



News Sheet for 26 October – Last 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. 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 we have just one service in the parish – The Parish Eucharist at P&J at 10am.

Next Saturday (1st November) we will be holding our annual service of 'Hope and Remembering' at All Saints at 3pm. This is an opportunity for all to remember their departed loved ones by name. Do come along if you would like to.

Next Sunday (2nd November) at 6.30 pm in All Saints there will be a confirmation service conducted by Bishop Paul Davies, Bishop of Dorking. Five of our own candidates will be confirmed – Janette, Oscar, Matthew, Pearl, and Mollie. Please pray for them and please come to the service to support them if you can.

May God bless you all,

Mark

THIS WEEK

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

Sunday 26 Oct

Ss PHILIP & JAMES: 10.00am Parish Eucharist
Please Note: No Godly Play

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: No Service

Tuesday 28 Oct

11.00am Prayer Group, All Saints Church

Wednesday 29 Oct

9.30am Holy Communion Service, Ss Philip & James Church

10.00am-12.00pm All Saints Church open to visitors

Saturday 1 Nov

10.00am-12.00pm All Saints Church open to visitors

3.00pm Service of Hope & Remembering, All Saints Church followed by refreshments at the FPCC

Sunday 2 Nov

Ss PHILIP & JAMES: 8.00am BCP Holy Communion

ALL SAINTS CHURCH: 10.00am Parish Eucharist with Godly Play
6.30pm Confirmation Service

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.



READINGS FOR 26 OCTOBER

[Joel 2:23-end](#)

[2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18](#)

[Luke 18:9-14](#)

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: Anne Amos, Linda Dart, Ethan, Diana Handford, Michael Heard, Sylvia Honiwell, Janice Jose, Graham Kitts, Tyler Thompson, Victoria Willis.

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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, Diana, Harvey, Joan Hall, Dexter Heard, Jack, Jonah, Bonnie Lewis, Gill Page, Phillip, Peter Rogers, Anne Richardson, John Simson, Violet Slade, Dee Stephenson, Michael Standen, Eileen Taylor, Erica Taylor, Clare and family, Karen W, Barbara Willis.

Those who have died recently: Carol Symons, Josephine Chapman, Bob Lee.

Those from our two memorial books whose anniversaries fall at this time: Millist Vincent Winifred Peyton, Philip Musk, Desmond Leedham, Ernest Corps, Jack Carr, Anna McNeill, John Littlejohns, Marguerite Baker, Harry Fraser-Mitchell, Samantha Dickson, Betty Taylor, Rose Taylor, Len Waller.

PRAYER DIARY FOR WEEK BEGINNING 27 OCTOBER

Meditation: - 'For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.' Jeremiah 29:11.

We give thanks ... for all that God has in store for us.

Please pray....

- Mon** - for missions overseas – especially Ashanti, Christian Aid, Compassion, leprosy Mission and the AS school Gambia link.
- Tues** - for foster parents and those in their care.
- Wed** - for our Archbishop elect, Sarah Mulally and for the Anglican Communion.
- Thur** - for those who suffer with their mental health in the winter months. May the light of Christ give them hope and consolation.
- Fri** - for those who work in hospitality locally.
- Sat** - for those who have fallen under the influence of the occult or superstition. That they may be rescued by the Lord of Light and Life – Jesus Christ.

Sun ALL SAINTS DAY

for our Parish, and for All Saints School. For those to be confirmed today - Janette, Oscar, Pearl, Mollie and Matthew.

ALL WEEK for those who live in Turstin Drive, Twyford Close, Upper Froyle Drive, Upper Mount Street, Upper Weald Drive, Upton Grey Drive.

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.

SERVICE OF HOPE AND REMEMBERING - Will be held on Saturday 1 November at 3pm at All Saints Church. If you would like a loved one's name to be read out at the service, there are sheets up in both churches and the FPCC for you to add their names to.

BABY SAINTS - Baby Saints will not meet this week due to half term break. Will resume on Wednesday 5 November at FPCC, 10.00am – 12.00pm. If you have or care for preschool children we'd love to see you.

CONFIRMATION SERVICE - There will be a confirmation service at All Saints on Sunday 2 November at 6.30pm. We will be presenting five candidates for confirmation, and we expect to be welcoming others from elsewhere in the deanery. Please pray for those to be confirmed and do come to the service to support them if you are able to.

ACTIVITY AFTERNOON - Many thanks to all who helped with welcome and craft and baking and serving tea last Saturday. We had a great time exploring the story of Zacchaeus together.

HART FOODBANK DONATIONS - Thank you for your gifts to the Foodbank. This week there is an urgent need for mashed potato – packets, sponge puddings, vegetarian meals, household cleaning - sponges, cloths etc., Pasta 'N Sauce packets, men's grooming - deodorant, shaving, razors etc.. Currently we do **not** need any water, sugar, flour or cereals. 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.

FLEET 10K RACE ROAD CLOSURES - Sunday 26 October, starting time of 9.30am. The route covers Fleet Road, Elvetham Road and Reading Road North and these roads will be fully closed for the duration of the event, with Fleet Road closed from 9am. It will be possible to cross Fleet Road at the Church Road junction until 9.25am. There is no morning service at All Saints, but this may affect your journey to P&J.

CHURCH ROAD CLOSURE DUE TO CARRIAGEWAY REPAIRS – On Monday 3 November 8.00am – 4.00pm. Vehicular access to property during works will be possible although there may be delays whilst hot materials are allowed to cool. Pedestrian access will always be available.

FPCC CARPARK CLOSURE – On Tuesday 4 November, engineers will be working on laying internet cabling for the FPCC. Please avoid parking in the FPCC car park.

KNITTED ANGELS - The year is flying by, isn't it!! Time to think about the fluttering of knitted angels in Fleet, in December! We need more than 1000 so I hope you knitters have your needles on standby! Bag of wool, patterns (both knitting and crochet in P&J Foyer and also in FPCC foyer). So please help yourselves.

It would be helpful to have any finished angels before the end of November, but later is also ok as we don't distribute them until mid/late December. Thank you, they are very special to lots of people in Fleet and bring much comfort, especially for those who find Christmas difficult. Sue Butterfield 07876640452.

REV RICHARD COLES AT GUILDFORD BOOK FESTIVAL – The event has been rescheduled for 12 November at Guildford Baptist Church. For tickets go to: Guildfordbookfestival.co.uk.

THREADS THROUGH THE CROSS - 25 September – 3 November at Guildford Cathedral. An inspiring textile exhibition by artist Jacqui Parkinson, For more details please visit - <https://www.guildford-cathedral.org/events/threads>.

STAMP ALBUMS – Three bound and unused, looking for a new home. If interested please contact the Parish Office.

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

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.

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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