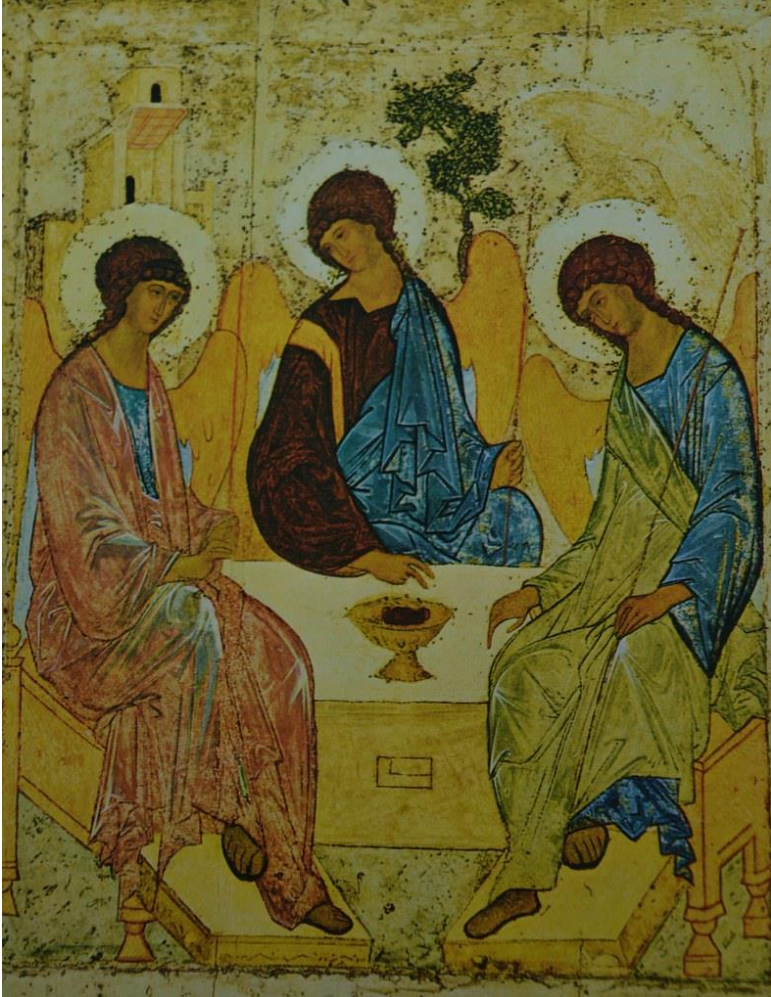


The Eucharist on Trinity Sunday



9.30am Sunday 7th June 2020

Today's service is led by Fr. James McDonald

WELCOME!

Although we cannot gather together the worship of the church continues. You may be joining in this service online. Welcome! You may be reading a hard copy of this service booklet. Welcome! Although we are physically distant we are still near each other in prayer through the intercessions and presence of Jesus. May his peace be with you and all those you are praying for at this time.

THE GATHERING

The Welcome and the Greeting

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Prayers of Penitence

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory: Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Woe is me, for I am lost: I am a person of unclean lips:
Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Your guilt is taken away, and your sin forgiven: Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Absolution

Almighty God,
who forgives all who truly repent,
have mercy upon you,
pardon and deliver you from all your sins,
confirm and strengthen you in all goodness,
and keep you in life eternal;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Gloria *Sung by the choirs of St Albans Cathedral – we join with them in praise!*



**Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest!
Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heav'nly King, almighty God and Father,
We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest!
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest!
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the most high, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest!**

The Collect *Fr James prays the special prayer for today:*

Let us pray.

A short time of silent prayer.

Almighty and everlasting God,
you have given us your servants grace,
by the confession of a true faith,
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity
and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity:
keep us steadfast in this faith,
that we may evermore be defended from all adversities;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Reading: Isaiah 40.12-17, 27-end

A reading from the prophet of Isaiah *read by Sandra Hunt*

¹² Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand and marked off the heavens with a span, enclosed the dust of the earth in a measure, and weighed the mountains in scales and the hills in a balance?

