



News Sheet for Sunday 6 October Nineteenth 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—we will be holding our harvest festival at All saints at 10.00am in a joint service with All Saints Junior School. We will be collecting items for Hart Foodbank. A list of items the food bank would be delighted to receive can be found below in the notices.

It is our great delight to welcome children and families to our service today, and we hope you will very much enjoy sharing in worship with us.

May God bless you all,

Mark

SUNDAY SERVICE SLIDES

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



THIS WEEK

The Coffee Bar is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm
Sunday 6 Oct

Ss PHILIP & JAMES 8.00am BCP Holy Communion
10.00am No service

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 10.00am Harvest Festival and Godly Play with All Saints School

Tuesday 8 Oct 11.00am Prayer Group, FPCC

Wednesday 9 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

Friday 11 Oct 10.00am - 12.00pm Dribbles & Giggles, FPCC

Saturday 12 Oct 10.00am-12.00pm All Saints Church open to visitors

Sunday 13 Oct

Ss PHILIP & JAMES 10.00am Parish Eucharist

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 10.00am Café Church, FPCC

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Ss Philip & James Church is open for prayer
Wednesdays 11.00am-1.30pm & Sundays 12noon-3.00pm.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY 6 OCTOBER

[Joel 2:21-27](#)

[2 Timothy 2:1-7](#)

[Matthew 6:25-33](#)

TODAY'S COLLECT: Faithful Lord, whose steadfast love never ceases and whose mercies never come to an end: grant us the grace to trust you and to receive the gifts of your love, new every morning, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER: Holy and blessed God, you have fed us with the body and blood of your Son and filled us with your Holy Spirit: may we honour you, not only with our lips but in lives dedicated to the service of Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Those in urgent need of our prayers including: Jack, Noel Parker-Ashley, Yvonne Beckett, Jean Belgrove, Alan Brown, Marcia Farrey, Michael Fletcher, 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, 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 from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Elizabeth Moon, John Lean, Ronald Sweetapple, Alan Roberts, Horace Dolton, Chris Butterfield, Dorothy Main, Alice Clayson, Edward Brown, Olive England

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 7 OCTOBER

Meditation: - 'God is always bigger than the boxes we build for God' - Richard Rohr.

We give thanks for ...those who minister to the hurt and traumatised in time of disaster.

Please pray....

- Mon** - for our gardeners and flower arrangers.
- Tues** - for lasting peace with justice in the Middle East.
- Wed** - for children dealing with illness or disability, including young carers.
- Thur** - for those who work in public services.
- Fri** - for those who suffer from heart disease.
- Sat** - for the care and nurture of our planet and the control of climate change.
- Sun** - for God's continuing ministry of healing amongst his people.
- ALL WEEK** for those who live in The Bourne, The Brambles, The Cedars, The Croft, The Key, The Laurels.

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 **Tuesday - Friday**, this week.

CHRISTIAN AID EMERGENCY COLLECTION - Thank you to everybody who contributed to the Christian Aid emergency collection for the suffering people of Gaza. Together we raised £1,532

PARISH MAGAZINE DISTRIBUTOR - Urgently required to deliver 3 parish mags - 1 each in Medonte Close, Aldershot Road and Regent Street. Please contact Heather Turner hditurner@ntlworld.com or 07740 950456.

BABY SAINTS - Meets every Wednesday term time at FPCC, 10.30am – 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!

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.

HART FOODBANK DONATIONS - Thank you for your gifts to the Foodbank. This week there is an urgent need for gents grooming (shaving requisites etc.), toilet rolls, tea, coffee, boil in the bag rice.

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.

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.

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.

FLEET METHODIST CHURCH CHARITY QUIZ - Saturday 9 November to raise money for this year's charity which is Fleet Phoenix. Arrive at 7pm for a 7:15 start. Teams of up to 6 or just come along and we will fit you into a team. Bring your own drinks and nibbles if you wish. If you would like to enter a team and reserve your place, phone Brian Sexton on 01252 676373 or email briansexton@virginmedia.com. More about Fleet Phoenix here: <https://www.fleetphoenix.co.uk/>

CLEANER WANTED - Church on the Heath at Elvetham Heath in Fleet is looking for a self-employed cleaner for their modern church building. The role involves 10 hours a week spread over five days. If you are interested and would like further details, please contact the Church Office at office@churchontheheath.org.uk or call 01252 400236.

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.

FLEET WALKING AND CYCLING IMPROVEMENT PROPOSALS FEEDBACK SURVEY -The scheme web page has been updated with the feedback survey and information pack for proposed walking and cycling improvements in Fleet on the following link: [Hitches Lane Pedestrian and Cycle Improvements | Transport and roads | Hampshire County Council \(hants.gov.uk\)](https://www.hants.gov.uk/transport-and-roads/hitches-lane-pedestrian-and-cycle-improvements).

STEP BY STEP - Donations box in the narthex at P&J and in FPCC. Donations of the following items welcome: toothbrushes, toothpaste, shower gel/cream, soap, shampoo/conditioner. No bath products please. Thank you.

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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