HARVEST DONATIONS

If you are able and willing to bring donations to churches please refer to:

Slough Foodbank September Wish List

see posters in churches

FOOD

Fish (Tinned)
Meat (Tinned)
Pears/Peaches (Tinned)
Pasta sauce/cooking sauces/packet mix
Juice (Long-life/diluting)
Rice Pudding/Custard (Long-life)
Tomatoes (Tinned)
Peas/Sweetcorn/Carrots (Tinned)
Coffee (Jar)
Chapati Flour (max 1.5kg)
Oil (max 1 litre)
Rice Lentils (max 1kg)

TOILETRIES & BASIC ITEMS

Deodorant
Soap
Shaving gel/Disposable razors
Shampoo

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For more information and others ways to donate visit,
https://slough.foodbank.org.uk/

Thank you!

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Website
www://langleymarish.com/

Facebook
www.facebook.com/ParishofLangley/

Instagram
www.instagram.com/langleymarishchurches/

Zoom Sign-In Options
WEB: **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5871259212?** pwd = **RnFabUV4bEx2OHBYTm5yZXINT3I2QT09**
Phone: **020 8080 6591** Meeting ID: **587 125 9212#** Passcode: **738192#**

Langley Marish News Sheet

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.

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Sunday 27 September 2026 | HARVEST THANKSGIVING

CF	8.00 am	Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary
JR	9.30 am	Service of the Word	St Francis
CF	9.30 am	Eucharist	Christ the Worker
CF	11.00 am	Eucharist	St Mary

This Week

	Monday - Saturday		8.45 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom
SEP	Monday	28	10.00 am to noon	Shamrocks Friendship Club	Shamrocks Pub 12 Parlaunt Road
	Tuesday	29	10.00 am	Langley Community Coffee Shop	St Joseph Hall Holy Family
			7.30 pm	StM Sunday Club Leaders Meeting	St Mary Centre
			7.30 pm	Bell Ringing Practice	St Mary
	Wednesday	30	10.00 am	Eucharist	St Francis
OCT	Friday	2	7.00 pm	Junior Choir Practice	St Mary
			8.00 pm	Adult Choir Practice	St Mary

Future Events

OCT	Sunday	4	9.30 am	St Francis Patronal Joint Parish Service	St Francis
			2.30 to 4.30 pm	Open Church, Churchyard and Kedermister Library	St Mary
	Wednesday	7	10.30 am	Intercession Training after the 10.00am Eucharist	St Francis
	Saturday	10	3.15 to 5.00 pm	Langley Marish Youth Group	St Francis
	Sunday	11		Parish Meal, after the 11.00 am service	Red Lion
	Tuesday	13	2.00 pm	Parish Rented Spaces Meeting Parish Office	St Mary's Centre invited members
	Thursday	15		**DEADLINE** to confirm Christmas Services/Events	All Churches
	Thursday	15	1.30 pm	Refresh	St Francis
	Sunday	25		Bible Sunday	
	TBC		TBC	Procurement & Purchasing Meeting	TBC
NOV	Sunday	1	6.30pm	All Souls Memorial Service	St Mary
	Sunday	8	11.00 am	Remembrance Sunday	Langley Memorial
	Saturday	21	2.00 to 3.30 pm	Christmas Fayre	St Mary

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

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!

- **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