 4pm on Saturday 22nd, and prizes include a "Red Letter Day Experience", a Family Portrait by "Louise of Hertford", a Christmas cake made to order especially for you, a Digital Radio, a case of wine and lots more!



Flowers

Plans are going well and we will be having several arrangements sponsored by neighbouring parishes and local organisations which have been really encouraging. Plans are also underway for the "Preview Evening" with cheese & wine at 8pm on the Thursday

evening for those who have assisted and contributed.

Music

The full programme of music will be published soon, but we are looking at a "Soundbites Extra" on Friday 21st, concerts on Friday & Saturday evening, and various musical items throughout the days.



Publicity

Posters and fliers are now available; we need your assistance to distribute these around the town. Please ask if you need any more as we have loads. Good publicity will help make this a success so all "hands on deck" would be appreciated!

Art Display

The All Saints' Art Group has been working overtime to sort a display of their work which will be in the Memorial Chapel for the period of the Festival.

Craft Fair

This will be in the hall on Saturday 22nd from 10 – 4pm with a variety of external stall holders and is aimed at bringing more people in to visit.

Tombola

This will take place over Friday & Saturday and donations of gifts will enable this to be even more successful than usual. Please contact Annie Gaudencio or leave gifts at the back of the church.

Cake Stall (Saturday 22nd)

Always a money spinner, so we need lots and lots of cakes to sell and at the time of going to press we still need someone to run this stall.

Refreshments

The rota at the back of the church is filling up nicely but more assistance always makes things easier. While you are baking cakes to sell, an extra one to sell on the Refreshments would be appreciated!

Miniature Garden Competition

Junior Church are organising this. More information on the posters at the back of church

Further help wanted!

Feedback from previous All Saints' events and Festivals from other churches always lists finding helpers as a key problem. Just an hour of your time would really be appreciated, sign up on the boards or come and talk to either Richard or I and we will find you something to suit!

FINALLY..... Please keep watching the notice board at the back of the Church – it is updated regularly and a huge "thank you" to everyone who has contributed to this event.

Please encourage all your friends and neighbours to visit and here's to a great Festival at the end of the month!

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