

8th July 2018

6th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am: Holy Communion
at Moulsham St. John's

10.00 am: 2nd Sunday Morning Worship

“The Story So Far - Abraham”

Leader and Speaker:

Revd Bridget Jenkinson

Reading: Genesis 12:1-9 Anna Wood

Intercessions: Richard Field

Sidesman: Janette Tadman

Sound: Helen Field

Coffee: Volunteers

Counters: Mike Tadman and Hilary Few

Duty Churchwarden: Richard Field

Organist: John Kingham

**6.00pm: MMU Service of
Choral Evening Song**
at St. Michael's, Galleywood

Key Messages from PCC:

The PCC met on Wednesday 27th June, the key messages from the meeting are:

1) Sue Davies has been appointed as the PCC member of Standing Committee, which is being rejuvenated together with a review of financial approval levels. This will mean that the PCC will spend less time on detailed management, ensure effective and faster decision-making and create a better balance of time spent between management and the spiritual life of St Luke's.

2) Permissions are being sought from the Bishop of Bradwell for Lucy, Richard, Bridget and Mike to become Authorised Local Preachers (ALPs). An ALP is someone whose gifts have been recognised by the congregation and the incumbent and invited to preach in their own church, who shares regularly in the preaching ministry rather than occasionally. Each ALP will preach under Revd Gemma's authority and has committed to undertaking appropriate training within the next three year period.

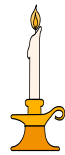
3) We received a comprehensive update about fabric matters. More decisions have been made about the electrical work. Consultation with the congregation about new halo lighting started last week and will continue for the next couple of weeks. A full update on the electrical work, fire alarm system, and the outside ramp will be provided to the congregation over coming weeks, which will include plans and diagrams. If you have any questions or comments please speak to any member of the PCC. The next meeting of the PCC is 25 July 2018.

Church Flowers and Living Light

If you would like to make a donation for flowers in Church or sponsor the Aumbry Light, perhaps in memory of a loved one, please speak to Mary Hoare (for flowers), Mary Marshall (for Aumbry) or one of the churchwardens.

LIVING LIGHT

The Aumbry Light for July has been sponsored in memory of Ernest Lewis †



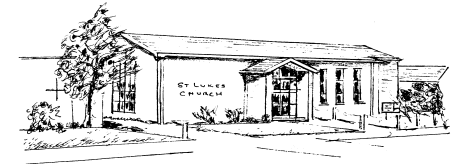
If you have any items for the Newsletter (including requests for prayer) please contact Janette Tadman 01245-469124; e-mail janettetadman@gmail.com
Deadline: Wednesday evening.

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St Luke's Weekly News

1st July 2018



Website: www.stlukemoulsham.co.uk
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WELCOME to St Luke's. Please stay for refreshments and fellowship in the hall after the service.

PLEASE TAKE THIS NEWSLETTER HOME WITH YOU

There will be a collection during the third hymn. If you are a taxpayer, please use a Gift Aid envelope, available from the sidesmen.

If however you give by Standing Order or are unable to give today, please just pass the basket on.

1st July 2018

5th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am: Holy Communion
at Moulsham St. John's

10.00am: Service of Holy Communion

“The Story So Far - Noah”

President and Preacher: Revd Gemma Fraser

Crucifer: Dave Thomas

Server: Janette Tadman

Chalice: Louise Whitehead

Readings: Genesis 6:9-14, 17-22 Jane and

Dave Chambers

Matthew 24:37-39

Intercessions: Revd Gemma

Sidesmen: Maxine Buck and Sharon Thomas

Sound: Mike Tadman

Coffee: Dave and Jane Chambers

Counters: Mike and Janette Tadman

Duty Churchwarden: Mike Tadman

Organist: Michael Davis

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.
Amen.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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.
Amen.

TO OUR VISITORS. Welcome to our service. The **hymn numbers** are displayed on the boards, and will also be announced. When we come to receive Holy Communion, please see the notes in our Order of Service, which are provided for your guidance. We like to mark **birthdays** by singing: “Happy Birthday to you: to Jesus be true. May God's richest blessing rest today upon you.” If it is your birthday this week, please tell one of the ministers!

