



Parish of Fleet
All Saints
St Philip & St James

**News Sheet for
Sunday 31 July 2022
Seventh Sunday after Trinity**

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

If you are here for the first time, or the first time in a while a particular welcome to you. If you are reading this but away on holiday or otherwise unable to be with us, then may God bless you and we look forward to seeing you again very soon. If you would like us to pray for or with you, or would like to speak to one of the ministry team, please let us know - either by mentioning it to someone at the door, or by contacting the office in the week.

We hope very much that our worship brings you into an encounter with our living and loving God who longs to have an encounter with you. All are welcome without exception to all our worship activities.

May God bless you all.

Mark

THIS WEEK

The Coffee Bar at Fleet Parish Community Centre is open Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays, 10am-12pm.

Parish Office is open Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays, 10am-12pm.

Sunday 31 July - 10.00am Eucharist, Ss Philip & James Church, livestreamed via [Facebook](#)

Wednesday 3 August - 9.30am Midweek Communion, Ss Philip & James Church

Sunday 7 August - 8.00am Holy Communion, Fleet Parish Community Centre
10.00am Eucharist, Fleet Parish Community Centre

The Tuesday prayer group have stopped meeting for the summer and will start again on September 6th.

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

SONGS OF PRAISE

On the 21st August at 3pm we will be holding our own 'Songs of Praise' service. For this we will need 8 people willing to choose a hymn/song and perhaps briefly explain (to the congregation) why it means something to them. If you would like to do this (I have one already) please sign up on one of the sheets at P&J or FPCC.

PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 31 JULY - SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

TODAY'S COLLECT Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK . . .

Those in urgent need of our prayers including... Alona Beauchamp, Jean Belgrove, Melanie Brant, Chris Butterfield, Angus Cairns, Marcia Farrey, Merrell Garlick, Norman Holt, Giorgia Laughton, Carol Paton, Peter Rogers, Tyler Thompson, Lucy Tyler, Barbara Willis, Phillip.

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

Those who have died recently... David Savage.

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time... Gladys Anderson, Edward Hartley, Richard Woods, Nell Slater, Celia Davis, Barbara Palmer, Ronald Ellen, Sydney Wilson, Richard Avery.

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 1 AUGUST 2022

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 thank God for playfulness, humour and joy.

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.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY 31 JULY

[Ecclesiastes 1.2,12-14; 2.18-23](#)

[Colossians 3.1-11](#)

[Luke 12.13-21](#)

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

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

OUR COLLECTION FOR ALL SAINTS MUDEFORD - We raised a grand total of £300.

FUNERAL OF DAVID JACK SAVAGE - Thursday 11th August at 11am in St Peter's Church, Farnborough. All are welcome. Hot buffet to be served in Church Hall after service.

COFFEE BAR DURING THE SUMMER - Please note the coffee bar will not be open on the 9th, 10th and 12th August.

HMS PINAFORE - G&S on Saturday 10 September, 7.30 pm at Ss P&J. This year's semi-staged performance is HMS Pinafore. Tickets £15 in advance (£17 on the door) from anne.smith33@btinternet.com or 01252 624171. Proceeds to All Saints Fund.

DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING - The defibrillators at FPCC and P&J have been upgraded and we have been offered a training session on the evening of Wednesday 3 August for anyone who is interested in knowing how to use one. Please contact Jenny Thorne or the Parish Office to register your interest.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS - The Parish Office will be open Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays during the school summer holiday - usual hours of 10am-12pm.

PRAYER ROOM IN FPCC - The prayer room in Fleet Parish Community Centre will be open during office hours over the summer holidays and has a new theme, "coming out of the fire", with two prayer stations reflecting on past damage and future hopes.

SUMMER COFFEE MORNING - Friday 12 August, 10.30am - 12.00pm, Troquhain House, Dogmersfield. A 'Bring and Buy' Coffee Morning in aid of All Saints Fund. Parking will be available at Dogmersfield school. If you need transport please contact Elizabeth, 01252 613156.

