



# St. Luke's Church, Maidenhead

[www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](http://www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk)

[This pewsheet is also available on the above website]

Church Office: 01628 622733

[admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk)

**Week commencing: 28th October 2018**

**Saints Simon and Jude**

**WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP**



- 8.00am Holy Communion**  
**10.00am Parish Communion**  
President: Revd. Nicola Hulks  
Preacher: Revd Sally Lynch  
**3.00pm Wind and Words– Keep the Home Fires Burning-Concert**

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 Simon and Jude**

### **A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Ephesians**

You are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

*Ephesians 2.19-end*

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

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

'If the world hates you, be aware that it hated me before it hated you. If you belonged to the world, the world would love you as its own. Because you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world – therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, "Servants are not greater than their master." If they persecuted me, they will persecute you; if they kept my word, they will keep yours also. But they will do all these things to you on account of my name, because they do not know him who sent me. If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have sin; but now they have no excuse for their sin. Whoever hates me hates my Father also. If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not have sin. But now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. It was to fulfil the word that is written in their law, "They hated me without a cause."

'When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.'

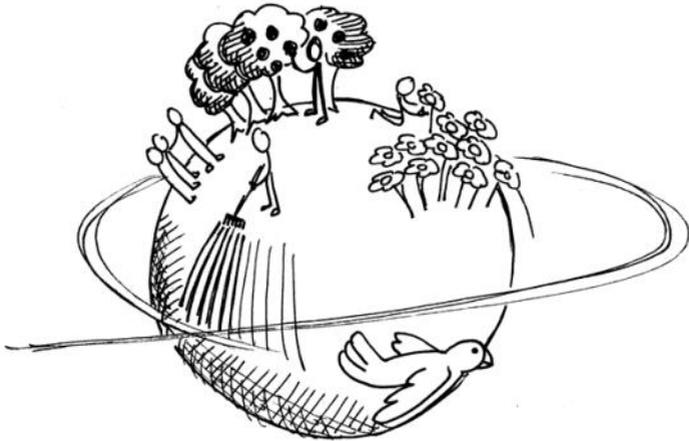
*John 15.17-end*

### **Collect**

Almighty God,  
who built your Church upon the  
foundation  
of the apostles and prophets,  
with Jesus Christ himself as the  
chief cornerstone:  
so join us together in unity of spir-  
it by their doctrine,  
that we may be made a holy tem-  
ple acceptable to you;  
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.

### **Post Communion**

Almighty God,  
who on the day of Pentecost  
sent your Holy Spirit to the  
apostles  
with the wind from heaven and in  
tongues of flame,  
filling them with joy and boldness  
to preach the gospel:  
by the power of the same Spirit  
strengthen us to witness to your  
truth  
and to draw everyone to the fire  
of your love;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



**The floodlighting has been sponsored this week by:**  
The Darracott and Goford families

*To celebrate their sons Ben & Morgan's 40th birthdays*



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

## **WORSHIP AND SPIRITUALITY**

### **This morning's hymns at 10am:**

P: 395 Christ is our cornerstone  
G: 391 Blest are the pure in heart  
O: 208 parts 2, 3 and dox Christ is made the sure foundation  
HC: 215 For all thy saints, O Lord  
R: 538 O Jesus I have promised

**Remembrance Sunday** is on 11th November this year and especially poignant as we commemorate the centenary of the end of World War I. We have a special Sundays at Six service here at St. Luke's that evening (at 6pm). The High Sheriff of Berkshire and other guests will be join us, and members of the Church of the good Shepherd and All Saints. Please do come along to that service, which will be followed by refreshments.

**Baptism Contactors:** We have set a meeting for Thursday 8th November at 8pm in church to talk through some ideas and begin some 'training' for baptism contactors. Please do come along if you'd like to.

**Mini Teaching series: Biblical women.** This final session in this series is on Thursday 1st November, 8.00 pm in church. Everyone is warmly invited.

**Memorial Service:** 4th November, 4pm. The list of names to be remembered and read out are at the back of church (as last year). Please tick names that you would like to be read out this year and add any not on the list.

