



News Sheet for Sunday 13 October Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

Welcome in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to our worship today. It is a great joy to have you with us as we worship God together. If you are with us for the first time, please do make yourself known to us after the service. There will also be coffee with fellowship available after the service, please do join us for this - you will receive a warm welcome.

Today there are three services in our Parish:

10.00am Parish Eucharist at P&J Church

10.00am Café Church at FPCC

6.30pm Choral Evensong at All Saints Church

Do please join us for any of these services.

Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make our Harvest Festival service last Sunday such a resounding success, and to all those who brought much needed contributions for Food Bank.

Thank you also to everyone who has worked together to re-enforce our safeguarding by doing training and undergoing DBS checks. This is important work for the kingdom that means that more than ever people can join us for worship and activities in comfort and confidence.

May God bless you all,

Mark

SUNDAY SERVICES SLIDES

If you would like to access the slides for this Sunday's services, you can do so on your smartphone or tablet by pointing your camera at the appropriate QR code.

Eucharist



Evensong



THIS WEEK

The Coffee Bar is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm
Sunday 13 Oct

Ss PHILIP & JAMES 10.00am Parish Eucharist

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 10.00am Café Church, FPCC

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Tuesday 15 Oct

11.00am Prayer Group, FPCC

Wednesday 16 Oct

9.30am Communion Service, Ss Philip & James Church

10.00am-12.00pm Baby Saints, FPCC

10.00am-12.00pm All Saints Church open to visitors

Thursday 17 Oct

8.00pm All Saints Ladies Group, P&J Church Hall

Friday 18 Oct

10.00am - 12.00pm Dribbles & Giggles, FPCC

Saturday 19 Oct

10.00am-12.00pm All Saints Church open to visitors

Sunday 20 Oct

Ss PHILIP & JAMES

8.00am Parish Eucharist

10.00am Family Worship

ALL SAINTS CHURCH:

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Ss Philip & James Church is open for prayer

Wednesdays 11.00am-1.30pm & Sundays 12noon-3.00pm.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER

[Job 23:1-9, 16-end](#)

[Hebrews 4:12-end](#)

[Mark 10:17-31](#)

TODAY'S COLLECT: God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives, that we may see your goodness in the land of the living, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER: God our Father, whose Son, the light unfailing, has come from heaven to deliver the world from the darkness of ignorance: let these holy mysteries open the eyes of our understanding that we may know the way of life, and walk in it without stumbling; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Those in urgent need of our prayers including: Noel Parker-Ashley, Jean Belgrove, Alan Brown, Marcia Farrey, Sylvia Honiwell, Justine Lucas, Ian Lowers, Margaret, Carol Paton, Dee Stephenson, Tyler Thompson, Barbara Willis

Members of our extended church family in need of our continuing prayers:

Matthew Allen, Gladys Barber, Marion Brown, Cynthia Fowler, Jack, Karen Kite and family, Anne Marie Hudson, Diana, Leo Goodson, Joan Hall, Dexter Heard, Michael Heard, Judy Kellett, Giorgia Laughton, Bonnie Lewis, Gill Page, Phillip, Claire Pamment, Peter Rogers, Anne Richardson, John Simson, Violet Slade, Michael Standen, Eileen Taylor, Erica Taylor, Clare and family, Karen W

Those who have died recently: Michael Fletcher

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time:

David Scott, Anne Parker-Ashley, Dominic Holmes, Maisie Brown, Ron Bartlett, Robert Hannant, William Miner, Lewis Davies, Barbara Bates

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 14 OCTOBER

Meditation: - 'To live faithfully means to choose: will I in this moment make the world a more gentle, beautiful, and hopeful; or will I contribute to its cynicism, brutality and bitter desperation?' - Elaine O'Rourke.

We give thanks: that our lives are not ours to do with what we will, but that we belong to God, are precious in his eyes, and have a unique part to play in his purpose for the world.

Please pray....

- Mon** - for those who clean our churches and halls.
- Tues** - for those who suffer from autism.
- Wed** - for the Catholic Community of Fleet, and their priest – Father Johnpromise.
- Thur** - (S. Ignatius of Antioch) for persecuted Christians around the world.
- Fri** - (S. Luke) for the medical professions.
- Sat** - for those who foster children, and those they care for.
- Sun** - for all those who exercise authority over us.
- ALL WEEK** for those who live in The Lea, The Mount, The Oaks, The Spinney, The West Hundreds, Threshers Corner.

