**The Third Sunday Before Advent**

**Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, now and for ever. Amen**

**News in Brief**

**We will now reopen the calendar again for people to sponsor the lighting of the Tower and Spire for one month at a time beginning from January 2022. If you would like to sponsor a month for a special event or memory the cost is £50. Please email** parishoffice@rydeallsaints.org.uk **to request a month.**

As the weather begins to turn cooler we are more aware of the lack of impact our heating system has in a building as large as ours. If you are prone to feeling the cold, please do feel free to bring a blanket with you when you are in church.

We would like to invite everyone to a new meeting group. It is called **F.L.O.C.K** (fellowship, listening, openness, coffee and Kindness) and will meet in the church café area on a **Wednesday morning from 9:45-10:45. Starting 10th November**. It will be a relaxed meeting space to share a coffee and have a catchup with others. There will be a short time of prayer and reflection based on a reading for that day and there will also be jigsaws and crossword type puzzles available as well. Feel free to bring any hobbies you are working on such as knitting, art, crochet etc.

**Upcoming Services**

**Sunday 7th November**

**9:30am CW Eucharist**

**Monday 8th November**

**9am Morning Prayer**

**Wednesday 10th November**

**9am – Celtic style morning prayer**

**9:45am – F.L.O.C.K**

**Thursday 11th November**

**9am Morning Prayer - St John’s Hall**

**4:30pm Evening Prayer**

**Friday 12th November**

**4:30pm Evening Prayer**

**Sunday 14th November**

**9am Said Eucharist**

**10am Remembrance Service**

**Seasonal Prayers**

* **For all those who have departed from us.**
* **For the dialogue between the Church of England and the Anglican Bishops of Ghana**
* **For the future and flourishing of All Saints**
* **For anyone who is struggling in body, mind or spirit**
* **For Church growth**

**God of Mission**

**Who alone brings growth to your Church,**

**Send your Holy Spirit to give**

**Vision to our planning**

**Wisdom to our actions**

**And power to our witness**

**Help our church to grow in numbers,**

**In spiritual commitment to you,**

**And in service to our local community,**

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Amen.**

**Those in our Prayers**

**Giles Robertson**

**George Chapman**

**Ian and Anne Scovell**

**Those recently died**

**Beryl Hawkins**

**Nigel Porteous**

**Those in the Year's Mind**

*Sheila Lea 7th*

*Albert Leonard Townsend 15th*

*May theirs and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace and rise in glory.* ***Amen***

**Special Events**



**A lovely celtic service for All Souls was held on 31st Oct to remember our loved ones who we no longer see.**

**If you would be interested in attending an Advent Course please could you email** parishoffice@rydeallsaints.org.uk **to register initial interest. Day/Time yet to be confirmed**