



St. Luke's Church, Maidenhead

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Week commencing: 5th June 2022 The Feast of Pentecost

Our 10 am service this week is an All-Age Holy Communion service for the feast of Pentecost. We will also give thanks for our Queen on this Jubilee weekend. One of our young people, will help to lead this service and another will tell the story for children. Do come along - with children.

Our street party will follow from 1-3pm. It is not too late to let us know if you are planning to come along, so we will have enough food for everyone! Food and soft drinks are provided bring your own alcoholic drinks if you wish (please do not bring glass glasses to drink from – we have lots of safe disposable ones). Norfolk road will be closed between St. Luke's road and the vicarage between 11 am and 4pm. Thank you to everyone who has helped to prepare and run our street party.

Everyone is also welcome at a **service to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee** of HRH Queen Elizabeth II, in church at 6pm on Thursday 2nd June.

All three of our clergy are attending the diocesan clergy conference in June so there will be no Morning Prayer from 6th - 9th June (incl). Nor will there be a Wednesday communion service or Baby and Toddler group this week. Back to normal the following week. please do pray for the 300+ clergy at the conference, that it will be a time of refreshing with our bishops.

The Collect

God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit
to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation
the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

1When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. 2And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. 3Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. 4All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. 5Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. 6And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. 7Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? 8And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? 9Parthians, Medes,

Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, 10Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, 11Cretans and Arabs – in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.’ 12All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, ‘What does this mean?’ 13But others sneered and said, ‘They are filled with new wine.’

14But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: ‘Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. 15Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. 16No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

17“‘In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

18Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. 19And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

20The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day.

21Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

Acts 2. 1-21

The Gospel Reading

8Philip said to Jesus, ‘Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.’ 9Jesus said to him, ‘Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, “Show us the Father”? 10Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. 11Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. 12Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. 13 I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. 14If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

15‘If you love me, you will keep my commandments. 16And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. 17This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

18‘I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. 19In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. 20On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. 21They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.’ 22Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, ‘Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us, and not to the world?’ 23Jesus answered him, ‘Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. 24Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

25‘I have said these things to you while I am still with you. 26But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. 27Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.’

John 14. 8-17, 25-27

Sunday's Hymns:

383 Be still for the presence of the Lord
Sht Spirit of God unseen as the wind
Sht Wind wind blow on me
354 The National Anthem

Thought for the week:

How can we sum up more than 70 years of service by our monarch? Whatever our views on monarchy, we cannot deny the amazing service of sacrificial love given to this nation (and the world) by HRH Queen Elizabeth II, whose platinum jubilee we celebrate this weekend. Coinciding with the feast of Pentecost seems very fitting, as it is surely through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit that Her Majesty has reigned so well, for so long, she was, after all, anointed by the Archbishop of Canterbury at her coronation.

The good news for us, is that the Holy Spirit is not reserved only for monarchs, but comes to all who call on the Spirit. We might remember that and rest in God's Spirit ourselves.



Prayer suggestions for this week:

- For the Queen, and the celebration of her Platinum Jubilee.
- For a fabulous street party to share with our neighbours (and for good weather!!)
- For our new PCC and church officers
- For the people of Ukraine and Russia, and for the UN. For all world leaders. For peace.
- For young people sitting examinations.
- For those preparing for confirmation this month.
- For our care for creation and sustainable living.
- For a joyful and safe street party.
- For the international refugees currently living in Maidenhead and the people who are supporting them
- Those whose anniversary of baptism falls in June: Demi-Lea Brudenall, Summer-Lea Brudenall, Emily Reay.
- For all those who live and work in Simpson close.
- The sick and their carers : Monica Olley, Tony Boaks, Howard Baxter, Pamela Rivers, Julianne Grobler, Clarice, Andy, Dorothy Nicks, Ann Hockham, Irene, Pat Brooks, Joy Richmond, Andrew, Iris Brown, Jim Mundy, Naila Watanabe, Maama Agnes (Uganda), Valerie Bosley, Gerry Knight.
- Those who have died recently, and those who mourn them.
- Those whose anniversary of death falls in June: Christine Collins, Philip Snelgrove, Robert Clark, Paul Luxton, Christa Blight, John Avenell, Ronald Bennett, Jocelyne Wyman, Hazel Birch, Doreen Shields, Scott Keen, Evelyn Allaway, Margaret Gammon, Alec Judd, Enid Barber, Johanna Raffan.