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS - The Parish Office will be open 10am-12pm Monday - Friday, this week.

BABY SAINTS - Meets every Wednesday term time at FPCC, 10.00am – 12.00pm. If you have or care for preschool children we'd love to see you.

GARDENERS WANTED - The volunteer gardeners at All Saints and St Philip and James would welcome new recruits. St Philip and St James gardeners meet on Monday mornings. It's Wednesday mornings 10 – 12noon at All Saints with a free coffee thrown in. Do join us!

FLEET 10K RACE ROAD CLOSURES - On Sunday 27 October. It follows the usual route, with a start time of 9.30am. Fleet Road itself will be closed at 9am, but marshals will allow traffic to cross at the Church Road junction with Fleet Road until around 9.25am.

ACTIVITY AFTERNOON - The Marvellous Picnic: Sat 19 October at P & J church 2-4pm. Helpers needed for craft tables and tea. Offers of help welcome - see Mark or Claire.

TAIZE EVENING PRAYER - Sunday 27 October 6.30pm, at Church of our Lady, Kings Rd, GU51 3RA. An ecumenical service, all are very welcome. More details from Jane.

NATIONAL CHURCHES TRUST AWARDS 2024 - All Saints Church is to be included in the awards at Lincoln Cathedral on Tuesday 22 October and Jan and Elizabeth are hoping to be there in person. The service will be live streamed so that it can be viewed at home or we could stream it at All Saints Church on that afternoon from 2 – 3.30pm (hopefully followed by a cup of tea in the hall). So we can gauge how many people might attend, please could you let either Rebecca in the office or Elizabeth (613156) know, This is a great affirmation of all the hard work that the whole parish put in to rebuild All Saints and secure the future for our whole community. To live stream at home, register on <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/national-church-awards-livestream-tickets-1030970820477>

THE FLEET ROCK ORCHESTRA RAISING MONEY FOR CHRISTIAN AID - Saturday 9 November 2024 at The Church on the Heath, Fleet, GU51 1HA. Tickets: Adults £12. Under 16s £6.00. Doors open at 6.30pm, Concert 7.30pm - 10pm (Interval included) Tickets Available at www.fro.org.uk

TWO SAVE THE DATES

Saturday 15 March 2025: Parish trip to St Albans Cathedral. Leave P&J at 9am, return by 6pm.

Saturday 31 May 2025: Quiet day at Ladywell Convent, Godalming led by Gertrud Sollars.

Sign-up sheets for both days nearer the time. More details from Jane or Claire.

PRAYER BOARD AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH - What would you like us to pray for? Please write down your prayer requests and the prayer group will check it weekly before their Tuesday prayer meetings. Alternatively, you may use this link <https://wpapp.parishoffleet.org.uk/tuesday-prayer-group/> to send your prayer requests via the website.

CHRISTMAS KNITTED ANGELS - That time again! Churches together will be placing beautiful knitted angels around Fleet again in December. We need as many as possible to bless the people of Fleet and remind them of the real reason for the season. So many people have said how blessed they feel to receive an Angel. So please if you are able could you knit some? The pattern is very easy and it's a good way to use up those scraps of wool. Any colour is good. The Angel Blessing Service will be at Fleet Methodist Church at 4pm on 1 December. For patterns, both knitting and crochet, please contact Sue Butterfield (07876640452)

HART FOODBANK DONATIONS - Thank you for your gifts to the Foodbank. This week there is an urgent need for longlife milk (not fully skimmed please), coffee (prefer not to have catering pack sizes), shampoo, toothpaste/toothbrushes, household cleaning items.

Currently we do not need any pasta, water, sugar or flour. Items can be left in the Foodbank containers in the narthex at Ss Philip & James Church and in FPCC. Thank you, as always, for your donations to the foodbank, they are all very much appreciated. Please could you also drop off any carrier bags that you no longer need, to help us transfer the items to the Foodbank.

LIGHT PARTY AT FLEET METHODIST CHURCH – Thursday 31 October 3:30-5:30pm, free entry. Children must be accompanied by an adult. To book please email the church office: office@fleetmethodist.org.uk.

STAMPS - Thank you for all your support with used stamps. Please do continue to drop off your used stamps into the bag on the notice board at FPCC.

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 your donation.



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