The ministry of Prayer with Laying-on-of-Hands for Healing is available every Sunday. If you would like this for yourself or another, please speak to one of the Ministers or Churchwardens.

READINGS:

Genesis 6:9-14, 17-22

⁹ These are the descendants of Noah. Noah was a righteous man, blameless in his generation; Noah walked with God. ¹⁰ And Noah had three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth.

¹¹ Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight, and the earth was filled with violence.

¹² And God saw that the earth was corrupt; for all flesh had corrupted its ways upon the earth. ¹³ And God said to Noah, "I have determined to make an end of all flesh, for the earth is filled with violence because of them; now I am going to destroy them along with the earth. ¹⁴ Make yourself an ark of cypress^[a] wood; make rooms in the ark, and cover it inside and out with pitch.

¹⁷ For my part, I am going to bring a flood of waters on the earth, to destroy from under heaven all flesh in which is the breath of life; everything that is on the earth shall die. ¹⁸ But I will establish my covenant with you; and you shall come into the ark, you, your sons, your wife, and your sons' wives with you. ¹⁹ And of every living thing, of all flesh, you shall bring two of every kind into the ark, to keep them alive with you; they shall be male and female. ²⁰ Of the birds according to their kinds, and of the animals according to their kinds, of every creeping thing of the ground according to its kind, two of every kind shall come in to you, to keep them alive. ²¹ Also take with you every kind of food that is eaten, and store it up; and it shall serve as food for you and for them." ²² Noah did this; he did all that God commanded him.

Matthew 24:37-39

³⁷ For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. ³⁸ For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, ³⁹ and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man.

Money for St. Luke's

During the period 23rd June - 7th July, Chelmsford Co-op are running a double points promotion on food shopping on the Chelmsford Cooperative Community Card. Please remember to use your St Luke's Community Card - if you haven't got one, there are spares at the back of Church. More points means more 'free' money for St Luke's as the Co-op donate an additional 50% over and above our points converted into pounds!

Moulsham Lodge Clean Up

Wednesday 4th July,
10am - 12 noon,

Moulsham Lodge Co-op is organising a clean up. All equipment for litter picking will be provided. Could you volunteer to help? Or know someone else that could help? If so, please let Revd Gemma or one of the Churchwardens know.



PLEASE PRAY ESPECIALLY THIS WEEK



For: Win Jellicoe, Brian Roscoe, Joyce Stockwell, Joan Scrivener, Bob Wood, Margaret Judd, June Page and Tammy Thomas;

for those named on the prayer request board;

This week, we remember:

John Church (01.07.2004)

Lily Brown (03.07.2005)

Malcolm Moorhouse (06.07.1992)

Gordon Russell (07.07.2002)

Chapel of St Peter-on-the-wall, Bradwell

Reflective services with
prayer for healing.
All services are at 6.30pm.

July

1st - Evening Worship with the parishes of Bradwell, St. Lawrence, Tillingham & Dengie and the Ven. Elizabeth Snowden

8th - Evensong led by Camerata, music by Martin Taylor

15th - A Feather on the Breath of God - reflections from Hildegard of Bingen

22nd - The music of silence

29th - The poetry of healing

August

5th - Mindfulness for the soul

12th - Music and Healing

19th - Healing the land

26th - A celebration of Wholeness

THIS WEEK:

The church is open every day
for prayer.

Monday 2 July

Pray for postal workers

9.15am: Informal Morning Prayer at St. John's Vicarage using a collection of liturgy including Iona and Northumbria Community

Tuesday 3 July

Pray for Mallard Road

Wednesday 4 July

Pray for the Society of Friends

9.15am: Morning Prayer at St. Luke's using Common Worship liturgy

9.45am: Service of Holy Communion

1.15pm: Edward Bear Club

Thursday 5 July

Pray for Peace in Syria and
The Middle East

9.15am: Morning Prayer at St. John's using Common Worship Liturgy

Friday 6 July

Pray for the
Guides, Brownies and Rainbows

Saturday 7 July

Pray for Maple Drive

11.00am: Saturday Coffee

Saturday Coffee 7th July

On duty: Louise Whitehead

Join us for coffee and fellowship

