RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS

Churchwardens' Notes – November 2026

October has been a busy month for Allerton Church! It kicked off with Harvest Festival, featuring some lovely decorations by the talented flower ladies, and some impressive collections of fruit and vegetables from village horticulturalists. We were delighted to welcome Maddie Midgley, grand-daughter of Simon and Diana, who kindly drew the 100 Club prize-winners for October - Kate Fielder, Joy Hawes and Alison Buckton.

Then it was the annual Allerton Church Dedication service, which included fulsome (and fully deserved) thanks for the many individuals and groups who help to keep the church running smoothly, and some delicious cakes, provided by Fiona Duggan-Rees, to go with the coffee after the service.

But perhaps the highlight of the month was the long-awaited "Comic & Curious" concert, featuring a medley of songs, music and poetry by amazingly talented and versatile members of the local community. It was a tremendous evening, full of fun and laughter, and raised an impressive and much appreciated £795 for church funds. A huge thank you to all those involved, particularly Elspeth Salmon and Sarah Joskey, our wonderful musical directors.

Forthcoming Events :

Sunday 1st November 3 pm. All Souls Service. Where we remember those members of our community who have recently died, and show our support for their families and those who mourn.

Sunday 8th November 10.45 am. Remembrance Service at Holy Cross, Mark

Wednesday 11th November 10.45am. A short Act of Remembrance at the Cross in Allerton Churchyard, to remember those who gave their lives in service of our country, especially the four Allerton men who were killed in the First World War.

A full schedule of Christmas services in Allerton will be published in next month's Allerton News

With blessings, Matthew and Jane

Comic & Curious" Concert in Allerton Church 24th October 2026

The wonderful "Comic & Curious" concert was on 24th October, featuring a medley of turns by various amazingly talented local performers. It was a lovely evening, with a full church, full of fun and laughter, as well as some memorable musical moments. Our thanks go to all the performers, instrumentalists, singers, poets etc who contributed, as well as the enthusiastic and engaging audience. Here are just a selection of photos from the concert:










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beauty in the character
If there is beauty in the
character there will be
harmony in the home If
there is harmony in the
home there will be order
in the nation When there
is order in each nation
there will be peace in the
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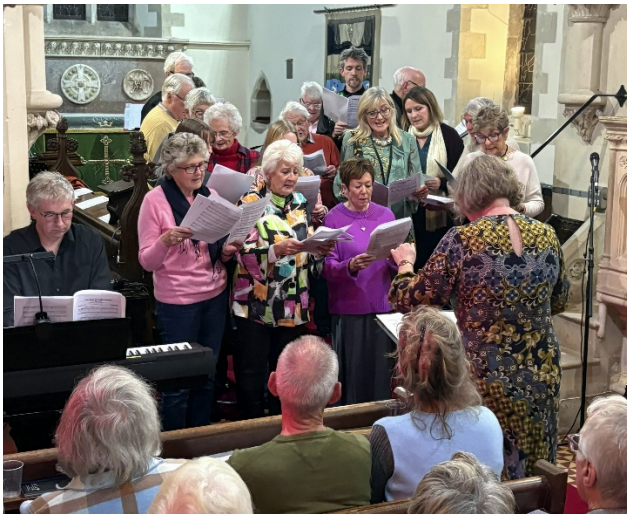
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