

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.
The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming
of the Lord's great and glorious day.
Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."
This is the word of the Lord
THANKS BE TO GOD!

A Reading from Romans

8:14-17

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

This is the Word of the Lord.
THANKS BE TO GOD!

Hear the Gospel According to John

14.8-17

GLORY TO YOU, O LORD!

Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

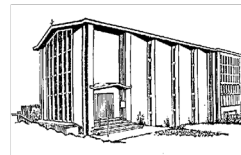
This is the Gospel of the Lord
PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST!

Post Communion

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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St Benedict's,
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Holy Trinity,
Leverstock Green



St Mary's,
Apsley



All Saints,
Kings Langley

Pentecost - Year C

8th June, 2025

The Collect

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord

Amen

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

2.1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

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Pentecost

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Prayer of preparation

Spirit of God, come among us, work within us.
Breathe life into our worship, love into our hearts, and light into our witness.
Cleanse us and make us new.
Touch us and make us whole.
Receive our worship in Jesus' name.
Amen

Holy Trinity church is open everyday

for private prayer and reflection from 10.00am to 4.00pm.

Children from Nursery age upwards are encouraged to join the Junior Church which meets in the Trinity Room, except when there is an 'all-age' service. Parents are welcome too! They go out to JC after the Collect prayer and return for Communion. There is a children's corner for tots at the front of church with toys, books and colouring, to be used under your own supervision. Toilets and baby change facilities are available through the Trinity Room.

Our services are live streamed. Cameras are focused on those leading the service. Any images of the congregation will be distant or in passing. Please sit on the far left if you wish to remain off camera.

Services Today

10.00am All-Age Eucharist

Presiding & Preaching Rev'd Dr Diana Stretton

Hymns HON 102, 233, 428, 652
Communion 595, 647

Junior Church N/A



This Week at Holy Trinity

Monday 9th June

7.30pm CA Group

Tuesday 10th June

7.30pm Trinity Men's Group

Wednesday 11th June

9am Morning Prayer

10am Communion Service

2pm Craft Group

7.30pm Fabric Committee Meeting

Thursday 12th June

10am Toddlers Church

7.30pm Events/Publicity Committee Meeting

Friday 13th June

7pm Choir Practice

Saturday 14th June

10am-12 Coffee Shop

Morning services around the team

All are welcome to mid-week Morning Prayer and Holy Communion services

Tuesdays St Benedict's - 9am MP

Thursdays St Mary's - 9am MP, 9.30am HC

Fridays All Saints - 9am MP, 9.30am HC

Sunday 15th June Trinity Sunday

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Readings:

Proverbs 8.1-4, 22-31
Romans 5.1-5
John 16.12-15

PRAYERS

... for the **Ministry Team** and especially for Mother Alice Jolley

... for the **sick:** Eileen Adams, Ann Beattie, June Buxton, Lawrence Blythe, Barbara Chapman, Phyllis Duncan, Amelie Flatt, Rich Gibbs, Kay Hawes, Linda Maynard, Rachel O, Florence Portugal, David Roberts, Pamela Sanvoisin, Alison Parkyns, Evelyn, Su and Christine.

... for the **departed:** We pray for the repose of the souls of the recently departed, especially Graham Weight, Rita Hones and those whose anniversary falls at this time. We pray for their families and friends and all who

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 15th June - Trinity Sunday BBQ! All are welcome to stay after the service on Trinity Sunday for a BBQ in the churchyard. Please sign up on the sheet in the Trinity Room if you are coming so that we know how much food to get. Please also sign up if you are able to bring a desert!

Sunday 15th June 6pm - TYG! We will be participating in the 'Churches Count on Nature' event as part of Love your Burial Ground Week. This is an annual event when we are encouraged to record the biodiversity present in our churchyards. TYG will be doing a nature count in the churchyard. New members welcome!
Sunday 29th June 10.30am - Team Eucharist at St Mary's. There will be no service at Holy Trinity on the 29th June - all are invited to celebrate the Eucharist as a team at St Mary's.

Sunday 29th June 4.30pm - Choral Evensong at All Saints Kings Langley followed by Fizz and Cake!

Saturday 5th July - Summer Fun Day

Please let Diana know if there are any items that you want included in the Bulletin.

NOTICES

Little Bears toddler group, St Benedict's Church Hall, Mondays 9-10.45

Little Bears is looking for volunteer helpers to be on the rota after the end of July. This need not be a weekly commitment. If no new volunteers can be found, it is likely that the group will stop running after Mother Alice leaves at the end of July. If you, or someone you know, might be able to lend a hand, please be in touch with Mother Alice. Thank you.

This Saturday(!) - 7th June Church Gardening Party

The team that look after the churchyard would welcome volunteers to come along on the morning of the first Saturday of the month to help out. If you can't come this month then maybe next!

Summer Fun Day - Saturday 5th July, 12-3pm in the churchyard

Time is getting very short so please bring your bottles to the Trinity Room or I can collect them. Please speak to Jos about promises of cakes, Mike & Eileen Heylin about Up Market Bric-a-brac (no pictures, electrical goods or books please), Gillian 07770874744 about booking a table top for £10. Please add your name to the sign up sheet in the Trinity Room to help on the day. We are eagerly waiting to hear from you.

Alice's Farewell Service

Sunday 27th July 3pm at St Mary's

All are invited to join us for this Team Eucharist - followed by refreshments in the refectory! - as we say goodbye to Alice and Coral. It will be lovely to see you there for this celebration of the last 3 years together.

This bulletin, with the notices, prayers and readings, is for you to take home to study at your leisure.