



## Central Hartlepool Group

One Family, Three Parishes,  
Growing the Kingdom.



# All Saints (Stranton) Church

## Notices and Readings – 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024

*Rooted in God's love, Growing together with Jesus, Branching out in the Power of the Holy Spirit*

*Streamed services (marked \*) are available to watch at the time or later on Facebook pages.*

### Sunday 27th October: LAST Sunday of Trinity (Green)

9:00 am	Holy Communion *	Revd Kevin	Stranton
9:15 am	Holy Communion	Revd Becky	St Luke's
10:45 am	Mass *	Revd Becky	St Aidan's
11:00 am	Lighthouse	Mary Tones	Stranton

### Weekday Services:

Wednesday	30 <sup>th</sup> October 2024:	St Luke's *	9.30 am	Revd Becky
		St Matthew's	10.00 am	Revd Andrew
Thursday	31 <sup>st</sup> October 2024:	St Columba's	9.15 am	Revd Becky

### **Collect:**

Merciful God,  
teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty,  
that trusting in your word  
and obeying your will  
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our  
Lord. **AMEN**

### **Post Communion:**

God of all grace,  
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry  
with the bread of his life  
and the word of his kingdom:  
renew your people with your heavenly grace,  
and in all our weakness  
sustain us by your true and living bread;  
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **AMEN**

**Readings for 27<sup>th</sup> October: Jeremiah 31:7-9**

**Hebrews 7:23-end Mark 10:46-end**

### **Intercessions – Please pray for:**

- Words of peace and effective action by people of goodwill, in the midst of conflict in Gaza, Lebanon, Ukraine, Sudan, and relief for all who are injured, displaced and suffering loss through conflict.
- Disaster struck nations across the world, including relief for those affected by the hurricane in Florida, and flooding here in the UK
- All those persecuted for their faith, and all who are oppressed across the world.
- The work of our CMS mission partners, and other organisations we support in the UK and elsewhere.
- Our King, our government, and all in public service as they seek to lead and serve us.
- Our schools and colleges, that they may be places of joy and learning.
- Our own group of churches and all those who minister to us.
- Growth in our Churches, with new people seeking to know Christ, and more people including ourselves stepping forward as disciples to learn and serve and volunteer, wherever it is needed.
- Opportunities for mission to grow our presence in our community, our engagement with community leaders, and the appointment of a mission enabler in our Group of parishes.
- Peace and healing for all who are suffering in body, mind or spirit, that they may know God's love.
- All those who mourn at this time especially remembering the family and friends of John Horsley, Judith Burdis, and Frank Endean.

## Notices

Please let a Minister or Church Warden know of any special occasion you are celebrating and would like to share.

**CAN YOU HELP??** We are looking to get a team of people together to help support the **Friday Drop In** part of the work of the **Central Hartlepool Group's Mission Project** which is your mission project too. This is an activity that is dear to Emma's heart and we would like to ensure this continues in her absence, as she and the family recover from their car accident and grieve the loss of Sarah. The drop in runs at St Aidan's every Friday morning from 10am to 12pm. Please, if you can help with this in any way (even if it's just for one Friday morning, or the odd hour here and there), then please get in touch with Revd John, Revd Becky or Kathrine Batty. We hope to be able to put together a rota of people who can keep this important lifeline to the community going during this time. Thank you to all who have already volunteered.

### **Remembrance Sunday 10 November 2024 - Service time change**

***Our Remembrance Sunday service of commemoration will start at the slightly earlier time of 10:45 am so that the Silent Act of Remembrance and Last Post can take place at 11 am. Our 9:00 am service will not be affected.***

**Opportunities to Serve:** If you would like to help with our **Children's and Youth work**, with our **Music Group**, or in any other way, please have a chat with Revd John as we look to grow these and other areas of our ministry.

**Forest Church:** There will be a Forest Church Light Party for children and families at St Aidan's Church today Sunday **(27th October) from 4-6pm**. Activities will include glitter face painting, making pumpkin lanterns, toasting marshmallows on a fire pit and eating hot dogs. All are welcome.

**Café Craft** Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October 10.00-12.00pm at St Matthew's Community Centre. All families Welcome.

**All Souls Day Service** Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 4.00pm. If you have lost a loved one and would like to remember them, please sign the list at back of Church. All Welcome.

**Cake & Coffee** 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2.00-4.00pm at St Matthew's Community Centre. All Welcome.

### **Central Hartlepool Group Mission Activities (Help needed: speak to Revd John to find out how you can support us)**

- **Stranton Toddlers** Tuesday 9:00 am-11:00 am at **St Matthew's**
- **A Bit of God Time** Tuesday 1:00 pm-2:30 pm at **St Aidan's**
- **Friday Drop-In Cafe** Friday 10:00 am-12:00 pm at **St Aidan's**

## **Contacts:**

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The Church Office is at St Matthews Community Centre, 143 Elwick Road, TS26 8JF.  
**Bookings: please call in on Wednesday, 12pm & 2pm, or contact to arrange a time.**

**Website:** <https://www.stranton-church.org.uk/>  
**Facebook:** [https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsstranton/?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsstranton/?locale=en_GB)  
**YouTube:** <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMNoiSa2KGgGWkzli62VFcA>

### **Other Central Hartlepool Group links:**

**St Luke's:** [https://www.facebook.com/stlukeshartlepool/?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/stlukeshartlepool/?locale=en_GB)  
**St Aidan's and St Columba's:** [https://www.facebook.com/aidancolumba/?locale=en\\_GB](https://www.facebook.com/aidancolumba/?locale=en_GB)