

Reading at Service - Gospel Reading

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All: Glory to you O Lord

Matthew 9: verses 9 to 13

The call of Matthew

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him. And as he sat at dinner in the house many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a Physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means. I desire mercy not sacrifice. For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ

(Only one reading is printed this week to make space for the hymns).

Hymn 1 All Things Bright and Beautiful

*Chorus :Bless this water, bless this child
Upon this joyful day:
Bless us as we gather here
and lead us on our way.*

We hear your voice from heaven,
speak blessings from above,

such words of affirmation,
encouragement and love. *Bless this water*
Your faith in us is stronger
than we can ever know,
You see our true potential,
and guide us as we grow. *Bless this water*
You give us light in darkness,
and hope when we despair,
You strengthen us in weakness
and hold us in your care. *Bless this water*
We pray for peace and purpose,
for happiness and fun,
for health of mind and body,
till life's adventure's done. *Bless this water*

Hymn 2 He's got the Whole World in His Hands

He's got the whole world in his hands. (x4)

He's got Charli & her family in his hands. (x3)
He's got the whole world in his hands.

He's got everybody here in his hands. (x3)
He's got the whole world in his hands.

He's got the whole world in his hands. (x4)

Hymn 3 All Are Welcome

1. Let us build a house where love can dwell
And all can safely live
A place where saints and children tell
How hearts learn to forgive
Built of hopes and dreams and visions
Rock of faith and vault of grace
Here the love of Christ shall end divisions

All are welcome, all are welcome
All are welcome in this place
2. Let us build a house where prophets speak,
and words are strong and true,
where all God's children dare to seek
to dream God's reign anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness
and as symbol of God's grace;
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus.
All are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.
3. Let us build a house where love is found
in water, wine and wheat:
a banquet hall on holy ground
where peace and justice meet.
Here the love of God, through Jesus,
is revealed in time and space;
as we share in Christ the feast that frees us.
All are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.
4. Let us build a house where hands will reach
beyond the wood and stone
to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,
and live the Word they've known.
Here the outcast and the stranger
bear the image of God's face;
let us bring an end to fear and danger.
All are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.
5. Let us build a house where all are named,
their songs and visions heard
and loved and treasured, taught and claimed
as words within the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter,
prayers of faith and songs of grace,
let this house proclaim from floor to rafter.
All are welcome, all are welcome,
all are welcome in this place.

Notices

Refreshments – join us after the service at the back of church for a drink and biscuit and chat to fellow parishioners. Please sign up to help in October and November. Just bring biscuits and milk.

Through the Seasons - We are looking for volunteers to be in church on our 4 pen afternoons (Oct 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th from 2-4pm) to meet visitors and help with refreshments. If you can do one session that would be great - please sign up at the back of church. If you cannot make it to church please contact Margaret and she will sign you up. Donations of cakes, scones, biscuits would also be much appreciated. Thank you.

Here is this week's **GREEN TIP!**



RECYCLE E-WASTE



The UK produces more e-waste (electronic waste) per person than any country in the world except Norway. When your gadgets come to the end of their life, ensure they are recycled either via your local authority's kerbside e-waste collection scheme or at your nearest e-waste collection point. If you're buying a new iPhone, or other Apple product, you could receive a gift card if you return your old Apple tech directly to Apple for refurbishing or recycling. Currys PC World offers a similar recycling scheme for gadgets including phones, toasters, TVs and floor cleaners.

Congratulations on your Baptism!



Today we have the privilege of witnessing Charli Ann Michele Vickers being welcomed into God's family.

Next Week

28th September – 15th After Trinity
Morning Prayer – 9.30am

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sheet, please contact Emma Jones.*

WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH KIRK LANGLEY

Sunday 21st September 2025
Fourteenth Sunday After Trinity



Holy Communion with Baptism

*If you have a prayer request, please pass to
the Church Warden*

Please take this leaflet home with you for reference.