

A reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

12.1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says 'Let Jesus be cursed!' and no one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

This is the Word of the Lord.

THANKS BE TO GOD!

Hear the Gospel 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!

Prayer after Communion

God of glory,

you nourish us with your Word

who is the bread of life:

fill us with your Holy Spirit

that through us the light of your glory

may shine in all the world.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

*This bulletin, with the notices, prayers and readings is for you to take home to study at your leisure.
Please pray for the work of the church in this Parish. www.beneficeoflangelei.org.uk*



Signpost

Second Sunday of Epiphany - 19th January, 2025

Welcome!

The Collect

Almighty God,

in Christ you make all things new:

transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace,
and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory;
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.

A reading from the book of Isaiah

62.1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,

and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,

until her vindication shines out like the dawn,

and her salvation like a burning torch.

The nations shall see your vindication,

and all the kings your glory;

and you shall be called by a new name

that the mouth of the Lord will give.

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord,

and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

You shall no more be termed Forsaken,

and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;

but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her,

and your land Married;

for the Lord delights in you,

and your land shall be married.

For as a young man marries a young woman,

so shall your builder marry you,

and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,

so shall your God rejoice over you.

This is the Word of the Lord.

THANKS BE TO GOD!

Psalm 36.5-10

5 Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens ♦ and your faithfulness to the clouds.

6 Your righteousness stands like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep; ♦ you, Lord, shall save both man and beast.

7 How precious is your loving mercy, O God! ♦ All mortal flesh shall take refuge under the shadow of your wings.

8 They shall be satisfied with the abundance of your house; ♦ they shall drink from the river of your delights.

9 For with you is the well of life ♦ and in your light shall we see light.

10 O continue your loving-kindness to those who know you ♦ and your righteousness to those who are true of heart.

Signpost 19th January, 2025

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Office open Mon-Fri 8.30am-12.30pm.
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 Canon Tim Lomax
Organist Bertha Kum
Hymns 486, 343, 453, 448, 704
Readers Claire China
Eric Martin
Intercessor Carolyn Andrews
Duty Warden Andy Wragg

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

Tuesday 21st January

10 - 11.30am Foodbank in Church
10 - 11.30am Coffee Morning in Church

Wednesday 22nd January

9am Morning Prayer
10am Tiny Tots Stay & Play
7pm All Saint's Women's Group
7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice

Friday 24th January

10.-11.am Bible Study (Zoom)
6.30pm Choir Practice

Sunday 2nd February at 4.30pm Candlemas Choral Evensong

Followed by refreshments please see poster.



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Sunday 26th January Third Sunday of Epiphany

9:30 Family Eucharist

The Second Sunday of Epiphany

For Your Prayers

Please pray for our Team Ministry,
especially Revd Dr Diana Stretton who is
joining our team in April with responsibility
at Holy Trinity.
Prayer Cycle: For all those who live in
Belham Road, all who use the church hall
and the Evergreens and Lunch Clubs.
Please Pray For: Hazel Archer, Abbie Best,
Phoebe Boyce, Tessa Cox, Olive Davrill,
Mark Dorett, Margaret Johnson, Tim Groves,
John Heal, Brigette Hease, Vivian Leger,
David and Jo Lidgate, Andrew Moon, Mike
Morgan, Jean Osborn, Alison Paddon Hicks,
Rosemary & Steve Moore, May Parker,
Sheila Peevers, Jackie Tuck, Steve Wiggins
and Lauren Williamson.
RIP: Patricia Angiolini

NOTICES

Sunday 26th January at 3pm

Songs of Praise at KL Methodist Church
Followed by tea and cake.

Do you have time/energy to spare?

Could you be a more active part of our
church family? There are a variety of op-
portunities to join in with the wider work of
the church. Just speak to a Warden or con-
tact the office.

Pray Hemel

Saturday 1st February we meet at AFC
(Adeyfield Free Church, located on the
Maylands Plaza in the heart of the Maylands
Business Park HP2 4GZ) where refreshments
will be served from 8am with worship
starting at 8.30 am.

If you park in the upper, entrance level,
please register your car at the church to
avoid a fine. If you park at the lower level
go to the far end nearest the church; please
use spaces labelled AFC.

Some of my friends are enjoying (?) a dry
January; seems the weather didn't get the
e-mail. Whatever you are doing, rejoice,
enjoy and even have fun.

Bob , pp the PH team

Around the Benefice

Saturday 8th February at 7.30 pm
Fun Wine Tasting £15 at Holy Trinity.
Contact Terry terjerry@aol.com

You may wish to put this date in your diary:
Memorial Service of Thanksgiving
for the Life of **Keith Johnson**
8th March, 2025 at 12 noon
All Saints Church, Kings Langley, WD4 8JS

Christian Aid Prayers - As we begin a new year,
we look ahead to our planned activities locally
and our hopes for the world. Our first activity is
the Community Quiz on February 7th at the
Services Club and we are well under way in
assembling our teams. Please pray for this and
that throughout the world we might all know
peace, hope and justice and God's Kingdom will
come. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Key Safe for Vestry For good housekeeping
and security, the code for the key safe will be
changed in the week of 20 January. If you use
the key safe, will you please contact Sheila
Ashman so that she can let you know the new
number. A record of who has the number and
why, will be kept so please let her know this
too. This will mean that when the number is
changed next year, she will know who to
contact. ☎ 07785 516690 and
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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.*

Church Foodbank – Please leave items in the
basket on the table in front of the North Aisle
Screen. In date non-perishable food and
household essentials are much appreciated,
especially cereal, micro rice, custard
baby wipes & toilet paper.

For inspiration please see needs list
at <https://t.ly/VJUlr>

