



St. Luke's Church, Maidenhead

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[This sheet is also available on the above website]

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Week Commencing: 2nd November- All Saints

This week we have a 10.00am All Age Holy Communion to which everyone is warmly invited. Then, at 4pm, we have our Annual Memorial service at which we remember all those whom we have loved and lost, at any time. Everyone is warmly invited to the service. This is an opportunity to reflect and to light candles in memory of our loved ones.

Next week we keep Remembrance Sunday with a Word service **at 10.20 am** and Holy Communion at 8 am.

The Collect

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion Prayer

God, the source of all holiness and giver of
all good things:
may we who have shared at this table
as strangers and pilgrims here on earth
be welcomed with all your saints
to the heavenly feast on the day of your
kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord

Gospel Reading

20 Then Jesus looked up at his disciples and said:
'Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.
21 'Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.
'Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.
22 'Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. 23 Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.
24 'But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.
25 'Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry.
'Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.
26 'Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.
27 'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, 28 bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. 29 If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. 30 Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. 31 Do to others as you would have them do to you.

Luke 6. 20-31

Sunday's Hymns:

P: 604 (video)	Brother, sister let me serve you
Peruvian Gloria	
G: 358	Be still for the presence of the Lord
O: 678	In Christ alone
R: video	Oh when the saints go marching in

Prayer suggestions for this week:

- For all those who share in the communion of saints and for those who miss loved ones.
- For our PCC and church officers, and for those covering the vacancy.
- For the Rt Revd and Rt Hon Dame Sarah Mullally, nominated as the next Archbishop of Canterbury
- For the strengthening of our efforts to safeguard the integrity of creation, and sustain and renew the life of the earth.
- For a just and sustainable peace in Ukraine and Russia, Palestine and Israel, and Sudan
- For our local schools and teachers and all children and young people in education.
- For a successful Christmas Tree Festival and for stamina and lots of helpers!
- For all those who live and work in Savoy Court
- For those baptised recently
- For all those whose anniversary of baptism falls in November: Poppie King-Couling, Karissa Obwianu, Harper Hutchinson
- The sick and their carers : Valerie Bosley, Bridget Morris, Jacqueline Lewis, Angela Baldwin, Baby Keeon, Aram Hakobian, Joan Lynch, Alicia Little, Ralph Hinchliffe, Harry, Andrew Sheppard, Jenny, Adam, John Cotterill, Barber Romaker
- Those who have died recently, and those who mourn them: Monica Olley, David Maguire, Beryl Crampin
- Those whose anniversary of death falls in November: Wayne Smith, Kenneth Rivers, Pamela Rivers, Dorothy Stanley, Penelope Bide, Tony Barber

Rotas for next week**Sunday 9nd November: Remembrance Sunday**

Reader: 1st: Ralph 2nd: Shula Intercede: Jamie and 1 other Chalice: Jacqueline Sound: Simon
Welcomers: Jacqueline, Ben, Fiona Coffee: Kate and Margaret Children: Sam

Our church is floodlit at night.

The church floodlighting has not been sponsored this week

To sponsor the floodlighting please fill in the form at the back of church or email:

admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk

It is suggested the minimum donation for weekly sponsorship is £15.



What's on.... This week:

Sunday 2 nd	10.00 am, Parish Communion 4.00 pm, Memorial Service
Tuesday 4 th	8.30 am, Morning prayer on zoom
Wednesday 5 th	8.30 am, Morning prayer on zoom 10.00am, Holy Communion
Thursday 6 th	8.30 am, Morning prayer on zoom 9.30am, Baby and Toddler
Friday 7 th	8.30 am, Morning Prayer 4.00 pm, Messy Church
Sunday 9 th	8.00 am, Holy Communion 10.20 am , Remembrance Sunday

Sundays at Six: All Services are at 6.00pm Zoom link: use Sunday morning or as specified above

2 nd November	Memorial services, in church, NB: 4 pm: at St. Luke's, and the Church of the Good Shepherd, Cox Green
9 th Nov. at 6pm	All Souls Eucharist at All Saints
16 th Nov.	Choral Evensong, at St. Luke's
30 th Nov.	Taize service, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Cox Green
7 th December	Christmas Tree Festival Service, at St. Luke's (Tree Festival 5 th - 7 th Dec.)
21 st Dec. 6.00 pm	Carol Services at each church

Christmas Tree Festival 2025! 5th – 7th December 2025

Christmas Tree Festival raffle – hamper donations needed: The star prize in our Festival raffle is always our wonderful hamper, and we need your help to make it truly irresistible! The more delicious the hamper contents, the more tickets we'll sell – and the more funds we'll raise for our church.

Please choose one or more items from the list at the back of church (or suggest a favourite of your own), write your name against your chosen item(s), and then bring in your donations from mid-November onwards. Thanks for your help to make this Festival the best one yet!

Sponsoring and Decorating a tree We have sent out forms to all previous sponsors. If you would like to sponsor and decorate a tree this year please complete a form and return it to Fiona or the church office asap. Copies of the letter and booking form are available at the back of church.

Morning Prayer

Is said on Zoom, Tuesday – Friday. Why not join in? We use the Daily Prayer App (<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer/daily-prayer-app-and-podcast>), or ask to borrow a book from church.

Our Regular activities:

The 8.00 Holy Communion service will continue to be monthly, on the 2nd Sunday.

Midweek Holy Communion is at 10 am weekly, followed by coffee

Baby and Toddler group meets on Thursdays, 9.30 – 11.00 am **term time only**. We meet in church.
Messy Church continues on the first (usually) Friday, monthly, 4-5.30pm. **next date 7th Nov.**
admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk to book a place.

Keeping Company is our monthly meeting for those bereaved (at any time). Third Thursday at 3pm, in church.

Thursday Teas meets in the community hall offering tea, cake and conversation. Second Thursdays monthly, 1.30 pm.

Thursday Lunches meets fourth Thursday of the month, usually at the Toby Cavery but please contact Jean Tyrwhitt-Drake on Jeant-d2@outlook.com for further details.

Gaynor's Gift is a prayer shawl knitting ministry that anyone can take part in at home. We meet together monthly to pray, knit and drink tea. 4th Thursdays monthly.

Please note that for Zoom services the links below are being used:

Sunday Morning Worship:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87358197400?pwd=MTFxVINad1R6NEl6cVZ6TVJ5bGlzd09>

Meeting ID: 873 5819 7400 Passcode: 526076

Zoom Morning Prayer at 8.30 am Tuesday – Friday (no Saturday during the vacancy)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81459090925?pwd=Y2hKZkFYZ04zbGZBd1BHcmllldU5Hdz09>

Meeting ID: 814 5909 0925 Passcode: 180609



Messy Church
St Luke's Church

7th November
4.00-5.30pm



St. Luke

admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk to book

Craft, worship, 2 course tea

£2.00 per child

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