SUNDAY 29th SEPTEMBER

Trinity 18

No 8.00am service 9.30am Parish Eucharist (live-streamed) No 6.00pm service

MONDAY 30th SEPTEMBER Jerome, translator of the Scriptures, Teacher of the Faith, 420 7.45pm-9.30pm Bellringers Practice Night

TUESDAY 1st OCTOBER Anthony Ashley Cooper (Earl of Shaftesbury), Social Reformer, 1885 9.00am Morning Prayer 2.30pm Bereavement Meeting

WEDNESDAY 2nd OCTOBER

9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Toddler Time 1.00pm Lunch Club

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THURSDAY 3rd OCTOBER George Bell, Bishop of Chichester, Ecumenist, Peacemaker, 1958 9.00am Morning Prayer 10.00am Holy Communion

FRIDAY 4th OCTOBER Francis of Assisi, Friar, Deacon, Founder of the Friars Minor, 1226 9.00am Morning Prayer 6.30pm Leighton Young Singers Club 6.45pm Trebles Choir Practice 7.30pm Adult Choir Practice

SATURDAY 5th OCTOBER

9.00am Holy Communion

SUNDAY 6th OCTOBER Harvest Festival Trinity 19

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Parish Eucharist (live-streamed)

11.30am Messy Mass for Harvest

2.30pm Bereavement Support Café

6.00pm Choral Evensong

We would like to politely request that you turn off your mobile phones or switch them to flight-safe mode.

All Saints Parish Church, Leighton Buzzard



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Sunday 29th September 2024 Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity Michael & All Angels

We warmly welcome all visitors and newcomers to our church. If any of you are from other denominations and are accustomed to receiving Communion in your own church you are welcome to here. For the hard of hearing the church is equipped with a loop system. Switch to T please. Gluten free wafers are available by prior arrangement.

The news sheet is for you to retain and use for reference and prayer

Today's services

9.30am Parish Eucharist

Readings: RCL: Year B: Page: 611

Setting: Ives (Salisbury)

Introit: 234 NEH

Collect for Sunday: Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; 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.

Collect for Weekday Services: Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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.

Ist Reading: Numbers 11: 4-6, 10-16, 24-29

Psalm: 19 vv. 7-end

Response: The way of the Lord is perfect, it revives the soul

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul: the command of the Lord is true, and makes wise the simple. The precepts of the Lord are right, and rejoice the heart; the commandment of the Lord is pure, and gives light to the eyes.

The fear of the Lord is clean, and endures for ever: the judgements of the Lord are unchanging, and righteous every one. More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold: sweeter also than honey, than the honey that drips from the comb.

Moreover, by them is your servant taught: and in keeping them there is great reward. Who can know his own unwitting sins?: O cleanse me from my secret faults.

Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the mastery over me: so I shall be clean, and innocent of great offence. May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight: O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

2nd Reading: James 5: 13-end

Gradual Hymn: 467

Gospel: Mark 9: 38-end
Preacher: Preb. David
Intercessions: Geoff Marchant

Offertory Hymn: 398

Anthem: Beati mundo corde - Ives

During this time please observe a period of quiet reflection, as we receive Communion

Communion Hymn: 358
Post Communion: 461

Today's voluntary is played by Arthur Togneri, Head Chorister at Westminster Abbey in 2023.

IN YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE REMEMBER

Sick: Owen Butler, Ben Colbert, Josh Redman,

Marcus Flowerdew-Clarke, Graeme Lockhart, Gilda Robinson, Fr. Ian Smith, Jackie Rudom, Katrina Boyce, Fr. Stephen Heard,

Andrew Kemp, Terry Warburton

RIP: Zoltan Bodacs, Elizabeth Bennett

Year's Mind: William Brantom, Gordon Durrington, Maureen Comber,

Margaret Madigan, Vera Delafield, Arthur Waldock, Henry (Topper) Baines, Diana Reynolds, Walter Sandifer,

Paul Kaye, Jim Aris, Rita Styles, John Sandifer

In our Team: Pray for our Local Ministry Team

In the World: Pray for Civil Liberties

In the Diocese: Pray for The Local Ministries Officer
In the Wider Church: Pray for The Archbishop's Council

NOTICES:

SEASON OF CREATION DISPLAY: Take a moment to look at our display by the South Porch about our Eco Church work, and the rich biodiversity and wildlife which thrives in our churchyard. It's for the Season of Creation which is observed in September to early October by many Christian denominations globally.

CALLING ALL SIDESPERSONS: Please would all sides people let Jenny Huskisson know any times when you are unable to be on the rota between the beginning of November and the end of February 2025 as a new rota is being prepared. Should anyone be interested in becoming a sidesperson and welcoming people as they arrive in church for services, please hand your contact details in to the parish office. We are particularly short of help for the 8am service.

HARVEST FESTIVAL 6th OCTOBER: Do please bring in tins as usual to any of the services that day as we help feed local families in need and also to support the Bishops Harvest appeal with donations for The Leprosy Mission, helping families affected by leprosy in Sri Lanka.

HARVEST DISPLAYS: If you are able to donate some harvest fruit, vegetables or flowers, to help with our harvest display, please bring to church on the morning of Friday 4th October.

LINK TO HOPE CHARITY SHOEBOX APPEAL 2024: This is now well under way, it supports those people in Ukraine, Romania, Bulgaria and Moldova who struggle to manage without help. Leaflets with all the details are available on the Partners in Mission noticeboard in the north transept. Please return your boxes to church before the end of October. If you prefer to donate individual items from the list, please contact Rosie Dawson or James Legg (07535 973212).

BIBLE BOOK CLUB: The next meeting of the Bible Book Club will be at 7 pm in the Saunders Room, up the outdoor stairs on the south side of St Barnabas Church Hall, on Friday 11th October. We will be discussing the Second Book of Samuel.

ALL SAINTS PRESERVATION TRUST: is holding a talk on Alice de la Pole, who gave All Saints its magnificent Angel Roof in the 1460s. The talk is on Monday 21st October 7:30 for 8 in church. See poster for more details.

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Rest Day - Monday