



Thursday Zoom Bible Study

Will resume 23/01/2025

The 5 week theme will be looking at Christ in the Psalms, until the Lent season starts



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18 - 25 January 2025

Join in our Local Community United Services

- 19/01/25 6.00 pm Holy Family
226 Trelawney Avenue, SL3 7UD
- 26/01/25 6.00 pm Langley Free
100 Trelawney Avenue, SL3 8RW

Away Day 2025 Sign Up Sheets

Saturday 1/03/2025

St George's Britwell Long Furlong Road SL2 2LX
www.stgeorgesbritwell.org

- Please add your name to the sign up sheet to help us plan and confirm numbers with our new venue this year
- Please tick the appropriate tick box if you need or can offer transport

Families - please do include all family members

Thank you!

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

Diary Dates for 2025

Key dates for 2025 to make a note of:

PCC Meetings | Wednesdays at 7.30 pm

- 7/05/25 TBC
10/09/25 TBC
19/11/25 TBC

APCM

20/05/25 Tuesday, 7.30 pm

Parish Away Day

St George's Britwell, Long Furlong Road, SL2 2LX

1/03/25 Saturday

Holy Week and Easter

- 13/04/25 Palm Sunday
17/04/25 Maundy Thursday
18/04/25 Good Friday
20/04/25 Easter Sunday

Christ the Worker 60th Anniversary Service

22/06/25 Sunday 11.00 am

General Reminder

Please send any content for the News Sheet to the Parish Office at langleymarish@gmail.com by Tuesday morning for inclusion in the following week's edition.
Thank you!

Parish Vacancy

PCC Secretary

The Parish is looking for a PCC Secretary Approximately 4 to 6 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/pcc-guidance/pcc-secretaries/



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.

Sunday 12 January 2025 | Baptism of Christ

	8.00 am	Holy Communion	St Mary
	9.30 am	Holy Communion	St Francis
	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Christ the Worker
	11.00 am	Holy Communion and Sunday Club	St Mary
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Week Diary Mon - Sat	8.45 am	Morning Prayer	Zoom
Monday 13/03/25	10.00 am - noon	Shamrocks Friendship Club	Shamrocks Pub 12 Parlaunt Road
	1.00 pm	Bible Study	Christ the Worker
Tuesday 14/01/25	2.00 pm	Needles and A Yarn	Christ the Worker
	7.30 pm	Bell Ringing Practice	St Mary
Wednesday 15/01/25	10.00 am	Holy Communion	St Francis
Thursday 16/01/25	1.30 pm	Refresh	St Francis
Friday 17/01/24	8.00 pm	Adult Choir	St Mary

Future Events

Sunday 19/01/25	Christmas Services Review Meeting after 11.00 am StM Service	St Mary
	6.00 pm	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Holy Family United Service
Tuesday 21/01/25	7.30 pm	StM Sunday Club Meeting TBC
	2.00 pm	Bible Study Zoom
Thursday 23/01/25	7.30 pm	Admin Review Group Parish Office
Saturday 25/01/25	11.00 am	Parish Lent and Easter Planning Meeting St Mary
Sunday 26/01/25	6.00 pm	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Langley Free United Service
Saturday 1/03/25	9.30 am	Parish Away Day St George's Britwell Long Furlong Road SL2 2LX
Sunday 5/03/25		Ash Wednesday
Sunday 30/03/25		Mothering Sunday
Saturday 12/04/25	5.30 pm	Agape Meal Christ the Worker

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12 January 2025
Baptism of Christ

Collect

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; 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

Isaiah 43. 1 - 7

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine.

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God,

the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honoured, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, 'Give them up', and to the south, 'Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth - everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.'

Second Reading

Acts 8. 14 - 17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the

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Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Gospel

Luke 3. 15 - 17, 21 - 22

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in

bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

Post Communion

Lord of all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.



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Next Week 19 January 2025
2nd Sunday of Epiphany
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18 - 25 January

First Reading Isaiah 62. 1 - 5
Second Reading 1 Corinthians 12. 1 - 11
Gospel Reading John 2. 1 - 11



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