

# All Saints Church Witley

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***Our vision is for All Saints to be the beating heart of a community filled with the love of God and for God.***

## 22<sup>nd</sup> February – The First Sunday of Lent

COLLECT: Heavenly Father, your Son battled with the powers of darkness, and grew closer to you in the desert: help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer that we may witness to your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Please Pray for:

From the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: The parish of St. Mary Camberley and their incumbent Revd. Andrew Knowles.

From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church of Ireland.

The Chandler Church of England Junior School. All those who live in Middlemarch and Dorlcote Way.

### Lent Courses:

There will be two sets of courses running during Lent:

**Monday evenings from 7.30pm** – A study based on *The Chosen*, a dramatization of Jesus' life. Watch an episode and then have a discussion. 6 sessions weekly beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> February.

**Wednesday mornings from 11.30am after CAMEO** – Lent bible study and discussion followed by a simple soup lunch. 5 sessions weekly beginning 25<sup>th</sup> February.

### Prayer Vigil for Bishop Andrew:

Following last week's sad news of Bishop Andrew's terminal cancer diagnosis, his Leadership Team has organised a Day of Prayer for Bishop Andrew at Guildford Cathedral on Monday 23 February from 12 noon to 10:00pm.

### Child of Hope School:

Sadly, Joseph a senior pupil has died of leukaemia. He had received treatment a result of generous donations, but he was too weak to survive. We pray for his family and for all who knew him at the school.

### APCM and Electoral Roll Update:

The Annual Meeting of Parishioners and the APCM will take place here on Sunday 22nd March. Everyone in the Parish is invited to the former.

The APCM follows immediately for those on the Electoral Roll. The full accounts are available on request by email. A display copy will be available on the table at the back of Church from 15th March.

REVISION OF ELECTORAL ROLL: As usual, the Electoral Roll is to be revised. The Electoral Roll will be open for revision from today until Friday 6th March.

The 2025 Electoral Roll is available at the back of the Church for you to check – and if you require to make changes or want to be added, there are forms available from today.

### Godalming Foodbank:

Your donations have been delivered. Thank you. Urgent items will be listed again next week.

### Dates for your diary:

23 February	Monday evening Lent sessions begin
23 February	Prayer Vigil for Bishop Andrew. See above
25 February	Wednesday morning Lent sessions begin
21 March	Messy Church
22 March	APCM
28 March	First Green Gym of 2026
11 April	Church Quiz. Details to follow

**NEXT WEEK: Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March**

**Preaching: AST Team**

**Intercessor: AST Team**

**Readers: AST Team**

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