¹³ Who has directed the spirit of the LORD, or as his counsellor has instructed him?

¹⁴ Whom did he consult for his enlightenment, and who taught him the path of justice? Who taught him knowledge, and showed him the way of understanding?

¹⁵ Even the nations are like a drop from a bucket, and are accounted as dust on the scales; see, he takes up the isles like fine dust.

¹⁶ Lebanon would not provide fuel enough, nor are its animals enough for a burnt-offering. ¹⁷ All the nations are as nothing before him; they are accounted by him as less than nothing and emptiness.

²⁷ Why do you say, O Jacob, and speak, O Israel,

‘My way is hidden from the LORD, and my right is disregarded by my God’?

²⁸ Have you not known? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary;

his understanding is unsearchable. ²⁹ He gives power to the faint,

and strengthens the powerless. ³⁰ Even youths will faint and be weary,

and the young will fall exhausted; ³¹ but those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation



Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
one God, who was, and who is, and who is to come,

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

The Gospel: Matthew 28. 16-20

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁶ Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ.

The Sermon

The Creed *We declare our faith in the living God*

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,
source of all being and life,
the one for whom we exist?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Son,
who took our human nature,
died for us and rose again?

We believe and trust in him.

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit,
who gives life to the people of God
and makes Christ known in the world?

We believe and trust in him.

This is the faith of the Church.

This is our faith.

**We believe and trust in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.**

Amen.

Prayers of Intercession *written by Vivian Leger and read by Rachel McDonald*

This response may be used:

Lord, in your mercy
hear our prayer.

And at the end:

Merciful Father:
**accept these prayers,
for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Peace

Peace to you from God our heavenly Father.
Peace from his Son Jesus Christ who is our peace.
Peace from the Holy Spirit, the life-giver.

The peace of the triune God be always with you
and also with you.

Offertory Hymn

During the hymn please consider giving to All Saints, there is information about ways to do this in Signpost below. At the offertory we present both ourselves and our resources to be blessed by God and used in the service of his Kingdom.

The Preparation of the Table

Holy God,
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
give us the bread of everlasting life,
and make us branches of the true vine.
Amen.

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
always and everywhere to give you thanks,
holy Father, almighty and eternal God.

For with your only-begotten Son and the Holy Spirit
you are one God, one Lord.

All that you reveal of your glory,

the same we believe of the Son

and of the Holy Spirit, without any difference or inequality.

We, your holy Church, acclaim you,

Father of majesty unbounded,

your true and only Son, worthy of all worship,

and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.

Three Persons we adore,

one in being and equal in majesty.

And so with angels and archangels,

with cherubim and seraphim,

we sing for ever of your glory:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

God of power and might.

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

We praise and bless you, loving Father,

through Jesus Christ, our Lord;

and as we obey his command,

send your Holy Spirit,

that broken bread and wine outpoured

may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died
he had supper with his friends
and, taking bread, he praised you.
He broke the bread, gave it to them and said:
Take, eat;
this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine.
Again he praised you,
gave it to them and said:
Drink this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me.

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did,
in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice
made once for all upon the cross.
Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation,
we proclaim his death and resurrection
until he comes in glory.

Great is the mystery of faith
Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Lord of all life,
help us to work together for that day
when your kingdom comes
and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth.

Look with favour on your people,
gather us in your loving arms
and bring us with the Blessed Virgin Mary, St Alban
and all the saints to feast at your table in heaven.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours,
O loving Father, for ever and ever.

Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.**

Agnus Dei

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: grant us peace.**

The Invitation to Communion

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be healed.**

You may like to use the following words to reflect during the Communion:

We perceive that he diminished for us naught of the fulness of his substance; all that he took for us, he left to us. Others leave their heirs their possessions; he left us himself.

After St. Avitus of Vienna

The Prayer after Communion

Almighty and eternal God,
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
and live and reign in the perfect unity of love:
hold us firm in this faith,
that we may know you in all your ways
and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,
who are three Persons yet one God,
now and for ever.
Amen.

