

Sunday 27 September 2026

Harvest Thanksgiving

Collect

Creator God,
you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea
and the rhythm of the seasons;
as we thank you for the harvest,
may we cherish and respect
this planet and its peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Readings

Old Testament	Deuteronomy 8. 7 - 18
New Testament	2 Corinthians 9. 6 - end
Gospel	Luke 12. 16 - 31

Post Communion

Lord of the harvest,
with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your
love in creation
and shared in the bread and the wine of th
kingdom:
by your grace plant within us a reverence for all
that you give us and make us generous and wise
stewards of the good things we enjoy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

HELP NEEDED

Next Week 4 October 2026

St Francis Patronal Joint Parish Service

Service Times

St Mary	8.00 am
St Francis	9.30 am
Christ the Worker	n/a

NEXT WEEK

KEDERMISTER LIBRARY

THE FIRST SUNDAY
OF EACH MONTH
MAY TO OCTOBER 2026
2.30 - 4.30 PM

FREE

4 OCTOBER 2026
LAST OPEN CHURCH EVENT
OF THE YEAR!

4 OCTOBER 2026
SUNDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2026
SUNDAY 4 OCTOBER 2026

Fortitudo. Mentem protegit.
Periculationum adducit.
Regnum Caelorum tribuit.



We need help to set up chairs before and after the service!

If you are willing, able and enthusiastic we will be opening St Francis on Saturday 3 October at 6.00 pm to set up. It should take no longer than 30 minutes!

Coordinator Joyce Moss. **THANK YOU!**

Readings

For St Francis Patronal

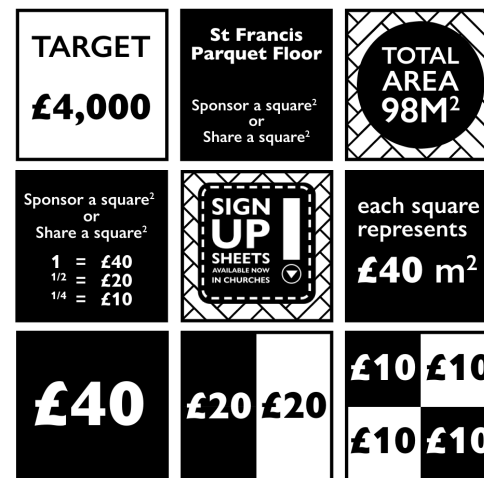
Old Testament	Micah 6. 6 - 8
New Testament	Galatians 6. 14 - 18
Gospel	Luke 12. 22 - 34

St Francis Wood Parquet Flooring Fund Raiser 2026

Sponsor a Square or Share a Square

The parquet floor at St Francis is a much sort out and popular asset by many hirers. It's also a great example of upcycling as it was repurposed from somewhere else prior to being installed at St Francis many years ago.

Why are we fundraising?



- **WHY** Despite its age and even though we look after it well, it is good practice to 'feed' the floor every 4-5 years. The weather and wear and tear do impact the condition and it is now due for some care and attention.
- **WHEN** Monday 26/10/26 - Friday 30/10/26.
- **HOW** a gently sanding and oil applied by specialist team to keep it looking great
- **COST** The cost is just under £4,000 for the 98m². To help fund this we are asking for donations of **£40 m²**, or you can contribute to a share. 1/2 = **£20** and 1/4 = **£10**.
Donations can be made via the parish account using either the QR code (see back cover), direct bank transfer or donations in labelled envelope put into the collection plate.
- **COORDINATED** by Joy - email joyraynor@aol.com. Feel free to contact her if you have questions.
- Please fill in the donation forms in churches, so we can keep track. If there is more collected than required it will be used for the kitchen update at St Francis. **THANK YOU**

St Francis Wood Parquet Flooring Fund Raiser 2026

£4,000 FUND RAISER SPONSOR A SQUARE OR SHARE A SQUARE
TOTALISER UPDATE



WORK WILL TAKE PLACE MONDAY 26 October to FRIDAY 30 October

MUCH NEEDED HELP

To clear the floor in preparation of the restoration!

WANTED

- **Sunday 25 October at 8.00 pm** to clear the area of chairs, tables plus the organ
- **Saturday 31 October at 2.00 pm** to put it all back again ready for Sunday