BABY SAINTS - Baby Saints is now taking a break for the summer, we look forward to welcoming new & not so new faces when we return with a mustard seed theme on 7 September, 10.30am, FPCC.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - Sunday 21 August, 3.00pm, Songs of Praise followed by Strawberry Tea at Ss Philip & James. Donations towards Parish Funds. Sign up sheets will be in both church to give us an idea of how many punnets of strawberries to buy and cakes to bake!

ACORN HEALING HUB CONFERENCE - 19 & 20 August, St Alban's Church, Hindhead, or keynote speaker sessions via Zoom. For more details and tickets see www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/acorn-healing-hub-conference-tickets-335228325947

KIDS SUMMER WORKSHOPS - LivingStones are offering summer craft workshops for children up to the age of 12 (accompanied by an adult) on Tuesdays & Thursdays in August, 10:30 - 12:30 - just ring 01252 616038 or pop into the shop to book.

MUSICAL DIRECTOR (PART TIME) - At an exciting point in their history and development, the Anglican Parish of Fleet is seeking to appoint a Musical Director to oversee the provision of music in worship at All Saints Church and St. Philip and St. James.

The Musical Director will be a competent organist/keyboard player who will be able to play for services as required and organize the provision of musical worship by a team of others including small orchestra, various duets, visiting organists and instrumentalists, SATB choir and Informal Unison choir.

They will work alongside the Clergy, PCC and others on the development of music in worship in the parish and work with those who already lead the SATB choir and Orchestra.

The parish is looking for someone who has a good understanding of the role of music in worship and able to work in harmony with the mission and ministry of the parish. They will be a good collaborator and capable communicator.

Hours will be flexible but will involve most Sunday mornings.

Salary is currently £5000 per year, which may be supplemented by fees from funerals and weddings when an accompanist is required.

Job Description and more details available from The Revd. Mark Hayton, vicar@parishoffleet.org.uk or 01252 219 281.

STAMPS FOR CHARITY TILL THE END OF THE YEAR - Our charity stamp collector will be stopping collecting at the end of this year - please bring all that you have to the bag on the board in Fleet Parish Community Centre.

READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP? - Would you like to be baptised or confirmed? Are you confirmed already but would like to renew your commitment to Christ? Are you available on 2 October and would be prepared to give time to six one-hour sessions of conversation and learning before then? If any of this applies to you please speak to Mark, Cally, Jane or Mary.

LIVINGSTONES - You may have noticed LivingStones in Fleet has moved from being purely a Bible bookshop to providing a variety of services including hobby groups and workshops and an 'honesty' style care. It is now run solely by volunteers, there are no paid staff and they would love more people to come in and volunteer with them, maybe for only be a 3 hour slot once a week or even if you couldn't commit to that perhaps joining their volunteer bank. With more volunteers they would be able to be open more often and more able to meet the needs of our community and spread the love of Jesus through love and words and deeds. The existing volunteers are a lovely friendly group and the tasks are easy and fun, providing opportunities to meet new people, make new friends and serve our community. As they now operate with volunteers, this makes it possible for them to make monthly donations to local Christian and secular charities. If you haven't visited Livingstones for a while please do pop in and see the changes.

HART VOLUNTARY ACTION FLEET OVER 55s FORUM - Tuesday 16 August, 1.20-4.30pm, Church Crookham Community Centre, GU52 8AQ. Presentations from Hampshire County Council (Connect to Support Hampshire) and Andover Mind Carer Support. Please register to attend via <https://hva.aidecrm.co.uk/booking/hva-general-networkng-events> or email sharon.west@hartvolaction.org.uk.

CREATIVE ART AND MUSIC WORKSHOPS - The Source Young People's Charity are offering the following workshops in Aldershot for young people aged 11-16 - Music/Sound Sampling: 16 & 30 August (2-5pm), Creative Art: 2 & 9 & 23 August (2-4pm). To book or for further information contact nolimits@thesourceforyou.co.uk, 01252 333330.

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.



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