



# St. Luke's Church, Maidenhead

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**Week commencing: 1st July 2018**

**Trinity 5**



## WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

**8.00am Holy Communion**

**10.00am All Age Holy Communion**

President: Revd. Nicola Hulks

Preacher: Revd. Nicola Hulks

**6.00pm** Sundays at Six: Service of Wholeness and Healing, at All Saints

If you are new to St. Luke's please do make yourself known to the ministers or a member of the Welcome Team, who can give you a contact card to complete. Please do join us after the 10.00am service for coffee which will be served in the fellowship area at the back of church.

### **You might like to know that...**

... our Baby and Toddler area is at the front with quiet toys and books. Do feel free to sit there with your children. For older children we have activity bags so that they can sit with you in the pews, just ask a sidesperson for one.

... we have large print orders of service and hymn books. If you would like one please ask someone wearing a name badge.

... we have a loop system for those using hearing aids.

... the toilets are through the double doors at the front of church.

... if you would like to receive an intincted wafer at communion please come to the south side of the altar and indicate to the minister.

... we have many activities going on during the week. For a full list please ask a person with a name badge

... we send out a weekly email update. If you would like to be added to the list please email the Parish Office on [admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk)

**Pastoral Care:** If you have or know of any particular pastoral need (visiting, home communion, etc) please speak to our Pastoral Coordinator, Sue Hinchliffe in the first instance (01628 784724).

## **The Readings for Trinity 5**

### **A Reading from 2 Corinthians**

You excel in everything – in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you – so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking.

I do not say this as a command, but I am testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. And in this matter I am giving my advice: it is appropriate for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something – now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has – not according to what one does not have. I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may be for your need, in order that there may be a fair balance. As it is written, 'The one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little.'

*2 Corinthians 8.7-15*

### **A Reading from the Gospel of Mark**

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the lake. Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet and begged him repeatedly, 'My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live.' So he went with him. And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. Now there was a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years. She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, for she said, 'If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well.'

Immediately her haemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, 'Who touched my clothes?' And his disciples said to him, 'You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, "Who touched me?"' He looked all around to see who had done it. But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. He said to her, 'Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.'

While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say,

'Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?' But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, 'Do not fear, only believe.' He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. When he had entered, he said to them, 'Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.' And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. He took her by the hand and said to her, 'Talitha cum,' which means, 'Little girl, get up!' And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

*Mark 5.21-43*

### **Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God,  
by whose Spirit the whole body of  
the Church  
is governed and sanctified:  
hear our prayer which we offer for  
all your faithful people,  
that in their vocation and ministry  
they may serve you in holiness and  
truth  
to the glory of your name;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus  
Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### **Post Communion**

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you,  
that the course of this world may be  
so peaceably ordered  
by your governance,  
that your Church may joyfully serve  
you in all godly quietness;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



### **Hymns**

P: sht	O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness
Peruvian Gloria	
G: sht	Father, I place into your hands
O: sht	Christ's is the world (touching place)
HC: sht	There's a wideness in God's mercy
R: sht	Amazing Grace

**The floodlighting has been sponsored this week by:**

*Mr T Autos*



**What's happening...? See below, and check out our website too [www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](http://www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk)**

## **WORSHIP AND SPIRITUALITY**

**Rest In God** - A Retreat Morning at St Luke's Saturday 28th July 9.30-12.30. All are welcome for a morning retreat in church on finding rest, wholeness and refreshment in our lives through our spiritual practice. Led by Revd Nicola and some members of our congregation we will explore, through practical workshops, a number of ways to find greater rest in God including silent prayer, contemplation and Christian mindfulness. Free of charge. Please sign up at the back of church to reserve your space.

**Knitted poppies:** This year the W.I. will be helping us to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the end of WWI by displaying knitted or crocheted poppies and around church. If you would like to contribute some poppies too please take a pattern from the back of church and knit one / some over the summer. Please deliver your knitted poppies to church by mid-October.

## **INFORMATION**

**Please note that Revd Sally is on sabbatical leave until 4th September. In her absence Revd Nicola is your first port of call.**

**A note from Janet:** I would like to thank everyone for their prayers and cards I received since David's death. They are an immense comfort and the love and care I received is wonderful. Thank you all. Janet Trinkwon

**Parish Year Book:** A copy of the new parish year book was emailed out with the weekly email on Wednesday. There are a few printed copies available at the back of church. Email the parish office if you would like a pdf copy.

**Holy Land pilgrimage:** the pilgrimage planned for this coming October will not go ahead due to insufficient numbers. We hope to take a group on September 2019 – details in the Autumn.

**Finance:** at Standing Committee last week our treasurer reported that we are currently looking at a large general fund deficit at the end of the year. This is the result of a number of factors and we need, as a whole church, to address our finances positively. There are two immediate opportunities to do that:

- Prayer (both personal and corporate)
- We will have an open church meeting on **Tuesday 25th September** at

8.00 pm (in place of the Lettings – and others – task group) to explore our response to our finances.

**Kori AGM:** Tuesday 3rd July at 8.15pm in the Fellowship area of church. All welcome. Johanna

## **SOCIAL and FUNDRAISING**

**An invite from Sue Hinchliffe:** "I would like to invite my "Church family" to join me on Sunday 8th July to help celebrate my birthday with cake and a glass after the service. "

**Piano Recital:** Pianist Jonny Lane will be giving a piano recital on Sunday 22nd July at 3pm. Tickets are £5 and include a cream tea.

**Local Community Fund:** A reminder that in 2018 the Co-op makes a donation to St Luke's on own brand goods for members. The first instalment of £425.35 has been received. Don't forget to join if you shop there.

