



WELCOME!

Family Eucharist

13th Sunday after Trinity 6th September 2020

Today's service is led by The Revd. Jos Perris

Although we cannot gather as normal the worship of the Church continues. You may be with us online or in person: Welcome! You may be reading a hard copy of this booklet: Welcome! If you are joining us in the church building, please observe social distancing and follow the directions of the Welcomers and the Wardens. If you need a gluten free wafer or Communion in your pew, please tell a Welcomer. May God's peace be with you and all those you are praying for at this time.

THE GATHERING

The Welcome

The President welcomes everyone. Organ music played by Jill McAdam.

Stand

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

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Prayers of Penitence *The president introduces the prayers of penitence.*

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.**

**We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name.**

Amen.

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 *is said by all*

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
We worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
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.
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.
Amen.**

The Collect *The President prays the special prayer for today:*

Let us pray.

A short time of silent prayer.

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
Now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Sit

Reading: Ezekiel 33.7-11

A reading from book of the prophet Ezekiel.

The word of the Lord came to me: ⁷ So you, mortal, I have made a sentinel for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. ⁸ If I say to the wicked, 'O wicked ones, you shall surely die,' and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand. ⁹ But if you warn the wicked to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, the wicked shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life. ¹⁰ Now you, mortal, say to the house of Israel, Thus you have said: 'Our transgressions and our sins weigh upon us, and we waste away because of them; how then can we live?' ¹¹ Say to them, As I live, says the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from their ways and live; turn back, turn back from your evil ways; for why will you die, O house of Israel?.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stand

The Gospel: Matthew 18.15-20

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

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁵ 'If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. ¹⁶ But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷ If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector. ¹⁸ Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹ Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. ²⁰ For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ.

Sit

The Sermon

Stand

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.**

Sit

Prayers of Intercession *written by Nicola Isherwood*

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

Stand

The Peace

We are the body of Christ.
In the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.
Let us then pursue all that makes for peace
and builds up our common life.

The peace of Lord be always with you
and also with you.

Offertory Hymn

At the offertory we present both ourselves and our resources to be blessed by God and used in the service of his kingdom. During the hymn please consider making a donation to All Saints.

You may find it easiest to do so after the service using the QR code below or the card reader at the back of church. If you are joining us online, you can use the donate button on our website: beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/all Saints/online-services/

1. Sweet Sacrament divine,
hid in thine earthly home,
lo, round thy lowly shrine,
with suppliant hearts we come;
Jesus, to thee our voice we raise
in songs of love and heartfelt praise:
sweet Sacrament divine.

2. Sweet Sacrament of peace,
dear home for every heart,
where restless yearnings cease
and sorrows all depart;
there in thine ear all trustfully
we tell our tale of misery:
sweet Sacrament of peace.

3. Sweet Sacrament of rest,
ark from the ocean's roar,
within thy shelter blest
soon may we reach the shore;
save us, for still the tempest raves,
save, lest we sink beneath the waves:
sweet Sacrament of rest.

4. Sweet Sacrament divine,
earth's light and jubilee,
in thy far depths doth shine
the Godhead's majesty;
sweet light, so shine on us, we pray
that earthly joys may fade away:
sweet Sacrament divine.

The Preparation of the Table

Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power,
the glory, the splendour, and the majesty;
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

**All things come from you,
and of your own do we give you.**

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 truly right and just, our duty and our salvation,
always and everywhere to give you thanks,
holy Father, almighty and eternal God.
From sunrise to sunset this day is holy,
for Christ has risen from the tomb
and scattered the darkness of death with light that will not fade.
This day the risen Lord walks with your gathered people,
unfolds for us your word,
and makes himself known in the breaking of the bread.
And though the night will overtake this day
you summon us to live in endless light,
the never-ceasing sabbath of the Lord.
And so, with choirs of angels and with all the heavenly host,
we proclaim your glory
and join their unending song of praise:

**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.**

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,
and as we follow his example and obey his command,
grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit
these gifts of bread and wine may be to us his body and his blood;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread
and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks;
he gave it to them, saying:

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.

Therefore, heavenly Father,
we remember his offering of himself
made once for all upon the cross;
we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension;
we look for the coming of your kingdom,
and with this bread and this cup
we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died: Christ is risen: Christ will come again.

