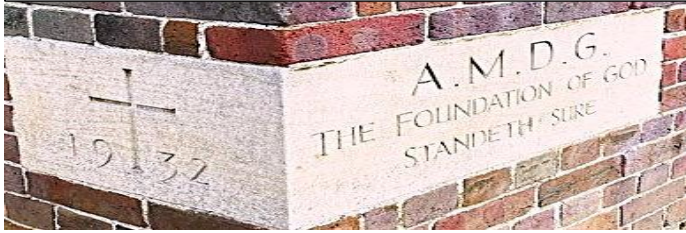


**All Saints' North Hillingdon**  
**20<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024 • Trinity 20**  
**Proper 23/28 Ordinary time**



At the heart of the gospel – the good news of God in Jesus Christ – is the power of God to bring healing, wholeness and restoration to broken lives and a divided and disfigured world.

The centrality of healing in Jesus' ministry can be seen in one of his own accounts of his work: 'the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised'. Fully one third all of all the verses in the four gospels are about Jesus bringing healing and delivering people from the hold which evil has over their lives.

Jesus called the twelve together and gave them power and authority over all demons and to cure diseases, and he sent them out to proclaim the kingdom of God and to heal. In the Acts of the Apostles we find this ministry continued after the death and resurrection of Jesus.

God empowers his church today to continue this ministry, bringing Jesus' healing touch to those who are sick in mind, body and spirit. Laying on of hands with prayer and anointing is available today: God knows your needs before you ask him.

**HYMNS AT 10 O'CLOCK**

<b>Gathering</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>Praise, my soul, the king</b>
<b>Gradual</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>Thine arm, O Lord, in days v1</b>
<b>Offertory</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>How sweet the name Omit 3,5</b>
<b>Comm.</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>Breathe on me, breath of God</b>
	<b>307</b>	<b>Sweet sacrament divine</b>
<b>Sending</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>Now thank we all our God</b>

**NOTICES THIS WEEK**

Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> October Healing Service. Revd Michael Bolley	Eucharistic service with opportunity for prayer and anointing with oil
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> October 5pm Fireworks display	John Arnold @Church Tickets from Lesley
All Souls Eucharist 10am Wed or Sat in Nov	to be confirmed
Friday 29th Nov 7pm Service of Remembrance - Please invite others -	With Brain Tumour Charity and Haven Funerals
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov - All Saints Christmas Bazaar	Church Hall 12-3pm

**GIVING/ BOILER UPDATE**

Our 40-year-old boiler is no longer serviceable and needs replacing, cost around £30,000. It would warm our hearts and bodies if you would consider increasing your weekly offering, or giving a one-off donation to:

**"All Saints Church Hillingdon Parish Church"**  
**Sort Code: 20-89-16 a/c number: 00107344**

**DONATIONS WANTED; Boxes at rear of church**

Quality items for our **Christmas Bazaar**, and also the **Food Bank** welcomes all donations e.g: Cereal, tins (soup, meat, veg, fruit), pasta, rice, tea, coffee, Biscuits and UHT milk.

**THIS WEEK'S INTERCESSIONS**

**We lift up to the Lord all who are being cared for in the parish, in particularly those who have asked for our prayers;**

*Mark Callaghan, Michael Worrell, Simon Matthews, David Rance, the Hamlin family, Hazel & Helen Parris, John Clarke, Mabel and Tony Poon-Jones, James Wills, Mark Callaghan, Linda Berry, Linnette & Barry Coombs, Lyn Prior*  
**May they know his grace, strength, blessing healing and salvation.**

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**We remember those whose anniversary falls at around this time:** *Maureen Hargreaves, Archibald Russell, Frances Longley, Douglas Mason, Marian Lane, Maudie Cole, Eileen Young, Shelia Morris, Paul Buckingham, Brian Moody (funeral Breakspear Crem 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 1.15pm).*

**MAGAZINE EDITOR REQUIRED!**

*A new team is now editing the church magazine, so if anyone feels inspired to help or contribute, let us know. New edition out this Sunday.*

**VISITS / HOME COMMUNION**

If you know of anyone who needs a visit, home communion or prayer, please let me know; Rev Ulric Gerry 01895 262024 [ulricgerry@icloud.com](mailto:ulricgerry@icloud.com)

**SOCIAL ACTION:** contact MP Danny Beales about assisted dying or winter fuel allowance:

[danny.beales.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:danny.beales.mp@parliament.uk)

**Parish Website:**

[www.allsaintsnorthhilligdon.co.uk](http://www.allsaintsnorthhilligdon.co.uk)

**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/ASHillingdon](https://www.facebook.com/ASHillingdon)



## COLLECT

Heavenly Father, you anointed your Son Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit and with power to bring to us all the blessings of your kingdom. Anoint your Church with the same Holy Spirit, that we who share in his suffering and victory may bear witness to the gospel of salvation; 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. **Amen**

## FIRST READING 2 Kings 5.9-14

*A reading from the Book of Kings.*

Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. <sup>10</sup> Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, 'Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean.' <sup>11</sup> But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, 'I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! <sup>12</sup> Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?' He turned and went away in a rage. <sup>13</sup> But his servants approached and said to him, 'Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, "Wash, and be clean?"' <sup>14</sup> So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

## PSALM

From Psalm 30

**R I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up.**

I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me.

O Lord my God, I cried out to you, and you restored me to health.

You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down to the grave **R**

Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.

For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, his favour for a lifetime. Weeping may spend the night, but joy comes in the morning. **R**

You have turned my wailing into dancing; you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy; Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever. **R**

## SECOND READING James 5.13-16

*A reading from the Letter of James*

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. <sup>14</sup> Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup> The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven.

<sup>16</sup> Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective.

## GOSPEL READING Luke 17.11-19

*Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke*

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. <sup>12</sup> As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, <sup>13</sup> they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' <sup>14</sup> When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. <sup>15</sup> Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. <sup>16</sup> He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. <sup>17</sup> Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they?' <sup>18</sup> Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' <sup>19</sup> Then he said to the Samaritan, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of all compassion, by the dying and rising of your Christ, you restore us to yourself and enfold us in your love. May we who have been refreshed with the bread of life and the cup of salvation be renewed by your healing Spirit and made ready for the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**