

**The Lamps are Sponsored in Memory of  
William Taylor**  
✠ RIP 5<sup>th</sup> October 2006  
*May he Rest in Peace*

**We pray for:**

Ukraine, Russia, Syria, Sudan, Yemen, Israel, Gaza, Lebanon and all places of unrest.

Fr Kevin and Jen in Jaffa, Israel.

Our Parish during our Interregnum.

**The Sick or in need of Prayer:**, The King, The Princess of Wales, Brenda, Garth, Jennifer (D), Charlie (D), Sylvia (D), Charlie (P), Richard, Sian, Bonnie, Diana, Amy, Kay, Caroline, Gary, Mary (M), Trevor, Mary (F), Tom, George, Danny, Nick, Evie (Baby), Finnian, Carole.

**Thanksgiving for the Departed:** for all the Recently Departed, and 5<sup>th</sup> – William Taylor whose anniversary occurs at this time.  
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	<i>Season</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Intention</i>
M	<i>St Jerome</i>	<i>M</i>	9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	Newly Ordained Priests
Tu	<i>St Therese of the Child Jesus</i>	<i>M</i>	9.30 a.m. Mass	Inward sincerity
W	<i>Holy Guardian Angels</i>	<i>M</i>	9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham 10.00 a.m. Little Lambs	Daily protection
Th	<i>Feria</i>		9.30 a.m. Mass	Society of the Holy Cross
F	<i>St Francis of Assisi</i>	<i>M</i>	9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	Respect for the planet
Sa	<i>Feria</i>		9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	The Faithful Departed
Su	<b>The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	✠	<b>9.00 am Morning Prayer 10.00 am Parish Mass</b>	<b>The Parish</b>

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All Saints, Perry Street  
*Under the Episcopal Care of the Bishop of Richborough*

**WEEKLY BULLETIN**

**Sunday 29th September 2024**

**The Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**9.00 a.m.  
Morning  
Prayer**

**10.00 a.m.  
Parish Mass**

*Celebrant & Preacher:*  
Fr James

**Our Parish is in Interregnum.** For Church matters contact the Churchwardens, for Spiritual matters contact Fr James or Fr Simon. To book a Baptism or Wedding contact Martin.

Thank you for your help with yesterday's Jumble Sale.

The Thursday Mass will be at **9.00 a.m. for this week only.**

The Richborough Family Quiz Night will take place on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 7.00 p.m. for 7.30 p.m. at St George's, Bickley. Please let Martin know if you are interested in going.

**Soupa Meal for Christian Aid, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October, 12.15 – 14.45 p.m. at St Georges, Church Hall, Gravesend.** £3.00 per person. Home-made soup, French bread, tea and coffee. Home-made stall. *All welcome.*

The Big Knit will take place at Rochester Cathedral on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October from 10.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m. Bring knitted squares or join the groups making them. Blankets are sold to promote Baby Loss Awareness Month. See poster at the back of the Church for more details.

We will be celebrating All Saints Day with a Sung Vigil Mass at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October. There will also be a said Mass at 10.00 a.m. on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November.

There will be a Requiem Mass of All Souls at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November. Please add the names of Loved Ones you would like remembered at the Mass to the list on the table in the south aisle.

If you would like a Memorial Candle on All Souls Day, please write the name the Loved One(s) you would like remembered on the front of an envelope (C6 size is best), place a donation inside the envelope, but don't seal it, and hand it to Martin.

Have you signed up yet to help at the Christmas Fayre? List in the south aisle.

If you pay your monthly draw (formerly the 100 Club) subscriptions in cash, these are due. £6.00 for the next quarter, £24 for the annual subscription. New members welcome. More members = bigger prizes and a larger donation to Church funds each month. Forms in the south aisle.

With now being the time of year that families ask for "Application forms for Secondary School" to be signed by their Place of Worship we respectfully remind you of our "School Policy": You should have attended Church regularly (at least one a month) for at least the past year before we can sign the form.