**Come and Sing Psalms for the Common Era:** A chance to sing through psalms re-written to familiar tunes on **Saturday 10th November, 9.30 am—4pm, £7.50 pp** here (bring a packed lunch, drinks and cake provided). Please book a place by emailing [admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk). This will be a really good day led by the Revd. Dr. Adam Carlill from Tilehurst – do come along and bring friends. Booking is essential so that we can provide resources. If you would like to purchase a copy of the book that we will be using the details are as follows: *Psalms for the Common Era : Complete Psalter Anglican Edition: Hebrew Psalms in Modern Metrical English for Individuals, Choirs and Congregations.* By Dr Adam Carlill, ISBN-13: 978-1983076534

**Living and Praying with the Psalms:** Saturday 1st December, at All Saints church. Led by Revd. Dr. John Bell of the Iona Community this day will be very popular so please sign up asap here in church. £5 pp – please pass payment before the day to the Parish office.

**Knitted poppies:** Thank you to everyone who knitted poppies. These have now been collected by the WI and we look forward to seeing the finished display.

**Inspire magazine:** The next issue of our church magazine will be out in time for the Christmas Tree Festival. Please send me your articles and / or pictures to [inspire@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:inspire@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk) **by 9pm on Wednesday 7th November**. Please note that I cannot accept submissions beyond the deadline. Thank you. Louisa Ellins, Editor

## **INFORMATION**

**Email update:** At the end of the summer we updated our email update list in line with the new data protection regulations (GDPR). If you are no longer receiving our weekly email update and would like to, please speak to Ruth in the parish office on 01628 622733, [admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk). Thanks.

## **SOCIAL and FUNDRAISING**

**Thank you:** Janet and Jilly would like to thank all the many friends who supported their Afternoon Tea on Monday 22nd. It was a very warm and comforting occasion especially as much of the food was donated and folk rallied round to help. We do hope you all enjoyed having a get-together and chat as a church family. There is still a strong family bond here at St. Luke 's. Long may it continue . Janet and Jilly.

**Christmas Day Lunches:** Churches Together in Maidenhead are keen to hear from volunteers to help with their Christmas Day Lunch for the elderly lonely at the SportsAble venue in Braywick Road. There are opportunities to drive, serve food and befriend guests at this celebration. Please contact Lily Peacock, volunteer coordinator, on [lilyandwinniectim@gmail.com](mailto:lilyandwinniectim@gmail.com) or telephone (home) 01628 623362, (mobile) 07794 397132

**Kori Stitch up:** on Thursday 1st November from 2-4pm in the Community Hall, as usual. Come along for a sociable afternoon to help this area of rural Sierra-Leone. Tea and cakes and chat, as usual. Gill Curry. 01628 625196

**Advent Calendar Collection:** E Sergent & Son are collecting chocolate advent calendars and selection boxes on behalf of Foodshare. If you would like to donate an item please drop it off at office 118 Highstreet, Maidenhead before 19th November.

## Dates for your diary

**Christmas Tree Festival:** 7th—9th December

**Winter Wonderland:** An evening with St. Luke's Choir, Friday 7th December, 7.30 pm, cost TBC

**Autumn Talk series (all free, with retiring collection) see flyers for details**

**Mike Wooldridge, former BBC reporter**

Tuesday 13th November, 7.45 pm, coffee from 7.15 pm.

Please note there will be no Holy Communion service this evening

**Neil McGregor: 100 Objects**

Thursday 29th November, 7.45 pm, coffee from 7.15 pm.

