

5th August 2018

## 10th Sunday after Trinity

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

### 10.00am: Service of Holy Communion

## "The Story So Far: The Promised Land - the temple and kings"

*President and Preacher: Revd Sandy Southee*  
*Crucifer: Lucy Bubb*  
*Server: Janette Tadman*  
*Chalice: Sue Davies*  
*Readings: Joshua 1:1-9 Chris Fawcett*  
*Hebrews 9:1-15 Val Bliss*  
*Intercessions: Lucy Bubb*  
*Sidesmen: Hilary Few and Jane Chambers*  
*Sound: Mike Tadman*  
*Coffee: Mike and Janette Tadman*  
*Counters: Janette Tadman and Richard Field*  
*Duty Churchwarden: Lucy Bubb*  
  
*Organist: Michael Davis*

### 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.

### Church Rotas

It's time for Lucy to prepare the next set of rotas for September to December. Please can you help her by providing your availability **in writing** by Sunday 12th August (either pop a note into the churchwarden tray in the Sacristy or email to [Lucy.bubb@btinternet.com](mailto:Lucy.bubb@btinternet.com)). If you would like to join a rota - there's always room - then please speak to Gemma or the Churchwardens for more info.

### Summer Weekday Closure

From Monday 30th July until early September, the church and halls will be closed during the week while our electrical re-wiring work is undertaken. This is a significant and costly piece of work but we will reap the benefits! Please pray for Chris and his team as they make us safe and for all those involved in managing this work. Wednesday morning services will cease while the work is being undertaken. Saturday Coffee and Sunday services will not be affected. If you have any queries about the work or the closure, please speak to Richard, Mike or Lucy.

Chapel of St Peter-on-the-wall, Bradwell  
Reflective services with prayer for healing.  
All services are at 6.30pm.

### July

29th - The poetry of healing

### August

5th - Mindfulness for the soul

12th - Music and Healing

19th - Healing the land

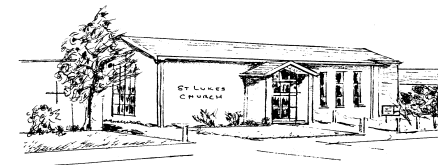
26th - A celebration of Wholeness

### Contacts

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## St Luke's Weekly News

29th July 2018



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Facebook: [www.facebook.com/Stlukesmoulshamlodge](https://www.facebook.com/Stlukesmoulshamlodge)

**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.

Sunday 29th July 2018

9th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am: Holy Communion  
at St. John's

10.00am: MMU Joint Service  
at St. John's

A service outside followed by a  
barbecue (weather permitting)

*There will be no service at  
St. Luke's this morning.*

### COLLECT

Almighty God,  
who sent your Holy Spirit  
to be the life and light of your Church:  
open our hearts to the riches of your grace,  
that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit  
in love and joy and peace;  
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.**

### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Holy Father,  
who gathered us here around the table of  
your Son  
to share this meal with the whole household  
of God:  
in that new world where you reveal the full-  
ness of your peace,  
gather people of every race and language to  
share in the eternal banquet of 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.

## Dates for your diary:

### SEPTEMBER

Sunday 9 September, 6pm for 6.30pm, CHS - MMU Evening Service (Praise and Worship)

Sunday 16 September - St Luke's Harvest Festival. This is a 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday so the service will be an all age communion.

Sunday 29 September - MMU Joint Service at St Michael's, Galleywood.

### OCTOBER

Sunday 14 October, 4pm for 4.30pm, St Mary's - MMU Evening Service (Songs of Praise).

Sunday 21 October - St Luke's Patronal Festival. We will be reflecting on where we as St Luke's have come from, inviting back previous clergy/congregation to celebrate.

Wednesday 31 October All Hallows Eve. We will be running a similar event to last year, standing outside Church, chatting to the community, offering hot drinks and sweets.

### NOVEMBER

Sunday 4 November - All Souls/All Saints. Our morning service will celebrate All Saints and All Souls.

Sunday 11 November - Remembrance Sunday. Although this is a 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday, the service will include Holy Communion.

Sunday 18 November, Stewardship Sunday. During the service we will focus on stewardship; time, skills and money.

Sunday 25 November, 4pm for 4.30pm - MMU Advent Reflections at St Luke's. We will be hosting this reflective service.

### DECEMBER

Saturday 15 December - New City Voices concert at St Luke's Church.

Sunday 16 December, 4pm - Community Carol Service.

Christmas Eve at 4pm - Crib Service.

Christmas Eve at 11.30pm - Midnight Service.

Christmas Day – 10am Holy Communion, led by Archdeacon of Chelmsford, Elizabeth Snowdon.

Sunday 30 December - There will be no service at St Luke's; there will be a lay led service at St John's and Revd Stephanie will lead a service at St Mary's.

Sunday 27 January – Christingle.

Posada – we will be organising the Posada again during Advent; starting time to be confirmed, with the Posada family returning to St Luke's at the Crib Service.

## PLEASE PRAY ESPECIALLY THIS WEEK



For: Win, Brian, Joan, Bob, Margaret, June and Tammy;

for the family of Joyce Stockwell† who died on Saturday 21st July. The funeral will be on 16th August at 11am at St. Luke's followed by burial at Great Baddow Lawns cemetery at 11.45am.

for those named on the prayer request board;

This week, we remember:

John Potts (02.08.2000)

Vi Tadman (04.08.2010)

### Key messages from July PCC Meeting:

1) St Luke's Social - the PCC agreed to host a social event for the congregation at Revd Gemma's on Wed 22nd August from 7pm. Please look out for a sign up sheet.

2) Newsletter changes - to ensure that we are compliant with the recently introduced GDPR regulations and advice from the Diocese, we will be removing surnames from our prayer request list in the newsletter.

3) St Luke's Patronal Festival will be on Sunday 21st October. We want to celebrate our past on this occasion and would like to have photo displays of all aspects of St Luke's and to invite past clergy, lay leaders and members of the congregation. If you can help with photos or names and addresses, please speak to any member of the PCC.

4) St John's development - we spent time talking and praying about the suggested St John's development and the impact on St Luke's and the MMU. We want to encourage everyone to pray for God's guidance.

## THIS WEEK:

The Church will be closed Monday to Friday throughout August for essential maintenance work to be carried out.

There is no Morning Prayer at St. Luke's or St. John's this week.

### **Monday 30 July**

Pray for abused and exploited children and children in care

### **Tuesday 31 July**

Pray for Juniper Drive

### **Wednesday 1 August**

Pray for Roman Catholics

### **Thursday 2 August**

Pray for Peace in Syria and The Middle East

### **Friday 3 August**

Pray for the Trudi Osborne School of Dance

### **Saturday 4 August**

Pray for Linnet Drive

11.00am: Saturday Coffee

### **Saturday Coffee 4th August**

On duty: Brenda Hudson

**Join us for coffee and fellowship**

