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 wine.
If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please come to the altar rail carrying a service book.



Sunday 29 November Advent 1

CF	8.00 am	Eucharist (BCP)	St Mary
CF	9.30 am	Eucharist	St Francis
AC	9.30 am	Service of the Word	Christ the Worker
CF	11.00 am	Eucharist	St Mary
CF	4.00 pm	Christingle	St Mary
CF	6.30 pm	Advent Carol Service	St Mary

This Week

Monday - Saturday			8.45 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom
NOV	Monday	30	10.00 am to noon	Shamrocks Friendship Club	Shamrocks Pub 12 Parlaunt Road
DEC	Tuesday	1	10.00 am	Langley Community Coffee Shop	St Joseph Hall Holy Family
			6.00 pm	Langley Christmas Lights switch on.	Harrow Market
			7.00 pm	Langley Grammar School Carol Concert	St Mary
			7.30 pm	Bell Ringing Practice/Meet	St Mary
	Wednesday	2	10.00 am	Eucharist followed by Advent Course	St Francis
			7.00 pm	Men's Group Christmas Dinner	King William IV
	Friday	4	7.00 pm	Junior Choir Practice	St Mary
			8.00 pm	Adult Choir Practice	St Mary

Future Events

DEC	Sunday	6	6.30 pm	Nine Lessons and Carols	Christ the Worker
	Tuesday	8	2.00 pm	Needles and A Yarn	Christ the Worker
	Sunday	13		Parish Christmas Meal after 11.00 am service Full Payment required beforehand	Red Lion Sign Up Sheets in churches
	Tuesday	15	1.00 pm	Langley Hall Primary Academy Carol Service	St Mary
	Wednesday	16	7.00 pm	**NEW** Christmas Sparkle Event (see back page)	St Mary
	Sunday	20	3.00 pm	Coffee and Carols	St Francis
	Christmas Eve	24	4.00 pm	Crib Service	St Mary
			7.00 pm	Carols by Candlelight	St Mary
			11.30 pm	Midnight Mass	St Mary
	Christmas Day	25	10.00 am	Sung Eucharist	St Mary
		27	10.00 am	Joint Parish Service	St Francis
	New Years Eve	31	11.30 pm	New Years Eve Vigil	St Mary
				Parish Procurement & Purchasing Meeting	TBC

Sunday 22 November 2026
Advent 1

Collect
Almighty God,
give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life,
in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility;
that on the last day,
when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge the living and the dead,
we may rise to the life immortal;
through him who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Readings

Old Testament	Isaiah 64. 1 - 9
New Testament	1 Corinthians 1. 3 - 9
Gospel	Mark 13. 24 - end

Post Communion
O Lord our God,
make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear,
he may not find us sleeping in sin
but active in his service
and joyful in his praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Next Week 6 December 2026
Advent 2

Service Times

St Mary	8.00 am and 11.00 am
St Francis	9.30 am
Christ the Worker	11.00 am and 6.30 pm

Readings

Old Testament	Isaiah 40. 1 - 11
New Testament	2 Peter 3. 8 - 15a
Gospel	Mark 1. 1 - 8



Copies of our Christmas Services are now available in churches.

Please do take a copy home with you.
Take extra copies to give to family, friends and neighbours.
Do take more to display on local noticeboards and/or shops near to you. We have more to hand out during the Christmas Fayre. Thank you!



A huge thank you to everyone involved in the bird netting replacement on the tower at St Mary on Thursday 26 November. **Thank you!**





CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Thank you to everyone who has donated for the Fayre and supporting on the day.

At the time of going to print we made around **£1,300** for Langley Marish. This is amazing but the best bit was the team work, full church and good nature!

Thank you!

THANK YOU!

MEN'S GROUP
CHRISTMAS MEAL

KING WILLIAM IV

392 SIPSON ROAD
SIPSON WEST DRAYTON
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WEDNESDAY
2 DECEMBER
2026
7.00 PM

APPROX £20 TO 30 PER PERSON
MORE INFORMATION FROM OUR
ORGANISER
ANTHONY MOORTHOTI

DON'T FORGET!

CHRISTMAS
MEAL
RED LION
SUNDAY 13 DECEMBER 2026
AFTER 11.00 AM SERVICE

PLEASE ENSURE
YOU HAVE PAID BEFOREHAND
SEE OUR ORGANISER
SHEILA SCHMIDT

ST MARY LANGLEY
SUNDAY CLUB

6 December
13 December
20 December

LANGLEY MARISH
YOUTH GROUP

12 December

St Mary's
Junior Choir

CRIB SERVICE REHEARSALS

4 December
11 December
18 December

Do you live, work, or spend time in Foxborough?

PRIDE IN PLACE
LED BY YOU – BACKED BY UK GOVERNMENT

Community Champion

Links to more information and survey can be found here:
https://slough.citizenspace.com/corporate/foxborough-pride-in-place/
https://slough.citizenspace.com/corporate/foxborough-pride-in-place/consultation/subpage.2026-10-08.5197589861/



Refreshments will be provided!

Can you offer a lift for someone who would like to join us?

Come and join us and help prepare the church for Christmas with a bit of **'SPARKLE'!**

This is a fun informal collaborative event with a suitable activity for everyone!
It could involve;
Cleaning the Brass, Silver and Chandelier, Helping put the Christmas tree and lights up.

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www.facebook.com/ParishofLangley/

Instagram
www.instagram.com/langleymarishchurches/

Zoom Sign-In Options

WEB: **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5871259212?** pwd = **RnFabUV4bEx2OHBYTm5yZXlNT3I2QT09**
Phone: **020 8080 6591** Meeting ID: **587 125 9212**# Passcode: **738192**#