**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
- Bishop Andrew and Janice as they prepare for retirement in 2019
- The Orthodox and Anglican church in Ethiopia and especially the work of FACE (Friends of the Anglican Church in Ethiopia)
- Rosie and Austin who were baptised here recently
- Amaya, Mabel and Noah who were baptised here last week
- Those whose anniversary of baptism fall in October: Willow, Dylan, Amelia-Lilly, Georgia and Lily
- All those who live and work in Ray Mill Road West
- The sick and those who care for them: Stephen Sands,
- Those who died recently, and those who mourn them: Elizabeth Shailes, Janice Neaves, Dorothy Herbert
- Those whose anniversary of death falls in October: Gerard Beattie, Beryl Bunce, Daisy Cole, Philip Littlejohn, Beryl Burrows, Betty Clutterbuck, Charles (Len) Harvey, Thomas Yates, Eileen Rance, Albert Harvey, Ruth (Sally) Roberts, Marian Brooks, Walter Sucking, Phyllis Clayden, Vera Swadling, Ernest Philips, Gilbert McKenna, Barbara Prior, Michael Adamson, David Garnett, Richard Burrows.

## INFORMATION

**Safeguarding training:** The Diocese of Oxford is working towards creating a Church which is safer for everyone. There have been some significant changes in the safeguarding training modules and expectations for all Church of England communities. To that end a number of training modules have been developed. The basic ones are available to all church members and more advanced ones are essential for those who work with Once you have completed a module please email Dorothy Strack Hankey, Safeguarding officer,

**[safeguarding.stlukes@outlook.com](mailto:safeguarding.stlukes@outlook.com)**

to let her know so that she can update our records.

If you would prefer to come into the parish office and have someone work through the unit with you please email or ring Ruth and she can arrange that.

We are arranging the next levels of training (which are face to face) for those who need it, next Spring, so please can everyone complete levels CO and CI **by 31st December**. Thank you. Revd. Sally

young people or vulnerable folk (which is quite a lot of us!). **We strongly advise all members of the congregation to register for the first unit (CO Basic Awareness) which can be completed online.** Many people will also need to complete CI (Foundation) which may also be done online. Team leaders will advise who should do this – but anyone can register to do so.

To access this e-learning:

- Go to: <https://safeguardingtraining.cofeportal.org/>
- Select 'online courses'
- Select C0 or CI
- If you have not used the e-learning before then you will need to register as a new user. Click on 'create new account'
- Create username and password
- Enter your email address and confirm this
- First name and surname
- City and country
- Diocese- select from drop down list
- Training institute-if not part of a training institution select 'Not part of a training institution' which is option 1 in the drop down menu
- Enter your parish name and church role

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

Everyone is welcome to all our services and activities

### **Monday 29th Oct**

*Office open*

### **Tuesday 30th Oct**

*Office open*

8.30am Morning Prayer

7.15pm Holy Communion

8.00pm Standing Committee

### **Wednesday 31st Oct**

*Office open*

8.30am Morning Prayer

10.00am Holy Communion

and Prayer for Healing

### **Thursday 1st Nov**

*Office closed*

8.30am Morning Prayer

5.00pm Evening Prayer

8.00pm Mini Teaching Series (Final session)

### **Friday 2nd Nov**

*Office closed*

8.30am Morning Prayer

3.30pm Messy Church

### **Saturday 3rd Nov**

9.00pm Morning Prayer

Charities Fair (Town Hall)



## **Sunday, 4th November 2018 All Saints Sunday**

**8.00am Holy Communion**

**10.00am All Age Holy Communion with baptism**

President: Revd Sally Lynch

Preacher: Revd Nicola Hulks

**12.00 noon Baptism**

**4.00pm Memorial Service**

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

Revelation 21.1-6a

John 11.32-44

**Next week's rota under Duty Warden:** Johanna Raffan

**Readers: NT:** Hilary Murwisi

**Acolytes:** Michaela Masango and Nicola Buckland

**Intercessor:** Stars and Sparks **Elements:** Kristina & Chris Smith and family

**Chalice:** Ben Darracott and Roger Clarke

**Server at 8am:** Roger Clarke **Crucifer at 10am:** Matthew Burdett

**Coffee:** Ann Darracott and Joan Harnby

**Welcome Team: 8am:** Ann Hockham

**10am:** John and Rita Salter and Garth, Dina, Rosa and Carla,

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.

Administrator: Ruth (01628) 622733

Vicar: The Reverend Sally Lynch (01628) 783033; Vicarage: 26 Norfolk Road, SL6 7AX