

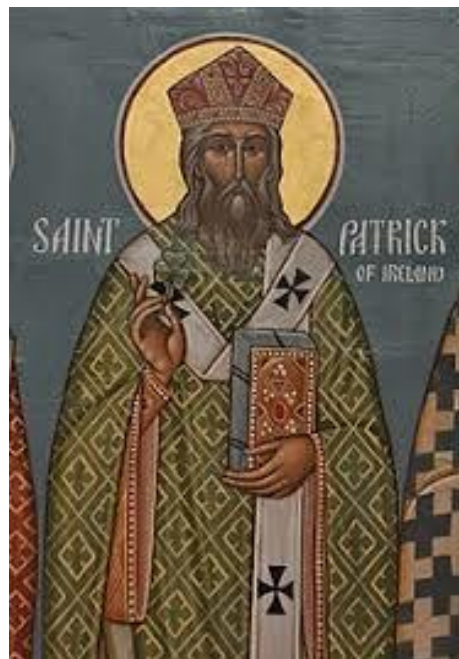
17 MARCH 2024

Dear Friends

This Sunday we celebrate St Patrick and gather for our Annual General Meeting. Fr Nick Fisher will lead our usual Eucharist at 10.30 on Sunday, after which the AGM will be held, followed by a short meeting of the new Council.

On Tuesday 19 March, All Saints' is hosting Justin Butcher's powerful play, *The Devil's Passion*. Details are found below.

Last Sunday, Emilie Claret was formally appointed as leader of our Sunday School and blessed, and with the help of Stephanie Gates led 15 children away for the first fortnightly session. Please pray and give thanks for the success of the school.

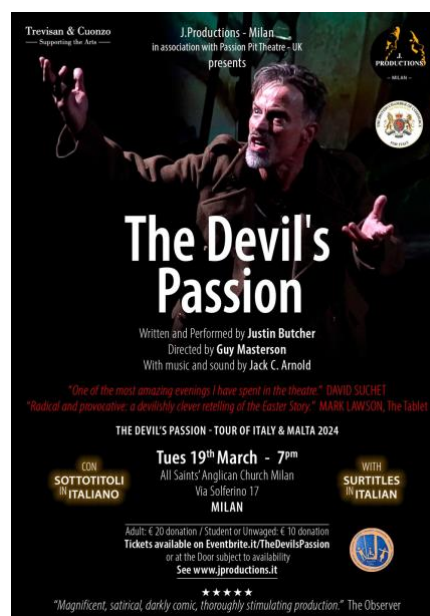
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The Devil's Passion

Tickets for **The Devil's Passion**, being staged by J. Productions this Tuesday 19 March at All Saints', can be purchased [here](#) and also at the door. A preview of the play is [here](#). Please come.

The play, through J. Productions, will raise funds for the disabled lavatory project.

Our thanks to actor and writer Justin Butcher for staging the play, and to Julia Holden and many others for organising the event.





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Pier Paolo Pasolini film

Lent provides an ideal time to watch Pier Paolo Pasolini's neorealist masterpiece "Il Vangelo secondo Matteo" / "The Gospel according to St Matthew", freely accessible [here on YouTube](#).

The film is impressive in many ways. Filmed entirely in Italy, with an amateur cast, the dialogue is the same dialogue found in the Gospel. If you are spellbound by the opening scene – Joseph staring in amazement at a pregnant Mary – you will enjoy the entire movie.

Annual General Meeting

Please try to attend after church on 17 March if you can. As explained in last week's newsletter, please do not come to the "first call" on 16 March. And a final plea – can you bring with you any documents included with the notice which you may need to refer to. Only a few hard copies will be available.

Candidates for vacancies will be accepted up until the opening of each ballot, if there is an election, but it would help the organisers if nomination forms are completed and submitted before the day of the AGM.

Pastoral care

For pastoral care during the coming week, please telephone (0039) 345 5835978 (Church mobile), (0039) 026 552258 (Priest's apartment), or email allsaintsmilanpriest@gmail.com

Links to our regular activities

Sunday evening prayer at 18.00 is [here](#). **Morning prayer**, at 9.00 Monday to Friday, is [here](#).

Bible study in person on Thursdays is led by Massimo at 12:30 for a start at 13.00.

Our final Lenten course, exploring the approach each gospel writer takes to the account of the Passion, is on Monday at 20.00 (so as not to coincide with the Devil's Passion), hosted by Fr Nick using the link found [here](#). Bible study by Zoom is not taking place during Lent.

The **Jolly Club** is on Tuesday from 12.30 onward for socialising, in the upstairs parish room.

Safeguarding

If you have any concerns regarding the safety and wellbeing of anyone within the All Saints' community, then please use our Safeguarding Policy found [here](#).