



St Luke's Church, Bricket Wood

Notices for Sunday 14th June 2026

WELCOME to ST LUKE'S!

We hope you will feel at home, but please ask us if there is anything that is unclear or unfamiliar.

Toilets (with baby changing facilities) may be found in the hallway.
An Induction Loop is installed, please set your hearing aid to the "T" position.
The Sunday service can be watched at any time on YouTube from 10.00 am.

Available via our YouTube page:
<https://youtube.com/@stlukesbricketwood/streams>

Today and looking ahead:

- Sunday 14th** **10.00 am – Morning Worship** in St Luke's
Preacher: Paul Littlefair
Reading: Matthew 9.35-10.8
Theme: Jesus sends out the disciples
- Monday 15th** **12.30 to 2.30 pm – Lunch Club** in St Luke's Church hall
- Wednesday 17th** **10.00 am – Morning Prayer** in St Luke's
- Sunday 21st** *Father's Day*
10.00 am – Holy Communion in St Luke's
Preacher: The Revd Helen Neville
Reading: Genesis 9.18-29
Theme: Honouring our Families



St Luke's is dependent on the generosity of those who give their time, money and energy to make our work possible, to maintain our building and reach out to the wider community with the love of God. If you'd like to give financially to support St Luke's, our work in the community or the maintenance of our buildings then your kindness would be gratefully received. Please click [here](#), use the QR code provided.

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Confirmations!

There will potentially be a Confirmation Service in October. If you would be interested in being confirmed, or would like to find out more about what confirmation involves, please speak to Helen.

PCC Meeting Summary

At the recent PCC meeting, members discussed a range of practical and strategic matters affecting parish life. A small sub-committee will explore professional financial advice and consider ethical investment options, with the aim of achieving sustainable income and longer-term growth. The cleaning contract will be reviewed to ensure continued value for money. Safeguarding arrangements and fire procedures were confirmed as up to date, and further work will be undertaken to develop a clear and accessible emergency contact list. Other items included agreement of hall hire terms, with potentially sensitive uses considered case by case, alongside early planning for Christmas activities and wider community engagement opportunities. Positive progress continues across several areas of church life. Date of the next meeting Wednesday 29th July.

LOOKING FOR.....

We are seeking a **Deputy Treasurer** to work alongside and shadow our Treasurer in all aspects of the role. Previous accounting experience would be an advantage, but it is not essential. If you are interested, please speak with Helen or our Church Wardens, Lynne Herbert and Rick Walker-Smith.



Alban Pilgrimage, Saturday 20th June 2026

Celebrate one of the greatest stories in the Christian Faith as 12ft puppets re-enact Alban's life (Britain's first saint) through the streets of St Albans. Celebrations will take place throughout the day and all are welcome to join in for this very special occasion.

11.00 am Alban Pilgrimage through the city centre

12.00 noon Eucharist at the Cathedral

10.00 am to 5.00 pm Entertainment and activities across St Albans city centre

4.00 pm Evensong at the Cathedral

For more details, please visit:

<https://www.stalbanscathedral.org/albanpilgrimage>

NOTICES

Bishop Andrew has graciously agreed to the **Bishop's Garden** being open to the public on Sundays this Summer. So far over £25,000 pounds has been raised for the Beds & Herts Historic Trust. Save the dates:

28th June - 4th July - 12th July - 19th July

2.00 to 4.00 pm

£5 entrance per adult – dogs on leads – no toilet facilities



Armed Forces Day

28th June 2026, 12.00 noon to 4.30 pm

St Stephen Parish Centre, Station Road, Bricket Wood, AL2 3PJ



We are delighted that St Luke's will have a presence at the forthcoming Armed Forces Day, led by our Messy Church team and supported by other members of the church community.

This is a wonderful opportunity for St Luke's to be involved in a significant local event while showing our support for the men and women who make up the Armed Forces community – including serving personnel, service families, veterans and cadets.

During the afternoon there will be:

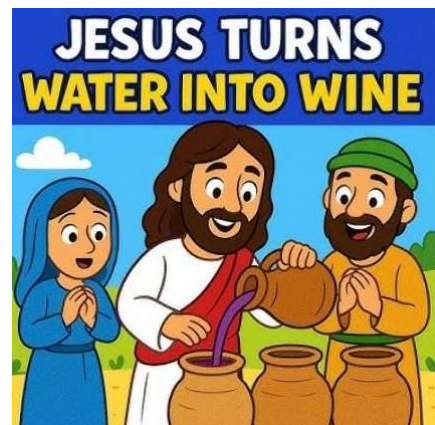
- A resident band
- Exhibitions and military memorabilia on display
- Refreshments provided and served by the WI
- An opportunity to ride in a World War I ammunition train
- Vintage cars
- And, fingers crossed, a Battle of Britain flypast

It promises to be a great day for all the family, and we look forward to seeing many of you there.



Messy Church, Sunday 19th July, 3.30 to 5.00 pm

We are looking forward to Messy Church this Summer in St Luke's church halls, with the theme: **Jesus turning water into wine**. A chance for families to come together and join in with activities, listen to a story and have refreshments in a warm and friendly atmosphere. Everyone is warmly invited and we hope you can make it, please share with others who might be interested in coming along.



PRAYERS

Kenneth Charles Brooks – The funeral of Kenneth will be held in St Luke's on Wednesday 24th June at 1.00 pm.

John Windo – A service of Thanksgiving will be held in St Luke's on Thursday 25th June at 11.30 am for our dear friend John; everyone is warmly invited.

John Featherstone – The funeral of John will take place on Thursday 2nd July at 11.30 am at West Herts Crematorium.

*Please remember them all in your prayers
especially their families and friends as they grieve.*

For those who are ill or in need:

Pat Cowell

Susan Hogg

Rachel Quarterman

Matthew Snell

Christine Thackham

Jonathan Veness

For all those who live and work in: Birch Copse; Blackboy Wood; Bluebird Way

For our Mission Partner:

CPAS

www.cpas.org.uk

The Second Sunday after Trinity

Faithful Creator,

whose mercy never fails:

deepen our faithfulness to you

and to your living Word,

Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

CONTACT

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This notice sheet is available in large print at the back of Church.

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Day off: Friday

*Should you need the ministry of a priest
please contact Helen directly at any time.*

Church Office:

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Office Hours:

Tuesday: 1.00 to 5.00 pm

Wednesday: 8.30 am to 12.30 pm

Thursday: 8.30 am to 12.30 pm

Please contact the office if you have an enquiry. The answerphone and email are checked regularly. Please be patient if you do not receive an immediate reply.

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