



News Sheet for 7 June – Trinity 1

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. We welcome in the name of our Lord all who wish to worship with us, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, sexuality or gender orientation. We rejoice in the fact that we are a very diverse Christian community and see this as our calling under Christ. We work hard in this parish to ensure the safety and safeguarding of all who join us for worship, if you have any concerns in this area, please do let us know immediately. If you have any special needs or would like to speak to a pastoral minister or have someone pray with you, please mention it to a welcomer or member of the ministry team.

There will also be coffee with fellowship available after the service, please do join us for this - you will receive a warm welcome there too.

Today is Trinity 1.

We have two services in our parish today.

8am BCP Communion at P&J

10am Parish Eucharist at All Saints.

May God bless you all,

Mark

OUR PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Most of you will know that our Parish administrator Rebecca is leaving us at the end of June. If you would like to contribute towards a leaving present for her, please use this link to do so online.

<https://givealittle.co/c/RRLeavingGift>

If you are only able to give cash, we will make this possible at our services over the next few weeks. Please do not take money into the office for this purpose!

READINGS FOR 7 JUNE

[Genesis 12:1-9](#)

[Romans 4:13-end](#)

[Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26](#)

SUNDAY SERVICE SLIDES

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



THIS WEEK

The Coffee Bar is open on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm

All Saints Church is open to visitors Monday – Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm

Sunday 7 Jun

Ss PHILIP & JAMES: 8.00am BCP Holy Communion

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 10.00am Parish Eucharist with Godly Play

Monday 8 Jun

7.15pm (for 7:30pm start) Bible Course, FPCC

Tuesday 9 Jun	11.00am Prayer Group, All Saints Church
Wednesday 10 Jun	9.30am Holy Communion Service, Ss Philip & James Church 10.00am-12.00pm Little Saints, FPCC
Friday 12 Jun	10.00am-12.00pm Fun Friday, FPCC
Sunday 14 Jun	
ALL SAINTS CHURCH:	10.00am Café Church 6:30pm Choral Evensong
Ss PHILIP & JAMES:	10.00am Parish Eucharist

TODAY'S COLLECT: God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER: Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Those in urgent need of our prayers including: Anne Amos, Jean Box, Brian Biffin, Ethan, Marcia Farrey, Kathryn Goldburn, Michael Heard, Sylvia Honiwell, Janice Jose, Graham Kitts, Erica Taylor, Tyler Thompson, Victoria Willis, Laura Wrigglesworth.

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Members of our extended church family in need of our continuing prayers: Annegret, Matthew Allen, Gladys Barber, Alan Beckett, Marion Brown, Martine Dyer, Patricia Greenway-Quintero, Joan Hall, Dexter Heard, Jack, Jonah, Marion King, Bonnie Lewis, Gill Page, Phillip, Peter Rogers, Anne Richardson, John Simson, Violet Slade, Dee Stephenson, Michael Standen, Clare and family, Karen, Barbara Willis.

Those who have died recently: Hazel Pilkington, Oli, Andrew Stone.

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time: Olive Welford Ken Peacock, David White, Helena Townsend, Sandra Bolger

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 8 JUNE

Meditation: 'We are not called by God to do extraordinary things, but to do ordinary things with extraordinary love.' – Jean Vanier.

We give thanks for ... those young people who are finding faith and exploring discipleship.

Please pray....

- Mon** - for all those training for new ministries, and for God to raise up new ministers from amongst our community.
- Tues** - for 'Looked after' children and foster parents.
- Wed** - those who work in Information Technology.
- Thurs** - those dealing with 'loss' of one kind or another.
- Fri** - for victims of gun or knife crime in our cities.
- Sat** - for The Crossroads project to relaunch Living Stones as a Christian community Coffee shop.
- Sun** - that all Christians may be able to plant and nourish seeds of faith in others.

ALL WEEK for those who live in Meadow Walk, Medonte Close, Medstead Drive, Merivale, Micheldever Drive, Mill corner.

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS - This week the Parish Office will be open 10am-12pm Monday to Friday.

LAST SESSION OF BIBLE COURSE - 8 June 7.30pm at FPCC. This final session will look at the New Testament. If you were not on the original course and would like to come to this session, do contact Jane.

ASHANTI DEVELOPMENT - Many thanks for everyone's generosity in giving last Sunday from Penny, Martha and Ruth. Including Martha's stall, we raised an amazing £1500 for the worming and other projects. This will make a real difference, thank you so much.

GATHERING WITH BISHOP PAUL - Bishop Paul, our acting diocesan Bishop has invited all of us from the Aldershot Deanery to a gathering at Christ Church Cove on Monday 15 June at 7.30 pm. This will be a time to worship and pray together, tell him about our projects and challenges, and to hear from him about his vision for the Diocese. All are invited and no booking is required!

LITTLE 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.

FUN FRIDAY - Meets every Friday term time at FPCC, 10.00am-12.00pm. Join us for a relaxed, friendly morning of soft play, craft, toys, books and more. A great space for babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers. Bring along parents, carers, grandparents or childminders for a fun start to the weekend. No need to book – just come along.

VOLUNTARY ROLE FOR PARISH MAGAZINE DISTRIBUTION CO-ORDINATOR - The monthly parish magazine is an important outreach resource which is enjoyed by many people in the parish.

The distribution of the magazine is undertaken by a team of over 30 dedicated volunteers who deliver the magazines to some of the people in the parish, many of whom are unable to collect it themselves. The Parish Magazine Distribution Co-ordinator role orchestrates the activities associated with the timely collection of the magazines once printed and their delivery to the subscribers.

After 5 years of performing this role, I will be stepping down at the end of the year and I am looking for a special person or persons (as the role could be divided) to be my successor(s).

Can I please ask you to give this opportunity careful consideration as if it cannot be filled, the distribution of the magazine may have to cease or only be accessible online. If you feel that your gifts are in line with what's required for this role and would like to find out more, please contact me on 07740 950456/heather.turner@parishoffleet.org.uk.

DUTY WARDENS AT ALL SAINTS - We are looking for additional volunteers to join the duty wardens rota on a Sunday at All Saints. This is not an onerous task, and will not require unlocking and locking the church. If you think that you can help, or would like more information then please speak to the office, Jenny or Mike Benham.

HART FOODBANK DONATIONS - This week there is an urgent need for tinned veg, washing up liquid, savoury biscuits, washing detergents, household cleaning items - sprays, bleach etc., fruit squash. 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.

LIFE OF CHRIST AT WINTERSHALL ON FRI 19 JUNE - We plan to meet up at Wintershall to experience the Life of Christ together. Book tickets (£35) on <https://www.wintershall.org.uk/>. Please let Jane or Claire know when you've booked so we can share lifts. This is a whole day out (10am-4pm) and involves walking round the estate; bring a packed lunch too.

THREE SOPRANOS CONCERT AT P&J - An exciting Parish fundraising concert in P&J at 7.30pm on Sat 4 July will star: "Three Sopranos", a professional trio, at least one of whom you will recognise from our G&S cast! See 'Events' webpage or Posts for more details on the website. For the online versions, there is also a URL link you can use.
<https://parishoffleet.churchsuite.com/events/knrq3qhm>.



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.

STEP BY STEP - Please leave your donations to Step by Step in the collection boxes, for P&J in the Narthex and in the Coffee Bar at All Saints. They welcome donations of the following items: toothbrushes, toothpaste, shower gels and creams, soap, shampoo and conditioners. No bath products please as the centre only has showers.

STAMPS – Thank you for 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 or by clicking on this QR code - it takes you directly to a web page where you can make your donation.



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