Available dates for **Lamp Sponsorship** for the rest of 2024 are: 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> October. Suggested donation £10. Envelopes on the table in the south aisle.

**IN THE SOUTH AISLE TODAY:**

**Mass intentions, prayers and readings**

**Flower arranging Rota**

List for **Christmas Fayre helpers**

A selection of **Greeting Cards.**

**Information leaflets and booklets.**

A collection box for **used postage stamps**  
for **Bone Cancer Research.**

A box for donations to  
**Northfleet Hive Hope Foodbank**

**Dates for Your Diary**

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October

9.30 a.m. Church cleaning

7.30 p.m. Richborough Family Quiz  
*at St George's, Bickley*

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October

9.30 a.m. Walsingham Mass  
*with Healing Ministries*

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October

12.15 p.m. Soupa Lunch  
*at St George's, Gravesend*

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October

10.00 a.m. Saturday Cuppa

Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October

7.30 p.m. Vigil Mass of All Saints

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

9.30 a.m. All Saints Day (said) Mass

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

10.00 a.m. Requiem Mass of All Souls

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November

11.00 a.m. Christmas Fayre

**Entrance Antiphon** *Dn 3: 31, 29, 30, 43, 42*

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

**Collect**

O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**First reading** *Numbers 11:25-29*

A reading from the Book of Numbers

The Lord came down in the Cloud. He spoke with Moses, but took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the spirit came on them they prophesied, but not again.

Two men had stayed back in the camp; one was called Eldad and the other Medad. The spirit came down on them; though they had not gone to the Tent, their names were enrolled among the rest. These began to prophesy in the camp. The young man ran to tell this to Moses, 'Look,' he said 'Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.' Then said Joshua the son of Nun, who had served Moses from his youth, 'My Lord Moses, stop them!' Moses answered him, 'Are you jealous on my account? If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets, and the Lord gave his Spirit to them all!'

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm** *Ps 18(19):8,10,12-14*

**The precepts of the Lord  
gladden the heart.**

*The law of the Lord is perfect,  
it re-vives the soul.  
The rule of the Lord is to be trusted,  
it gives wisdom to the simple. R*

*The fear of the Lord is holy,  
abiding for ever.  
The decrees of the Lord are truth  
and all of them just. R*

*So in them your servant finds in-struction;  
great reward is in their keeping.  
But who can detect all his errors?  
From hidden faults ac-quit me.  
The precepts of the Lord gladden the heart R*

*From presumption re-strain your servant  
and let it not rule me.  
Then shall I be blameless,  
clean from grave sin.*

**Second reading** *James 5:1-6*

A reading from the Letter of St James

An answer for the rich. Start crying, weep for the miseries that are coming to you. Your wealth is all rotting, your clothes are all eaten up by moths. All your gold and your silver are corroding away, and the same corrosion will be your own sentence, and eat into your body. It was a burning fire that you stored up as your treasure for the last days. Labourers mowed your fields, and you cheated them – listen to the wages that you kept back, calling out; realise that the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. On earth you have had a life of comfort and luxury; in the time of slaughter you went on eating to your heart's content. It was you who condemned the innocent and killed them; they offered you no resistance.

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation** *Jn 17:17*

*Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Your word is truth, O Lord:  
consecrate us in the truth.  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*

**Gospel** *Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48*

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

A reading from the holy Gospel  
according to Mark

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.'

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Prayer over the Offerings**

Grant us, O merciful God, that this our offering may find acceptance with you and that through it the wellspring of all blessing may be laid open before us. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Communion Antiphon** *Cf. Ps 118: 49-50*

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.

*or: 1 Jn 3: 16*

By this we came to know the love of God: that Christ laid down his life for us; so we ought to lay down our lives for one another.

**Prayer after Communion**

May this heavenly mystery, O Lord, restore us in mind and body, that we may be coheirs in glory with Christ, to whose suffering we are united whenever we proclaim his Death. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**