Benefice Newsletter

Kirk Langley, Mackworth, Mugginton, Long Lane & Longford

November 2026











Our Services

November 1st

Holy Communion 9.30am - St Michael's, Kirk Langley

Holy Communion 10.30am - Christ Church, Long Lane

November 8th

Remembrance Service 9.30am - St Michael's, Kirk Langley

Remembrance Service 10.30am - Mackworth Churchyard

Remembrance Service 10.45am - Christ Church, Long Lane

Remembrance Service 10.45 - St Chad's, Longford

Remembrance Service 3pm - All Saints', Mugginton

November 15th

Holy Communion 9.30am - St Michael's, Kirk Langley

November 22nd

Morning Prayer 9.30am - St Michael's, Kirk Langley

Holy Communion 9.30am - All Saints', Mugginton

All Age Holy Communion 11.15am - St Chad's, Longford

November 29th

Joint Benefice Holy Communion 10.30am - All Saints', Mugginton

(With the Ven Andie Brown)



Thanks from Mugginton

Many thanks to the school children and congregation of Mugginton who gave harvest gifts. These were taken to the Derby Food 4 Thought Alliance. This organisation supports people in Derby who are experiencing food insecurity, through food provision, signposting, support and advice. They partner with 17 food-based projects, including 6 community shops, community pantries, and traditional food projects.

Thank you to the 'flower girls' for a fantastic job of decorating the church!

Simon Smith

The funeral of Simon Smith took place on the 19th October at Mugginton. Over 200 mourners came to pay their respects.

WEDDING

EMMA ELIZABETH HAWKSWORTH
&
LORD NIGEL DAVID ENRIGHT
28TH NOVEMBER 12PM
ST MICHAEL'S, KIRK LANGLEY

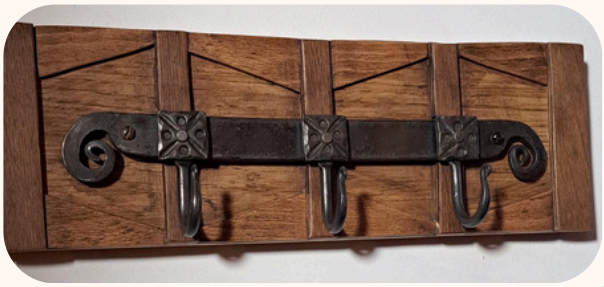
St Michael's Harvest Supper

After our harvest services in church a harvest supper of meat pie and vegetables followed by trifle or fruit salad was enjoyed by members and friends of St. Michael's. The event raised around £1500 for church funds. A BIG thank you to the team of helpers to make this a successful event!



Mugginton is All Hooked Up!

At the request of visiting clergy, a new coat hook has been made and fitted by Martin French,. It may only be a small (and beautiful) item, but it has already been used and appreciated. Thank you!



All Saints Mackworth Rebuilding Our Mission Project (ROMP)

Made possible with Heritage Fund

From 25 October, the PCC has started the 28 days statutory consultation notice period for the proposed interior design of our Church. During the consultation period any member of the public can offer a view on interior design plan. The list of statutory consultees include: Historic England; the Church of England's Church Building Council; Amber Valley Borough Council in their capacity as Planning Authority and Heritage; Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings; the Victorian Society and the Historic Buildings and Places Society. After the 28 days, our faculty will be passed to the Chancellor for a decision. Meanwhile we will begin the tendering process for the work with an anticipated start date of May 2027. We have also signed a contract with Croft Builders and Conservators to do all the repair works on the Tower and Spire. The work will also start in May 2027 and will take an estimated 28 weeks to complete. Our bells and clock will be restored as part of this project. The PCC is very grateful for the three grants w have received from the The National Heritage Lottery Fund, Garfield Weston Foundation an Benefact Trust which has made this project possible.

Collecting History

One of the consequences of the fire at All Saints' Mackworth was that we lost a large amount of records.We're now trying to gather records, photos and memories of Mackworth Church as part of a small history project supported by The National Heritage Lottery Fund alongside their grant for repairing the tower.

Does anyone happen to have any material/memories/ photos of Mackworth Church that they'd be prepared to share with us, please? Please email to allsaintsmackworth@icloud.com

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