



Parish of Fleet  
All Saints  
St Philip & St James

News Sheet for  
Sunday 1 August 2021  
Trinity 9

**WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP, IT'S GREAT TO HAVE YOU WITH US.**

I hope you are well and coping with these rapidly changing times.

Thank you to all who worked so hard to make last Sunday so special. It was wonderful to have a larger gathering in church and to be able to sing hymns (led by a choir) and receive communion in a hopefully more 'complete' way.

We will continue to proceed in a cautious but ambitious way towards the 'new normal'.  
The programme for our services in August will be as follows..

- Sunday 1<sup>st</sup>** 10am Eucharist at P&J \*  
11.30am Eucharist at FPCC
- Wed 4<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am Morning Prayer at P&J (All welcome)  
*Led by Cally **NOT** on zoom*
- Sunday 8<sup>th</sup>** 10am Celtic Morning Prayer (with Choir and Hymns)  
*Led by Cally, Jane and Mary\**
- Wed 11<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am Morning Prayer at P&J (All welcome)  
*Led by Cally **NOT** on zoom*
- Sun 15<sup>th</sup>** 8am (BCP communion)  
10.00am Eucharist at P&J\*
- Wed 18<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am communion at P&J
- Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>** 10am Eucharist at P&J with Band\*
- Wed 25<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am Communion at P&J
- Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>** 10am Eucharist at P&J (with Choir)\*  
*Services with an\* will be livestreamed.*

Please note that there is no necessity to book for any of these services, so please do join us for worship if you feel able to.

I hope you will all find times of refreshment and renewal during August.

May God bless you all.

Mark

**THIS WEEK**

**Sunday 1 August** - 10.00am Morning Service, Ss Philip & James Church livestreamed via [Facebook](#) followed by 'Zoom Coffee', [Meeting ID: 761 9820 6224](#), Passcode: 1eGHjT  
11.30am Morning Service, Fleet Parish Community Centre

**Wednesday 3 August** - 9.30am Morning Prayer at P&J (All welcome)

**Sunday 8 August** - 8.00am Holy Communion, Ss Philip & James Church

10.00am Morning Service, Ss Philip & James Church, livestreamed via [Facebook](#)

**Ss Philip & James Church is open for prayer Wednesdays 10.00am-3.00pm & Sundays 12noon-3.00pm.**

## PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 1 AUGUST - TRINITY 9

**TODAY'S COLLECT** Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION** Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK . . .

**Those in urgent need of our prayers including...** Carol Beynon, Melanie Brant, Chris Butterfield, Angus Cairns, Phyllis McGowan, Carol Paton, Peter Rogers, Tyler Thompson.

**Members of our extended church family in need of our continuing prayers...** Matthew Allen, Gladys Barber, Alona Beauchamp, Marion Brown, Dilys Denney, David & Yvonne Dunk, Joan Hall, Alan Harvey, Dexter Heard, Michael Heard, Tony Holbeche, Sue Huddie, Garth Kellett, Bonnie Lewis, Roger Matcham, Sheila O'Connor, Gill Page, Matthew Parkes, John & Barbara Simson, Dee Stephenson, Eileen Taylor, Erica Taylor, Jean Thomas, John Tillyer and Molly Wilson.

**Those who have died recently...** Snowie Johnson.

**Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time...** Gladys Anderson, Edward Hartley, Bobby Nell, Celia Davis, Barbara Palmer, Ronald Ellen, Sydney Wilson, Richard Avery, Ethel Corps, Alick O'Connor, Marjorie Robinson

### PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 2<sup>nd</sup> AUGUST 2021

**Meditation:** 'The "Christ Mystery" is much bigger than Christianity as an organized religion. If we don't understand this, Christians will have little ability to make friends with, build bridges to, understand, or respect other religions or the planet. Jesus did not come to create a country club or a tribe of people who could say, "We're in and you're out. We've got the truth and you don't." Jesus came to reveal something that was true everywhere, for everyone, and all the time.' Father *Richard Rohr*.

We give thanks for the precious gift of the present moment.

**Please pray....**

**Mon** – For victims of human trafficking.

**Tues** – For Fleet hospital, its staff, and visitors. For the health centres of our parish.

**Wed** – (S. Jean Marie Vianney – patron Saint of Parish Clergy) - For our ministry team and those of our neighbouring parishes and churches.

**Thurs** – (S. Oswald, King of Northumbria, and Martyr) – For all who share the riches of Celtic Spirituality with the people of today – including the Iona and Northumbria communities.

**Fri** – (The Transfiguration of Our Lord) That all may come to know Jesus as Lord and Saviour.

**Sat** – For those suffering from leukaemia.

**Sun** – For the church's ministry of deliverance, and rescue for all who are influenced by the occult.

**ALL WEEK** – For those who live Rochester Grove, Rose Walk, Rosedene Gardens, Rowan Close, Rufford Close, Rushmore Close.

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

Please note that items with headlines underlined are new this week.

AUGUST PARISH MAGAZINE is out now and ready for collection or view it online:

<https://online.fliphtml5.com/suwdj/qfda/#p=1>

**COFFEE BAR** - The Coffee Bar in FPCC will be open on Tuesdays, Wednesday & Fridays, 10am-12pm, from Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August and we are looking forward to welcoming you back! However, we need more volunteers so please consider whether you could do one session a month – contact Ruth Waller, 01252 614846, for more information.

**FPCC PARKING PERMITS** - Parking permits are now available for Church Road car park on Sunday mornings for the 11.30am service at FPCC, please allow enough time to collect your permit on arrival.

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE** - The Parish Office will be closed during the school holidays and the phone redirected to either Mark/Cally/Jane. There will be a weekly news sheet produced by Sam Lord so please email [newsheet@parishoffleet.org.uk](mailto:newsheet@parishoffleet.org.uk) with any items from inclusion.

**AN HOUR OF GILBERT AND SULLIVAN** - Saturday 11 September, 7.30pm, Ss Philip & James Church. An hour of Gilbert and Sullivan including “Trial by Jury” in aid of All Saints Fund. Tickets £15 (to include refreshments) can be reserved, preferably by emailing [anne.smith33@btinternet.com](mailto:anne.smith33@btinternet.com) or ringing 01252 624171. Numbers will depend on regulations at the time.

**FREE ART WORKSHOPS** - LivingStones in Fleet are running an Art Month in August which includes free activities for children on Tuesday mornings – see [newlivingstones.org.uk](http://newlivingstones.org.uk) for details.

**GIVING OPTION** - You can now donate to Parish funds by scanning this QR code with any smart phone with a QR reader on it - it takes you directly to a web page where you can make a donation.



### NOTES ON THE READINGS FOR SUNDAY 1 AUGUST

#### [Exodus 16.2-4 & 9-15](#)

*Manna is an unusual but a natural phenomenon. It is formed by the secretion of certain lice that leach glucose from the branches of the tamarisk tree. Although ‘natural’ it was seen as divinely brought about.*

#### [Ephesians 4.1-16](#)

*In this exhortation Paul identifies three threats to the church; firstly arguments between Christians (v.1-7), secondly diversity within the church (v.8-13) and thirdly unorthodox teaching (v.14-16).*

#### [John 6.24-35](#)

*When Jesus questioned the crowd as to whether they wanted another free meal or genuine spiritual nourishment they reminded Jesus that Moses fed them with manna is believed to have been a natural sign from God. Jesus then reminded them that it was not Moses who gave them bread but God himself; He then added ‘I am the bread of life’.*

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