

Psalm 128

- 1 Blessed are all those who fear the Lord, and walk in his ways.
- 2 You shall eat the fruit of the toil of your hands; it shall go well with you, and happy shall you be.
- 3 Your wife within your house shall be like a fruitful vine; your children round your table, like fresh olive branches.
- 4 Thus shall the one be blest who fears the Lord.
- 5 The Lord from out of Zion bless you, that you may see Jerusalem in prosperity all the days of your life.
- 6 May you see your children's children, and may there be peace upon Israel.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son

And to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be

World without end. Amen

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 2.1-11 GLORY TO YOU, O LORD!

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.' His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.' Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST!



Signpost

3rd Sunday of Epiphany - 21st January 2024
Welcome!

The Collect

Almighty God,
whose Son revealed in signs and miracles
the wonder of your saving presence:
renew your people with your heavenly
grace, and in all our weakness
sustain us by your mighty power;
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.

Post Communion

**Almighty Father,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the
light of the world: may your people,
illuminated by your word and sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped, and
obeyed to the ends of the earth;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for
ever.**

Amen.

A reading from Genesis 14.17-20

After his return from the defeat of Chedorlaomer and the kings who were with him, the king of Sodom went out to meet him at the Valley of Shaveh (that is, the King's Valley). And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed him and said, 'Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who has delivered your enemies into your hand!' And Abram gave him one-tenth of everything.

This is the Word of the Lord.

THANKS BE TO GOD!

A reading from the Revelation to John 19.6-10

Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a great multitude, like the sound of many waters and like the sound of mighty thunder-peals, crying out, 'Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready; to her it has been granted to be clothed with fine linen, bright and pure' — for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints.

And the angel said to me, 'Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.' And he said to me, 'These are true words of God.' Then I fell down at his feet to worship him, but he said to me, 'You must not do that! I am a fellow-servant with you and your comrades who hold the testimony of Jesus. Worship God! For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.'

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Office open Mon-Fri 8.30am-12.30pm.

The church building is open daily for prayer. 9.30am – 5pm.

The foodbank is open Tuesdays from 10 to 11.30am.

If you need any support or would like a visit or to receive Holy Communion at home, please contact the Wardens or Fr. James.

Children from nursery age are welcome to 'Saints on Sunday' which meets in the hall, unless there is an All Age service. The children go to their activities after the first hymn and return for Communion. Parents are welcome to take younger children out to the hall too. Toilets and baby change facilities are available off the hall corridor. There is also a **Children's Area** under the tower, with pew bags, books and toys.

Giving to All Saints

We rely on donations, and your support is appreciated.

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(right), select amount and gift aid. You can email allsaintstreasurer@btinternet.com to make a one off donation. To join our planned giving scheme or sign up to gift aid, contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604.



Services Today

9.30am All Age Eucharist

President Father James McDonald

Readers Carolyn Andrews
Andrew Laing

Intercessor Sheila Ashman

Organist Bertha Kum

Hymns 99, 343, 421, 440, 630

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

Tuesday 23rd January

10 -
11.30am Coffee Morning, Royal Chapel

10 -
11.30am Foodbank, Lady Chapel

Wednesday 24th December

10-
11.30am Tiny Tots Stay & Play

12:55-
1:30pm Summit Club at KLSS

7.30 pm Bell Ringing Practice

7.30pm Women's Group Meeting

Friday 19th January

10.-11.am Bible Study (Zoom)

6.30pm Choir Practice

Did you know?

You can hire our hall for parties, one-off events and for regular bookings? Head to the website to book <https://bit.ly/3yCo6rb>

Have you signed up to our mailing list?

Keep Up To Date with All Saints' - please follow this link <https://bit.ly/3YZhM8t>

Sunday 28th January 2024 Candlemas

9:30am Family Eucharist

4.30pm Come and Sing Evensong

The Third Sunday in Epiphany

For Your Prayers

Prayer Cycle: All who live in Jubilee Walk, those in the Men's Group and Women's Group and the Volunteer Fire Service Crews.

Please Pray For: Wendy Buckland, Tessa Cox, Olive Darvill, Nigel Gifford, Margaret Johnson, Brian Haynes, John Heal, Brigitte Hease, Vivian Leger, David and Jo Lidgate, Andrew Moon, Mike Morgan, Dennis Neate, Alison Paddon Hicks, Rosemary & Steve Moore, May Parker, Sheila Peevers, Jane Warner Kavanagh, Jack Mather, Jackie Tuck & Lauren Williamson.

RIP: All the recently departed.

NOTICES

Sunday 28th January:

4.30 Evensong followed by Refreshments - including cake!



COME AND SING EVENSONG

28 JAN 2024
ALL SAINTS,
KINGS LANGLEY

2PM PRACTICE
4:30PM SERVICE

Followed by refreshment

Music including:
Locus Iste (Bruckner)
Magnificat and Nunc in Bb (Stanford)
O Thou, the central orb (Wood)

Director of Music: Bertha Kum
Organist: Keith Beniston

We are excited to welcome you regardless
of your experience.
To sign up email Bertha at kum.bertha@gmail.com

Sunday 28th January at 3.00 p.m.

Kings Langley Methodist Church Songs of Praise. All welcome

The Revd Lizzie Hood

will be retiring at the end of April. Her farewell service will be on Sunday 28th April at 3pm at Holy Trinity.

The 100 Club January Draw winners were.....

1st 141 Mark Stannard

2nd= 129 Harold Rylott

2nd= 110 Lyndsay Jepsen

3rd 38 Barbara Hatch

Congratulations to them all.

Christian Aid prayers: Annual report now available

The Christian Aid annual report for 2023 is now available at: <https://www.kings-langley-churches.org.uk/Christian%20Aid.html#AR2023>

and hard copies are available on the slope at the back of church for those who can't access it online. Reading the report gives us the opportunity to give thanks for all that we were able to achieve together and recognise the way that God has led us. We now seek his guidance for the year ahead.

Church Foodbank – Please support this important resource for those in need. Please leave items in the basket on the table in front of the North Aisle Screen. In date non-perishable food or household essentials are much appreciated eg tinned meat, small cakes, laundry powder/liquid. For inspiration please see needs list: at <https://t.ly/VJUlr>

Looking to do something new in 2024?

There are a variety of opportunities to join in with the work of the church. - not all big jobs! Coffee after Service on Sunday, help with Tiny Tots, Fly the Flag, Drive someone to church on Sunday, become a Server for Eucharist, Welcome people to church, help clean our beautiful church (with a friend makes it more fun!) Do a spot of gardening in the churchyard, come make a lot of noise with the Bell Ringers.... Just ask someone!