



News Sheet for 20th September – Trinity 16

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 16

We have three services in our parish today

8am BCP Holy Communion at All Saints

10am Parish Eucharist at All Saints

10am Family Worship at P&J

NEXT SUNDAY 27th - We will be celebrating Harvest Festival together at P&J at 10am.

SUNDAY 4th OCTOBER – Will be Stewardship Sunday when we will be reflecting upon our response to God's great generosity towards us. Parish Eucharist will be at All Saints on this day. Please see my letter in the September magazine about this subject.

SUNDAY 18th OCTOBER – St. Luke's Day – A special service offering Prayer for healing

May God bless you all,

Mark

CHRISTIAN AID COLLECTION- In aid of the Nepal floods in All Saints Church this Sunday, 20 September. Please use the card machine in church to make a donation.

READINGS FOR 20th SEPTEMBER

[Exodus 16. 2-15](#)

[Philippians 1. 21 – end](#)

[Matthew 20. 1-16](#)

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 – Friday 10.00am-12.00pm.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 8.00am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Eucharist
Ss PHILIP & JAMES: 10.00am Family Worship

Tuesday 22 Sept 11.00am Prayer Group, All Saints Church
Wednesday 23 Sept 9.30am Holy Communion Service, Ss Philip & James Church
10.00am – 12.00pm Little Saints, FPCC
Friday 25 Sept 10.00am – 12.00pm Fun Friday, FPCC
Sunday 27 Sept

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: No Service
Ss PHILIP & JAMES: 10.00am Parish Eucharist (Harvest)

TODAY'S COLLECT: Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER: Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Those in urgent need of our prayers including: Anne Amos, Brian Biffin, Ethan, Marcia Farrey, Carolyn Ford, Kathryn Smith, Michael Heard, Sylvia Honiwell, Janice Jose, Graham Kitts, Ronnie, Erica Taylor, Tyler Thompson, Victoria Willis, Laura Wrigglesworth, Martin Warren.

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Members of our extended church family in need of our continuing prayers: Matthew Allen, Gladys Barber, Alan Beckett, Joan Hall, Dexter Heard, Jonah, Bonnie Lewis, Gill Page, John Simson, Violet Slade, Michael Standen, Clare and family, Karen.

And our friends in residential care: Jean Box, Martine Dyer, Anne Richardson, Dee Stephenson, Barbara Willis.

Those who have died recently: Jack, Peter Rogers, Doreen Langridge

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time: Tony Holbeche, Ruby Taylor John Gittins, Hugh Dundas, Esther Lawless, Agnes Yelliah, Arthur Hepper, Stanley Butt, Marjorie Elliott, Frederick Leese, Frank Hall, Ida Bauden, Estelle Davidson.

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 21ST SEPTEMBER

Meditation: 'Don't cling to a mistake just because you spent a lot of time making it' Source Unknown.

We give thanks for the fruits of God's creation.

Please pray....

- Mon** - for those in our town currently living in food poverty.
- Tues** - for the Samaritans and others who minister to those in danger of suicide.
- Wed** - for all who minister to victims of slavery or people trafficking.
- Thurs** - for those who work in Information Technology.
- Fri** - for those who suffer from Parkinson's Disease.
- Sat** - for those currently working to improve our roads and infrastructure.
- Sun** - for those who produce, process, transport or retail our food.
- ALL WEEK** for those who live in Stockton Avenue, Streamside, Sturmeys Drive, Sunnyside, Sussex Gardens, Swaledale Gardens.

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 Mon – Fri.

ALL ABOARD ALL SAINTS FAMILY FUN AFTERNOON – Saturday 24 October 2pm – 4pm. All Aboard at All Saints Church for a free family fun afternoon, including stories, crafts, quizzes, games, food and refreshments.

We would love more volunteers to help run this event, including help with food preparation and cake making! Please do contact me if you can help in any way - janette@parishoffleet.org.uk

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. No need to book – just come along.

PETER ROGERS – Funeral service at Ss P&J Church, Monday 21st September, 2pm - All welcome.

DOREEN LANGRIDGE – Funeral service at Aldershot Crematorium on Monday 5th October – 12pm

GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S MIKADO - To be performed in Ss P&J Church on Sat 19 Sept at 7.30 pm in aid of Parish Funds. Tickets are £20 from anne.smith33@btinternet.com or 01252 624171 or online using this QR code. There will be tickets available on the door and there is an open dress rehearsal at 2.30pm - Just turn up!



ON WEDNESDAY FALLS PREVENTION TALK - Wednesday 23 September at All Saints Church 11.30am, a talk on how to prevent falls, everyone welcome and the coffee bar is open from 10.00am so come and have a cuppa before the talk begins.

PARISH QUIZ - Friday 25 September, 6.30 pm at the FPCC. Teams of 8. Or come along and join up with others. Bring your own drink and snacks. Book your place, £8 per person, at FPCC – 01252812114 or office@parishoffleet.org.uk.

FLEET ASHANTI DEVELOPMENT SPONSORED WALK – Will take place on 26 September at 2.30pm from the Barley Mow carpark. Please sponsor Ruth Simpson and Judy Keep to raise money to support the

work of Ashanti Development to provide water, latrines, healthcare and education to very remote areas of Ashanti, Ghana. Judy and Ruth will be at church to collect donations on Sundays. Or contact them direct if you can help, Judy 07710 989303 or Ruth 01252 627328.

HART FOODBANK DONATIONS - This week there is an urgent need for custard, porridge, sponge puddings, men's razors, deodorant (men and women's), shampoo & conditioner. 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.

AN EVENING TO EXPLORE A CHURCH PLANT - Sunday 27th September at 7pm at the Church on the Heath. Twenty five years ago the Church on the Heath was planted by four denominations in Fleet coming together. Healthy churches multiply. If you have a heart for church planting do join Rev Patrick Butler for an evening of conversation and prayer.

DUTY WARDENS AT ALL SAINTS - We are looking for additional volunteers to join the duty warden's 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'S COMMUNITY GARDEN AUTUMN FETE – Saturday 10th October – 12pm – 4pm. Join us for an afternoon of family fun, community spirit and autumn celebrations. Includes music, Prickle Lodge Hedgehog Rescue, tombola, book stall, children's scavenger hunt, cakes & refreshments and more. £1 entrance to include free raffle ticket. Hart Community Garden, Pale Lane, RG27 8SP.

HCG@hartvolaction.org.uk to book or for more information.

GRANDPARENTS FUN DAY – Church on the Heath - Tuesday 27th October – 2pm – 4pm. For grandparents of children 8 years and under an afternoon of fun, games, crafts and friendships. Visit churchontheheath.org.uk or phone 01252 400236 to book.

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. Donations welcome of the following items: toothbrushes, toothpaste, shower gels & creams, soap, shampoo & conditioners. No bath products please as the centre only has showers.

STAMPS – Thank you for your support with used stamps. Please continue to drop 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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