

Sunday 30th September 2018

8.00pm: Holy Communion at St. John's

10.00am: MMU Service at St. Michael's Galleywood

If you would like a lift to this service, please speak to one of the churchwardens

Licensing - St. Michael's Galleywood

Revd David Cattle, the new Vicar at St Michael's will be licensed at St. Michael's on Tuesday 2 October at 7.30pm. If you would like to go to the service, please sign up on the sheet on the noticeboard.

Tell Your Story - sermon series booklet

Over the summer, we had a ten week sermon series entitled "The Story So Far", journeying through the Bible from the very beginning all the way to Jesus and the birth of the Church.

There is now a booklet available at the back of Church to help you reflect on some of the things we talked about, with bible passages, key points raised, questions to ponder and short prayers. Please do pick up a copy to take home - we hope it's useful!

LIVING LIGHT

The Aumbry Light for September has been sponsored in memory of James Sackett (Janette's nephew)



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.

A prayer for changing times

Please use this prayer as part of your personal prayers each day as we discern God's plan for us here at St Luke's.

Lord, you are our helper, our rock, our salvation.

You are with us when we face challenge and opportunity.

As we enter this time of discernment, help us to feel your presence with us and to trust in you.

We know that you have plans for us; plans to prosper and not to harm, plans to give us hope and a future.

Guide us Lord,

show us the path you have set before us, give us wise and discerning hearts that long for your Kingdom here on earth.

Amen

St. Luke's Month of Prayer - The Future

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." *Jeremiah 29:11-13*

Church open and Prayer Stations available throughout September

Prayer Groups

Wednesday mornings 9am till 10.30am

Wednesday evening 26th September from 7.30pm

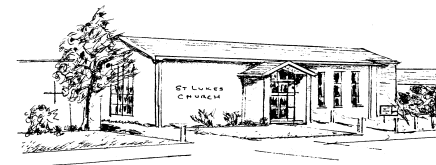
Please join us as we pray for our future

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St Luke's Weekly News

23rd September 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.

Sunday 23rd September 2018

17th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am: Holy Communion at St. John's

10.00am: 4th Sunday Service

Leader and Speaker: Mike Tadman

Reading: Mark 9:30-37 Louise

Whitehead

Sidesman: Hilary Few

Sound: Helen Field

Coffee: Jane and Dave Chambers

Counters: Helen Field and Mike

Tadman

Duty Churchwarden: Richard Field

Organist: Philippa Penkett

COLLECT

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:

pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; 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

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; 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.

READING:

Mark 9:30-37

³⁰ They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, 'The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.' ³²But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him.

³³ Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the way?' ³⁴But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, 'Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.' ³⁶Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷'Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

St Luke's Patronal Festival

Sunday 21st October 10am-3pm
All are welcome!

We'd love you to join us to celebrate our 40th anniversary as a Parish Church. We will be having our Patronal Festival service at 10am followed by lunch and a time for fun and fellowship with old and new friends. There will be displays of memorabilia and photos showing the life of St. Luke's past and present.

We really need you to look out your St Luke's memorabilia - any items that you have that will help to tell the story of St Luke's as a parish church over the last 40 years: photos, service booklets, cards, baptism gowns, wedding dresses, the list is endless! Please let Richard know what you can add to our displays, which will be created during Saturday Coffee on 20th October.

If you would like to join us for lunch on the Sunday, please add your name to the sign up sheet in church or let us know by email to:

enquiries@stlukemoulsham.co.uk

Please also let us know if you have any dietary requirements.

PLEASE PRAY ESPECIALLY THIS WEEK



For: Win, Brian, Joan, Bob, Margaret, June, Tammy, Kath, Emma and Derek;
for the PCC as they meet this week;
for those named on the prayer request board;

Harvest Donations

Our monetary giving last Sunday was for the Kiriribu Street Children's Project.

Donations can still be accepted, please use the envelopes if you are a tax payer and would like to gift aid your donations.

St. Luke's Cleaning Day



On Saturday 13 October we will be having a clean, tidy and sort out in preparation for the Patronal Festival.

Many hands make light work and there will be jobs suitable for all abilities.

There will be more info about the jobs that need doing nearer the time.



MMU Service 30th September

10.00am St. Michael's, Galleywood

Anyone wishing to be part of the singers for the service must attend a rehearsal on Friday 28th September, 7.30pm at St Michael's, Please speak to Lucy if you'd like to be involved and/or need a lift.

THIS WEEK:

The church is open daily for prayer.

Monday 24 September

Pray for workers in retail outlets and workplace chaplains
9.15am: Informal Morning Prayer at St. John's Vicarage using a collection of liturgy including Iona and Northumbria Community

Tuesday 25 September

Pray for Plover Walk

Wednesday 26 September

Pray for the Society of Friends
9.00am: Prayer Group in church
1.15pm: Edward Bear Club
7.30pm: Prayer Group in church

8.00pm: PCC Meeting

Thursday 27 September

Pray for Peace in Syria and The Middle East
9.15am: Morning Prayer at St. John's using Common Worship Liturgy

Friday 28 September

Pray for the Schools in our parish

Saturday 29 September

Pray for Cypress Drive
11.00am: Saturday Coffee

Saturday Coffee 29th September

On duty: Louise Whitehead

Join us for coffee and fellowship