Accept through him, our great high priest,
this our sacrifice of thanks and praise,
and as we eat and drink these holy gifts
in the presence of your divine majesty,
renew us by your Spirit, inspire us with your love
and unite us with Mary Mother of God, Alban and all the saints
in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord;

by whom, with whom, and in whom,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory be yours,
almighty Father, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Sit

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.**

Those in church will be invited forward by a Welcomer to receive Communion. Please remain in your pew until you are invited forward, making your way up the centre aisle and returning to your pew via the Lady Chapel.

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

He will utterly transform us who are partakers of himself into his own good, that is, into immortality.

after St. Cyril of Alexandria

The Prayer after Communion

**God our creator,
you feed your children with the true manna,
the living bread from heaven:
let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage
until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

The Notices

The Blessing and Dismissal

The God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ Jesus, establish, strengthen and settle you in the faith; 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

1. Ye holy angels bright,
who wait at God's right hand,
or through the realms of light
fly at your Lord's command,
assist our song,
for else the theme
too high doth seem
for mortal tongue.

2. Ye blessèd souls at rest,
who ran this earthly race,
and now, from sin released
behold the Saviour's face,
his praises sound,
as in his sight
with sweet delight
ye do abound.

3. Ye saints, who toil below,
adore your heavenly King,
and onward as ye go
some joyful anthem sing;
take what he gives
and praise him still,
through good and ill,
who ever lives.

4. My soul, bear thou thy part,
triumph in God above,
and with a well-tuned heart
sing thou the songs of love;
let all thy days
till life shall end,
whate'er he send,
be filled with praise.

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Signpost

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

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

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

SUNDAY 6th September: TRINITY 13

9.30am Family Eucharist (*Live-stream*) Jos Perris

Friday 10.00am Zoom Bible Study (see newsletter)
6.30pm Choir Practice

SUNDAY 13th September TRINITY 14

*No service at All Saints this week. Please join Revd. Richard at St. Benedicts at 10am. Please head to the **St Mary's** part of the website and click on the white 'St Mary's calendar' button: <https://beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/stmarys/>*

PRAYERS

Prayer cycle Those who live in Belham Road. Our Stewardship committee and all who enjoy being part of the Waterside Centre.

The sick* Chris Andrews, John Bachelor, Tessa Cox, Olive Darvill, Rosemary Dolman, Eric Don, Margaret Johnson, Vivian Leger, Jack Mather, Mike Morgan, Kingsley Rothwell, Joan Ross, Charles & Sarah Smith, Joe Symes and Yvonne Paddon.

** 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 this week is sponsored by *Harold Rylott in loving memory of his mother, Lily. The Aumbry light can be sponsored to mark an anniversary or for a prayer intention. If you are interested, please contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604*

NOTICES

Sunday Services From today we will be holding **one service in church at 9.30am** and increasing capacity to a maximum of 40. Thank you to the many people who took on extra duties to enable the two service pattern.

Bible Study Groups meet virtually on Fridays at 10am and alternate Saturdays at 9.30am. We are currently looking at the gospel of Luke. To find out more contact: Fr James (Friday) or Eric Martin (Saturday) 01923 267604.

Walking Quiz around Kings Langley for children of all ages! Quiz sheets are £2.50 and can be obtained via this link: bit.ly/ASKLquiz

Saturday 12th September Beds & Herts Historic Churches Trust Bike and Hike. Get sponsored to walk, cycle or drive to as many churches as you can in a day to raise money for All Saints. For more info please contact John Allen: 01923 268253.

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Saturday 19th September Market in the village garden 9am – 1pm. All Saints will run a tea/coffee stand and also sell cakes, jams, Quiz etc. Please contact Ingrid Allen if you can make cakes (Ingrid will give instructions on presenting these in a COVID-safe way) or have other Talents items to sell (see below!): 01923 268253.

Abbots Langley Library reopened on Thursday 27th Aug with revised hours Mon & Thurs 13.00 – 16.00, Tue & Fri 10.00 – 16.00, Saturday 10.00 – 13.00 Closed Wednesdays

Harvest of Talents Could you use your talents to help raise funds for All Saints? Bring your profits to Harvest festival 4th Oct. *More details in Keeping in Touch 13, 14 and 15.*

Giving to All Saints we rely on your generosity – you can donate by card or Apple/Google Pay: scan the QR code (right) with your smartphone camera, select amount (choose Gift Aid if you are a UK taxpayer). To make a one off donation email allsaintstreasurer@btinternet.com To review your planned giving, join our planned giving scheme or sign up to gift aid, please contact Eric Martin: 01923 267604



Pastoral Care 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

11th October APCM after the 9.30am Eucharist.

Website: www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk/allsaints



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