**Community meal:** On the last Tuesday of every month from 5.30pm–6.30pm in the Fellowship area of church, everyone is welcome.

**Stretch and Breathe–** New term: Weekly Friday Morning Stretch and Breathe sessions (approximately one hour) followed by optional coffee resume on Friday 1st June. The classes are suitable for more senior members of our community, beginners, those recovering from illness or injury, and also for those where stretching and breathing exercises may help in the management of specific conditions.

The cost is £35 for 5 sessions (taken over a seven-week period to allow for life) or £9 per single session. Join at anytime. For any further information please contact Paula Clayton-Nuth on mobile: 07843016641 or email: paula@theapplestudio.eu. Please note Wednesday evening yoga classes at 6.30pm have also now restarted.

**Events Diary:** Please see the news sheet with a whole series of events over summer and autumn. We can now confirm that the Neil McGregor talk will take place on Thursday 29th November.

**Stars and Sparks Charity Event:** On Sunday 8th July the Stars and Sparks will be selling cakes and lemonade after church to raise money for Great Ormond Street hospital and Macmillan. Please bring your spare change.

**Summer Holiday day trip to London:** We are planning a day trip to London on Thursday 9th August. We will travel by train, bus, and tube and visit Trafalgar Square where there will be time for a brief visit to the National Gallery and picnic lunch/meal before going to St Martin in the Fields. There we will hear a performance and exploration of Tallis's famous choral work "If Ye Love Me", alongside other choral works reflecting on the text. We will then take a No 15 bus to the Sky Garden (Walkie-Talkie building) where we will be able to see the amazing views from the 38th floor. After this, those that wish can then attend Choral Evensong at St Paul's Cathedral, before making their way back home.

The day is open to all, but please note that any children that come must be looked after by a responsible parent or adult, and there will be fair amount of walking. The only costs involved are the Capitalcard train/bus/tube fare and any meals/refreshments, since entrance to the National Gallery, the concert, and the Sky Garden are all free. However we do need to know how many Sky Garden tickets to book, so if you would like to come on the trip please either send Ann Burdett an e-mail via [ann@aremb.com](mailto:ann@aremb.com) or give her or Richard a written note, with the name(s) of those you would like to reserve tickets for by Sunday 8th July.



**BROTHERS AND SISTERS  
IN CHRIST**



**For your prayers (to add anyone to the list, notify the office but please have the permission of the person being prayed for)**



- The ministry and mission of this church, and our year of mission.
- A deeper desire to read God's Word
- The Orthodox and Anglican church in Ethiopia and especially the work of FACE (Friends of the Anglican Church in Ethiopia)
- That Reverend Sally might have a fruitful and refreshing sabbatical
- Travis and Isaac who were baptised here recently
- Those whose anniversary of baptism fall in July: Zoey Nash, Maerose Lambert, Gethin Cox, Ella Cottrell, Aaliyah Tull, Hayden and Nathan Pearce, Mason Whittle, George Pankhurst, Noah Cameron
- All those who live and work in Northfield Road
- The sick and those who care for them: Stephen Sands
- Those who died recently, and those who mourn them: David Trinkwon, Priscilla Evans, Scott Keen
- Those whose anniversary of death falls in July: Diana Bradfield, John Draper, Siew Kee Bentley, Beryl Dandridge, Peter Emmons, Christopher Griffiths, Donald Theobold, Sidney Allen, Gillian Dawson, Raymond Palmer, Frederick Hayward, Ann Ringer, Cyril Vizard, Shirley Sattler, Dorothy Barnard, Ada Rolls, Barbara Ward, Jean Stevens, Edward Stevens, Kenneth Wheeler Kathleen Woodworth, , Janet Cheek, Andrew Ross.

## **This week at St. Luke's-**

Everyone is welcome to all our services and activities

**Monday 2nd July** 3.00pm Seeking Solace

*Office open 9.30-11.00am*

**Tuesday 3rd July** 8.30am Morning Prayer

*Office open 9.30-11.00 am* 7.15pm Holy Communion

**Wednesday 4th July** 8.30am Morning Prayer

*Office open 9.30—11.00 am* 10.00am Holy Communion

3.00pm Prayer Group

**Thursday 5th July** 8.30am Morning Prayer

5.00pm Evening Prayer

*Office closed*

**Friday 6th July** 10.15am Stretch and Breathe

*Office closed* 3.30pm Messy Church

**Saturday 30th June** 9.00am Morning Prayer



**Sunday, 8th July 2018 Trinity 6**

**8.00am Holy Communion**

**10.00am Parish Communion**

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**6.00pm: Sundays at Six: Simple Evensong, here**

## **Next weeks readings at 10am**

2 Cor 12. 2-10 Mark 6 1-13

**Next week's rota under Duty Warden:** John Salter

**Reader: NT:** Joan Harnby **Intercessor:** Phyllis Sigsworth

**Acolytes:** Michael Masango, Ben Darracott

**Elements:** Joyce Forest, Ruth Jones, Janet Trinkwon

**Chalice:** Sue Harbour, Jean Tyrwhitt-Drake

**Server at 8am:** Ralph Hinchliffe **Crucifer at 10am:** Gerry Knight

**Coffee:** Chris, Kristina, Isla and Scarlett

**Welcomers: 8.00 am** Joan Harnby

**10.00am** Peter and Eileen Goford,

Phyllis Sigsworth, Ann Burdett

St. Luke's Church Office is open Mon Tues, Weds, 9.30 am - 11 am

Deadline for entries for this weekly pew sheet is 9.00 am on Tuesdays.

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