The Notices

The Blessing and Dismissal

God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love,
defend you on every side,
and guide you in truth and peace;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

Closing Hymn

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Signpost

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Team Administrator: Norma Howie 01923 266596 saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk *The office is open Monday & Wednesday 7.30am – 2.30pm, Thursday 12noon – 3pm and Friday 11.00am – 2.30pm.*

For baptism, wedding or funeral enquiries please contact Norma in the office.

The church building is currently closed in line with Government advice.

If you need any assistance or would like to chat, please ring the churchwardens or Father James.

SUNDAY 31st May: PENTECOST

9.30am *Video Eucharist, Fr James, followed by virtual coffee (see below)!*

Tue – Fri Live Stream Morning Prayer 8.30am & Evening Prayer 5pm (*Wed: Eucharist*)

Friday 10am Zoom Bible study (see zoom email invite)

SUNDAY 7th June: TRINITY SUNDAY

9.30am *Video Eucharist, Fr James, followed by virtual coffee (see below)!*

PRAYERS

Prayer Those who live in Whitlars Drive. Our fabric committee. Staff and members of the Services Club and members of Kings Langley Probus.

The sick* John Bachelor, Olive Darvill, Rosemary Dolman, Paul Habershon, Rosemary Huggett, Margaret Johnson, Vivian Leger, Mike Morgan, Beanie Reffold, Karen Rose, Kingsley Rothwell, Joan Ross, Charles & Sarah Smith, Joe Symes and Jackie Tuck. All those affected by the coronavirus pandemic.

RIP Roz Funnell and Jean Halls, remembering their families and friends and all who mourn.

** Names are held on this list for 2 months after which consent is reviewed. To be included contact any member of the LMDT.*

The Aumbry light is sponsored this week by Sandra Hunt in loving memory of her Father, Frank Crocker. *The Aumbry light can be sponsored in memory of someone, to celebrate an anniversary or for a prayer intention. If you are interested, please contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604.*

NOTICES

Saturday Bible Study 10am A second virtual session starts later in June for those who are unable to attend on Fridays. ***Please register your interest with Fr James.***

Virtual Collection During this difficult time All Saints must still pay its bills, fund its ministry and contribute to the wider church. We rely on your generosity. You can donate by card or Apple/Google Pay: scan the QR code (right) with your smartphone camera, select donation amount and choose Gift Aid if you are a UK taxpayer. To arrange a donation by cheque or bank transfer email allsaintstreasurer@btinternet.com



Giving to All Saints is especially important at this time when we are unable to hire out our hall or hold fundraising events. To review your giving, join our planned giving scheme or sign up to gift aid, please contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604

Virtual Coffee after church! 10.30am on Sundays via *Zoom* (church contacts will receive an email invitation).

Pastoral Care If you know anyone who is not on the church electoral roll but would like to be kept in touch with by 'phone, please tell Fr. James or the churchwardens. If you, or anyone you know, needs support or would like to offer it please tell us or contact **Kings Langley Good Neighbours:** www.klgna.org or 07790 668672

Sponsor Fr James who is waging 10,000 miles this month with Oxfordshire Army Cadet force, with whom he volunteers as a chaplain, to support the NHS. Head to their just giving page if you can donate: <https://bit.ly/2yDO8ix>

Sponsor Olive Darvill to count 2020 pieces of pasta at Friars Mead, who are raising money for a reunion party for the residents, staff and families once things are back to normal. If you can help, head to their just giving page: <https://bit.ly/2zt8kEt>

Sunday 21st June 10am Instead of our 9.30am service we will join the Alban Pilgrimage Eucharist live from St Albans Cathedral. Details nearer the time here: <https://www.stalbanscathedral.org/live-streaming-at-st-albans-cathedral>

Fundraising and social event!

Saturday 27th June 4.30pm: Afternoon Tea via Zoom. Details on ordering, payment and delivery coming soon. For catering purposes please contact Ingrid Allen by 21st June if you would like to join in. iruthallen@talktalk.net or 01923 268253.

Save the Dates: 9th August Benefice Service and BBQ – TBC
Benefice Quiet Day, 5th September – TBC

Website: www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/allsaints



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