



Parish of Fleet

All Saints

St Philip & St James

News Sheet for Sunday 11 July 2021 Sixth Sunday after Trinity

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

I hope you are well and coping with these rapidly changing times.

It is especially good this Sunday to have the Reverend Cally Burch with us for the first time. Cally was ordained as Deacon last Sunday in the Cathedral and now joins us as Assistant Curate. We are all very excited to have her here!

The rebuilding of All Saints Church is continuing well. As you know, phase one of the project is to complete the rebuilding of All Saints Church with a new entrance, landscaping etc. Phase two will include the building of additional facilities including an annexe to accommodate a wide variety of church and community activities. Before we can commence phase two, we have to relaunch our fundraising appeal. If that is to be successful, we will need many more people to get involved. If you would like to be part of the fundraising effort, or to make a donation – please contact me, I would be thrilled to hear from you!

Please note carefully that no final decisions have yet been made by the PCC about the contents of the church or annexe. Various groups will be working on this over the next few months, and the PCC will have to make decisions about these things in due course - based upon our future needs and how much money we have available to spend. If you have comments or queries about this aspect of the rebuilding, please contact me - vicar@parishoffleet.org.uk, 01252 219281.

As you may remember, Archbishop Justin Welby will be visiting our diocese and deanery in September. His visit will begin with a big celebration for church congregations on Friday 24th September at 8pm at Lakeside Country Club. If you booked tickets to be at last year's postponed event, you should be contacted and invited to come to this event, if you didn't, but would like to come, please book your place via [Eventbrite Tickets, Fri 24 Sep 2021 at 20:00](#).

There will be other exciting events happening over that weekend. I will tell you more about those in due course.

May God bless you all.

Mark

THIS WEEK

Sunday 11 July - 8.00am Holy Communion, Ss Philip & James Church (no need to book for this service)
10.00am Morning Service, Ss Philip & James Church* livestreamed via [Facebook](#)
followed by 'Zoom Coffee', [Meeting ID: 761 9820 6224](#), Passcode: 1eGHjT

Wednesday 14 July - 9.30am Midweek Communion Service, Ss Philip & James Church,
[Zoom Meeting ID: 5089713920](#) (no need to book to attend this service in person)

Thursday 15 July - 2.00pm Bible Study, [Zoom Meeting ID: 5089713920](#)

Sunday 18 July - 10.00am Morning Service, Ss Philip & James Church*, livestreamed via [Facebook](#)
11.30am Family Worship, Ss Philip & James Church and Zoom.

* please sign up beforehand to attend Sunday services in church in person, see inside for details.

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

PRAYERS FOR SUNDAY 11 JULY - SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

TODAY'S COLLECT Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK . . .

Those in urgent need of our prayers including... Carol Beynon, Melanie Brant, Chris Butterfield, Angus Cairns, Dexter Heard, Michael Heard, Phyllis McGowan, Carol Paton, Peter Rogers, Dee Stephenson, Tyler Thompson.

Members of our extended church family in need of our continuing prayers... Matthew Allen, Gladys Barber, Alona Beauchamp, Marion Brown, Dilys Denney, David & Yvonne Dunk, Joan Hall, Alan Harvey, Tony Holbeche, Sue Huddie, Garth Kellett, Bonnie Lewis, Roger Matcham, Sheila O'Connor, Gill Page, Matthew Parkes, John & Barbara Simson, Eileen Taylor, Erica Taylor, Jean Thomas, John Tillyer and Molly Wilson.

Those who have died recently... Margaret Coslett.

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time... Doreen Scott, Bessie Harris, Audrey Vowells, Kate Milling, Mabel Hancock, Richard Leavey, Eric Harris, Edith Griggs, Mary Letts, Alice Collop, Evelyn Fladgate, Alan Dickerson, Colin Keir and John Bounden.

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 11 JULY

Meditation 'Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire' - St. Catherine of Sienna.

We give thanks for music, art, drama, all that enriches our lives.

Please pray...

Mon - For parishes and chaplaincies striving to serve their communities in changing circumstances.

Tues - Those suffering from the long term effects of Covid 19 and the lockdowns - including those with depression, anxiety, agoraphobia etc.

Wed - For world leaders - for truth, wisdom and compassion in all their dealings and decisions.

Thurs - For those who work in tourism.

Fri - For missionary and relief organisations overseas during these challenging times.

Sat - For all who struggle or feel left behind because they have difficulty going online. May we make extra effort to keep in touch with them, and consider their needs in all we do.

Sun - For our parish, its mission and ministry, that we may all love Jesus Christ and serve the world in his name.

ALL WEEK - For victims of Covid 19, for all health workers, for our school communities and for those whose livelihoods have been seriously affected by the lockdowns.

For those who live in Pheasant Copse, Pines Road, Pinewood Court, Pinewood Hill, Pond View Close and Pondtail Close.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

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

SUNDAY SERVICES - Please book in to attend the 10.00am service in Ss Philip & James Church by Friday - contact Mary Goodson (01252 815103).

WELCOME CALLY POSTPONEMENT - We are no longer able to hold the Afternoon Tea on Sunday 18 July and hope to reschedule this event in the near future - please keep checking the news sheet for the new date.

AN HOUR OF GILBERT AND SULLIVAN - Saturday 11 September, 7.30pm, Ss Philip & James Church. An hour of Gilbert and Sullivan including "Trial by Jury" in aid of all Saints Fund. Tickets £15 (to include refreshments) can be reserved, preferably by emailing anne.smith33@btinternet.com or ringing 01252 624171. Numbers will depend on regulations at the time.

JOB OPPORTUNITY - Waverley Abbey College are advertising for a Programme Administrator, see <https://www.charityjob.co.uk/jobs?location=farnham&radius=10&cause=faith-based> for details.

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.



NOTES ON THE READINGS FOR SUNDAY 11 JULY

Amos 7.7-15

This was written after the golden years of King Solomon before the Babylonian Exile when King Jeroboam was being a very unsatisfactory king of Israel. The image of a plumb line (it being one of a number of images) implies a building badly in need of restoration.

Psalms 85.8-13

This is a psalm that promises the returning exiles from Babylon the peace of the Messianic Age foretold by the prophets Isaiah and Zechariah.

Ephesians 1.3-14

It is now thought that this letter was not exclusively addressed to the church at Ephesus but rather a circular letter to be read by many. Paul here gives an extended blessing and a summary of the works of the Spirit.

Mark 6.14-29

This story is full of allusions to the life of Christ himself: a warning of the cost of discipleship and rising from the dead. Also it illustrates how a major wrong can be allowed to happen by adhering rigidly to a political expediency.

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