

COUNTDOWN TO OUR CHRISTMAS FAYRE ...

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

SATURDAY
23 NOVEMBER
2.00 - 3.30 PM

RAFFLE PRIZES



CHOCOLATES
BOTTLES
CAKES
HAMPER GIFTS
RAFFLE PRIZES
CHRISTMASTHEMED ITEMS



MORE INFO ON LEAFLETS

THANK YOU!

DONATIONS DAY
PLEASE BRING ITEMS TO CHURCHES ON
17 NOVEMBER

TO HELP WITH OUR EVENT PLANNING



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR



CHRIST THE WORKER CHRISTMAS FAYRE WATER & WINE STALL

WANTED donations of bottles of wine including pre-used wine bottles and bottle gift bags! All donations can be left at CtW Vicarage. **THANK YOU!**



WANTED! PARISH AWAY DAY TEAM

The next Parish Away Day is **SATURDAY 1 MARCH 2025**

We are looking for Parish Away planning team members for the next event. Our previous events:

- 1st "Where are we now"
- 2nd "What next?"
- 3rd "???"

Please get in touch with Chris by 13 November 2024



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	Office Hours	Tuesdays 2:00 to 6:00 pm and Fridays 9:30 am to 2:30 pm	

Langley Marish Team Ministry

St Mary the Virgin

St Francis

Christ the Worker

Welcome to this service, especially if you are visiting us for the first time.

At a Communion service, everyone is welcome to receive communion, the bread and the wine. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please come to the altar rail carrying a service book.

4th Sunday before Advent

Sunday 3 November 2024

8.00 am	Holy Communion	St Mary
9.30 am	Holy Communion	St Francis
11.00 am	Service of the Word	Christ the Worker
11.00 am	Holy Communion and Sunday Club	St Mary

Week Diary	Mon to Sat	Time	Activity	Location
		8.45 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom
4/11/24	Monday	10.00 am - noon	Shamrocks Friendship Club	Shamrocks Pub 12 Parlaunt Road
4/11/24	Monday	1.00 pm	Bible Study	Christ the Worker
5/11/24	Tuesday	2.00 pm	Needles and A Yarn	Christ the Worker
5/11/24	Tuesday	7.30 pm	Bell Ringing Practice	St Mary
6/11/24	Wednesday	10.00 am	Holy Communion	St Francis
6/11/24	Wednesday	2.00 pm	Bible Study	Zoom
6/11/24	Wednesday	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting	Christ the Worker
8/11/24	Friday	7.00 pm	Junior Choir week 1 of 7 week rehearsals	St Mary
8/11/24	Friday	8.00 pm	Adult Choir	St Mary

Future Events

10/11/24	Sunday	9.30 am	Remembrance Sunday Services	All Churches
		10.45 am	Join members of the public, uniform and non-uniform organisations. The service will begin soon after the parade arrives.	Christ the Worker to Langley Memorial Park
13/11/24	Wednesday		Wanted Parish Away Day Team DEADLINE	Chris Ferris
23/11/24	Saturday	2.00 am - 3.30 pm	Christmas Fayre	St Mary
1/12/24	Sunday	4.30 pm	Christingle Service	St Mary
1/12/24	Sunday	6.30 pm	Advent Carol Service	St Mary
8/12/24	Sunday		Christmas Meal (see back cover)	Red Lion
8/12/24	Sunday	6.30 pm	Nine Lessons and Carols	Christ the Worker
15/12/24	Sunday	3.00 pm	Carols and Coffee	St Francis
8/01/25	Wednesday	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting	TBC

3 November 2024 4th Sunday before Advent

Collect

Almighty and eternal God, you have kindled the flame of love in the hearts of the saints: grant to us the same faith and power of love, that, as we rejoice in their triumphs, we may be sustained by their example and fellowship; 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.

First Reading

Deuteronomy 6. 1 - 9

Now this is the commandment - the statutes and the ordinances - that the Lord your God charged me to teach you to observe in the land that you are about to cross into and occupy, so that you and your children and your children's children may fear the Lord your God all the days of your life, and keep all his decrees and his commandments that I am commanding you, so that your days may be long. Hear therefore, O Israel, and observe them diligently, so that it may go well with you, and so that you may multiply greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, as the Lord, the God of your ancestors, has promised you.

Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Second Reading

Hebrews 9. 11 - 14

But when Christ came as a high priest of the good things that have come, then through the greater and perfect tent (not made with hands, that is, not of this creation), he entered once for all into the Holy Place, not with the blood of goats and calves, but with his own blood, thus obtaining eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and bulls, with the sprinkling of the ashes of a heifer, sanctifies those who have been defiled so that their flesh is purified, how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify our conscience from dead works to worship the living God!

Gospel

Mark 12. 28 - 34

One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, 'Which commandment is the first of all?' Jesus answered, 'The first is, "Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength." The second is this, "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." There is no other commandment greater than these.' Then the scribe said to him, 'You are right, Teacher; you have truly said that "he is one, and besides him there is no other"; and "to love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the strength", and "to love one's neighbour as oneself", - this is much more important than all whole burnt-offerings and sacrifices.' When Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' After that no one dared to ask him any question.



DON'T FORGET
Parish Donations

Post Communion

Lord of heaven, in this eucharist you have brought us near to an innumerable company of angels and to the spirits of the saints made perfect: as in this food of our earthly pilgrimage we have shared their fellowship, so may we come to share their joy in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PARISH VACANCY

PCC Secretary

The Parish is looking for a PCC Secretary. Approximately 4 to 8 evening meetings annually. Please speak with **Chris, Anna** or **Joy** for more information.

Also additional information from Diocese of Oxford;

www.oxford.anglican.org/parish-support/guidance/pcc-secretaries/



Next Week 10 November 2024

Remembrance Day

3rd Sunday before Advent

NB Some changed Service Times

8.00 am Holy Communion | St Mary

9.30 am Services | All Churches

10.45 am Everyone meets at Christ the Worker to join members of the public, uniform and non-uniform organisations. The service at Langley Memorial Recreation Ground will begin soon after

First Reading Jonah 3. 1 - 15, 10

Second Reading Hebrews 9. 24 - end

Gospel Reading Mark 1. 14 - 20



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