

Events for the week

Monday

10.00 am Crafty Saints

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 All Age Communion Service

1.30 pm Baptism Service

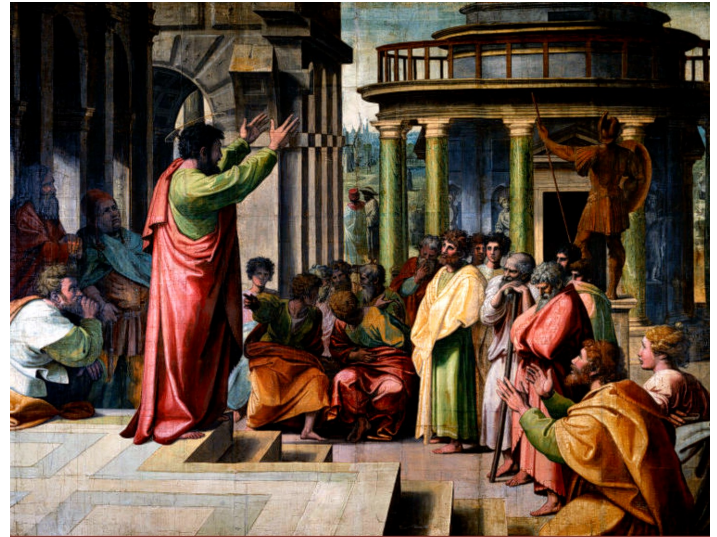
1.30 pm Christening social gathering



All Saints Hartford
with
Houghton-with-Wyton

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

10th May 2026



St Paul delivering the Areopagus Sermon in Athens by Raphael (1515)



Those For Whom Your Prayers Are Asked

Paul B, Peter, Olive, Jean B,
Elaine L, Mary A, Elizabeth B, Susan,
Rachel, Jimmy, Samuel, Martin,
Rosemary, Jean, Andrew, Marcus, Mary C,
Matty, Dr. M, Olly H, Elizabeth C,
Ann & Dave.

This week we are remembering all
who live & work in

Tawny Crescent & Nightingale Close



During May we will be
remembering
The Children's Society
in our prayers.

The Children's Society are a national charity working to transform the hopes and happiness of young people facing abuse, exploitation, and neglect. They support them through their most serious life challenges, and campaign tirelessly for the big social changes that will improve the lives of those who need hope most. They provide specialist support that empowers young people to make positive changes and rediscover their hope. They work alongside young people, their families and community. Children and Young People want a future they can look forward. They've been doing this for 140 years and are committed to continuing to build a society where hope is alive in every child.

Today

8.30 am Holy Communion Service (BCP)

Preacher: **Rev Geoff Boucher**

11.00 am All Age Worship Service

Leader: **Mary Adlam**

Preacher: **Elaine Levitt**

Readers: **Maureen Edgar / Helen Dowzall**

Intercessor: **Helen Stevens**

Readings:

Acts 17:22-31

John 14:15-21

Hymns

6 All creatures of our God and king

314 Immortal, invisible

249 Great is thy faithfulness

467 New every morning

Collect: **The Sixth Sunday of Easter**

Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed
your call to your disciples: help your
Church to obey your command and draw
the nations to the fire of your love, to the
glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

Please Take The Weekly Sheet Home

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

²²Then Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, “Athenians, I see how extremely spiritual you are in every way. ²³For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, ‘To an unknown god.’ What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. ²⁴The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, ²⁵nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. ²⁶From one ancestor he made all peoples to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, ²⁷so that they would search for God and perhaps fumble about for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. ²⁸For ‘In him we live and move and have our being’; as even some of your own poets have said, ‘For we, too, are his offspring.’ ²⁹“Since we are God’s offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. ³⁰While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, ³¹because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.”



The promise of the Holy Spirit

Jesus said, ¹⁵“If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever.

¹⁷This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

¹⁸“I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you.

¹⁹In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live.

²⁰On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.

²¹They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.”



The Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Tuesday 26th May at 7.00pm

Please come along to show your support. All invited.

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