Readings for Morning Prayer for the week beginning Sunday 5th June 2022:

Sunday	Psalm 150	1 Corinthians 2. 6-end	
Monday	Psalm 126	Joshua 1	Luke 9.18-27
Tuesday	Psalm 132	Joshua 2	Luke 9.28-36
Wednesday	Psalm 119.153-end	Joshua 3	Luke 9.37-50
Thursday	Psalm 143	Joshua 4.1-5.1	Luke 9.51-end
Friday	Psalm 144	Joshua 5.2-end	Luke 10.1-16
Saturday, St, Barnabas,	Psalm 100	Jeremiah 9.23-24	Acts 4.32-end

Rotas for next week:

Sunday 12th June, Trinity Sunday, in church and on zoom Music Sunday

Read: Ian Gilchrist Intercede: Ruth Sheppard

Welcomers: John / Rachel, Sue, Ralph Coffee: Jeanette Lock & Kate Taylor

Our church is floodlit at night.

*This week the floodlighting has been sponsored by
Sue and Ralph
For 53 years of wonderful marriage*



To sponsor the floodlighting please fill in the form at the back of church or email the parish office: admin@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk

What's on...

This week:

Thursday 2 nd	8.30 am, Morning Prayer, on zoom NO Baby and Toddler group - half term, but meeting for B&T team, 9.30 am 6.00 pm, Thanksgiving service to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee
Friday 3 rd	8.30 am, Morning Prayer, on zoom, 5.00 pm, Evening Prayer, on zoom 8.00 pm, Choir practice
Saturday 4 th	9.00 am, Morning Prayer, on zoom 3.00 - 5.00 pm, church open for cakes to be dropped off for party 4.00 pm, sandwich making for party - in church
Sunday 5 th	8.30 am, bunting etc up 10.00 am, All Age Communion, in church and on zoom 11.30 am, party laid out 1.00 - 3.00 pm Street Party
Tuesday 7 th - Thursday 9 th	No services - clergy conference
Friday 10 th	8.30 am, Morning Prayer, on zoom, 4.00 pm, Messy Church 8.00 pm, Choir practice
Saturday 11 th	9.00 am, Morning Prayer, on zoom
Sunday 12 th	8.00 am, Holy Communion 10.00 am, Parish Communion, in church and on zoom 6.00 pm, Sundays at Six: Evensong and Benediction at All Saints

The last few **Sundays at Six** services for this term are:

12th June, at All Saints, Evensong & Benediction

26th June, St. Luke's, Night Prayer (zoom only)

10th July, ChoGS, Prayer Walk – time and location to be notified

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. We meet in church.

Messy Church continues on the first (usually) Friday, monthly, 4-5pm. The next is 10th June. Email Revd. Sally to book a place.

Keeping Company is our monthly meeting for those bereaved (at any time). Third Thursday at 3pm, in church. The next is 16th June

Thursday Teas meets in the community hall offering tea, cake and conversation. Second Thursdays monthly. Next is 9th June.

Gaynor's Gift is a prayer shawl knitting ministry that anyone can take part in at home. We meet together fortnightly to pray, knit and drink tea. Both in church and on zoom, 4th Thursdays monthly. The next is 23rd June.

Sundays at Six A chance to worship with friends from All Saints and the Church of the Good Shepherd, Cox Green. We will continue to meet fortnightly, mix of zoom and in-church services.

Please note that for all 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, 9 am Saturday

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81459090925?pwd=Y2hKZkFYZ04zbGZBd1BHcmllU5Hdz09>

Meeting ID: 814 5909 0925

Passcode: 180609

Zoom Evening Prayer at 5pm on Fridays (except first Friday)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88677688468?pwd=WnF3aEQ2dTdLYjB1dDEvQ2YwcTJJZz09>

Meeting ID: 886 7768 8468

Passcode: 132142

Sundays at Six:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83058792852?pwd=NWQ2dzJNRzZJRgdRejJUa0pQOTBJZz09>

Meeting ID: 830 5879 2852

Passcode: 936128

Gaynor's Gift: Prayer Shawl Ministry 3pm, 4th Thursday, monthly

Link for 19th May:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88627244304?pwd=q-AMP0InkyLAIA_vgbwenjXHzCxyxo.1

Meeting ID: 886 2724 4304

Passcode: 042474