

## Psalm 66, 1-8 Responsorial

- 1 Be joyful in God, all the earth; ♦ sing the glory of his name; sing the glory of his praise.  
2 Say to God, 'How awesome are your deeds! ♦  
Because of your great strength your enemies shall bow before you.  
3 'All the earth shall worship you, ♦ sing to you, sing praise to your name.'  
4 Come now and behold the works of God, ♦  
how wonderful he is in his dealings with humankind.  
5 He turned the sea into dry land; the river they passed through on foot; ♦  
there we rejoiced in him.  
6 In his might he rules for ever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; ♦  
let no rebel rise up against him.  
7 Bless our God, O you peoples; ♦ make the voice of his praise to be heard,  
8 Who holds our souls in life ♦ and suffers not our feet to slip.

## Hear the Gospel According to Luke

10.1-11, 16-20

### GLORY TO YOU, O LORD!

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go.  
He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.  
Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves.  
Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road.  
Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' and if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you.  
Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house.  
Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.'  
But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.'  
"Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me."  
The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!"  
He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning.  
See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you.  
Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

### PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST!

## Prayer After Communion

**O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining  
and whose power we cannot comprehend:  
show us your glory as far as we can grasp it,  
and shield us from knowing more than we can bear  
until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.  
Amen**



## The Collect

God our saviour,  
look on this wounded world  
in pity and in power;  
hold us fast to your promises of peace  
won for us by your Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen**

## A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

66.10-14

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her— that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom.  
For thus says the Lord: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees.  
As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.  
You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the Lord is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

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**THANKS BE TO GOD!**

## A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Galatians

6.7-16

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow.  
If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit.  
So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up.  
So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.  
See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand!  
It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ.  
Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh.  
May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.  
For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything!  
As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**THANKS BE TO GOD!**

# Signpost 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2025

## CONTACT DETAILS

**Team Rector:** Fr. James McDonald  
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Office open Mon-Fri 8.00am-12.00pm.  
The church building is usually open daily for  
prayer 9.30am – 5pm.  
**If you need any support or would like a visit  
or to receive Holy Communion at home,  
please contact the Wardens or Pastoral  
Support.**

**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.

## Pastoral Support

If you or someone you know needs pastoral  
support, including a visit or Communion at  
home, please get in touch with the Pastoral  
Group: Eric Martin, Sheila Ashman, Lynne  
Head, Brian McAdam or Nicola Isherwood.  
Email info@beneficeoflangelei.org.uk

## Giving to All Saints

We rely on donations, and your  
support is appreciated. Donate by  
card or Apple/Google Pay: scan the  
QR code (right), select amount and gift aid.  
Email allsaintstreasurer@btinternet.com to  
make a one off donation. Or to join our  
planned giving scheme or sign up to gift aid,  
contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604.



## Services Today

**9.30am** Family Eucharist  
**President** Father James McDonald  
**Organist** Bertha Kum  
**Hymns** 498, 103, 682, 518  
Fugue from Prelude and  
**Voluntary** Fugue in G, BWV 550 (JS  
Bach)  
**Readers** Marion Myers  
Rene Gardner  
**Intercessor** Brian McAdam  
**Duty Warden** Keith Gower

## THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July**  
10 - 11.30am Kings Langley Foodbank  
10 - 11.30am Coffee Morning in the Hall

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July**  
9am Morning Prayer  
10am Tiny Tots Stay & Play  
7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July**  
9am Morning Prayer  
9.30am Holy Communion  
10-11am Bible Study (Zoom)  
6.30pm Choir Practice

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> July - 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**  
9.30am Family Eucharist

**Morning services around the team**  
All are welcome to mid-week Morning Prayer  
and Holy Communion services  
Tuesday St Benedict's - 9am MP  
Wednesday Holy Trinity - 10am HC  
Thursday St Mary's - 9.30am HC

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 3pm**  
**Alice's farewell service**  
All are invited to join us for this Team  
Eucharist - followed by refreshments! - as we  
say goodbye to Alice and Coral. It will be  
lovely to see you there for this celebration of  
their time at St Marys and the Benefice.

# Third Sunday after Trinity

## For Your Prayers

**Please pray for our Team Ministry:**  
Father James McDonald, Mother Alice  
Jolley, Revd Jos Perris and Revd Dr Diana  
Stretton and all who support them.  
**Prayer Cycle:** For all those who live in  
Kingfisher Lure, All who are new to All Saints  
& the Farmers in Kings Langley.  
**Please Pray For:** Hazel Archer, Abbie Best,  
Phoebe Boyce, Barbara Brown, Tessa Cox,  
Olive Darvill, Margaret Dicks, James Esom,  
Hana Head, Margaret Johnson, Tim Groves,  
Brigette Hease, Vivian Leger, David and Jo  
Lidgate, Andrew Moon, Mike Morgan, Jean  
Osborn, Alison Paddon Hicks, Rosemary &  
Steve Moore, May Parker, Sheila Peevers,  
Sienna Marie Purvis, Amelie Sherman-  
Morley, Jackie Tuck, John Worby, Steve  
Wiggins and Lauren Williamson.

## NOTICES

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July - Church in the Wild**  
Please note there is no Church in the Wild  
today.

## Home Fire Safety

If you need help with a fire safety check or  
alarm maintenance please contact Hayley:  
[hayley.griffin@hertfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:hayley.griffin@hertfordshire.gov.uk) with  
your name, address and a contact number  
and she will arrange someone to come.

## Christian Aid prayers: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July Climate Change Mass Lobby

Please pray for this event which emphasises  
the link between climate change, poverty,  
and the need to protect God's creation.

## Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 12.30 pm

Bertha is giving a lunchtime organ recital at  
St Margaret, Lothbury. Programme includes  
JS Bach, John Stanley, Edward Elgar and  
Henry Smart. Free admission.  
All are welcome!

## Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 10am

**Teddy Bears Picnic**  
Outside - weather permitting.  
Bring your Teddy! End of Term for Tiny Tots

## 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> September - Beer & Fizz Festival Sponsor a Keg

We aim to cover as much of the costs of the  
festival as possible, so that more money can be  
raised for the church and charity. We are  
looking for local companies or individuals to  
'Sponsor a barrel' for £120. In past years some  
people have sponsored a barrel in memory of a  
loved one. If this is of interest, or you would like  
to know more please email/contact the office.

## Volunteers

The festival can only happen thanks to a small  
army of volunteers! If you would be willing to  
spare a few hours of the weekend volunteering  
in return for entry and some drink tokens please  
email/contact the office.

## Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September - Bike 'n Hike

Run by Beds & Herts Historic Churches Trust.  
For more info see [www.bedshertsht.co.uk](http://www.bedshertsht.co.uk). If  
you are interested in taking part, alone or part  
of a team, contact the office.

## The Aumbry Light

*The Aumbry light is the candle kept alight by the  
High Altar to mark where the Sacrament is  
reserved and can be sponsored to mark an  
anniversary, a celebration or for another prayer  
intention. If you are interested please contact  
Eric Martin: 01923 267604*

**Foodbank** – Thank you for all your donations.  
We have been very busy so would be grateful  
for the following that can be left in the basket  
on the table in front of the North Aisle Screen.  
In date non-perishable food and household  
essentials are much appreciated  
this week especially LL Milk,  
Coffee, Baked Beans, Soup and  
Toilet paper.  
For inspiration please see needs  
list at <https://t.ly/VJUIr>

