



The Parish of Bracknell: Holy Trinity with Mosaic

Called together to make Christ known



Bulletin

1st February 2026 4th Sunday of Epiphany

Dear Friends.

At Candlemas we stand at a turning point in the Church's year. The Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple draws the season of Epiphany to its close, gathering up its great themes of light, revelation, and promise. Simeon and Anna recognise in the child Jesus the fulfilment of God's faithfulness: a light to lighten the nations, and the glory of God's people.

As this week unfolds, we are invited to carry that light with us into the days ahead. Candlemas looks both backwards and forwards—back to Christmas joy, and forward toward the road that will lead us through Lent and on to Easter. It is a moment to reflect, to give thanks, and to renew our readiness to follow Christ wherever he leads.

May this week help us to see more clearly, to wait more faithfully, and to walk more confidently in the light of Christ.

This Week Sunday 1st February

8.00am

Service of the Word at Holy Trinity.

9.30am

Sung Communion at Holy Trinity.

Malachi 3: 1-5, Hebrews 2: 14-18, Luke 2: 22-40

10.30am

Service at Mosaic.

Luke 2: 22-40

Thursday 5th February - 10.00am

Holy Communion at Langley Hall.

Please do not arrive before 9.30am.

Next Week Sunday 8th February

8.00am

Service of The Word at Holy Trinity.

9.30am

All Age Communion at Holy Trinity.

Romans 8: 18-25, Matthew 6: 25-34

10.30am

Service at Mosaic.

2 Timothy 3: 14-17, Luke 24: 13-35

Thursday 12th February - 10.00am

Holy Communion at Langley Hall.

Please do not arrive before 9.30am.

Message from Robin Sharples

Please pass our thanks to everyone for the lovely flowers (and the chocolate surprise) (someone seems to know me quite well!).

Thinking of you all and hoping that things are going well. With every blessing, Robin

Heating Update!!

It is hoped heating will be fixed by Sunday. However please dress appropriately in warm clothes in case it isn't fixed.

Sparklers and more...

Activities for children at Mosaic:
10.30am on the 1st February

At Holy Trinity there is a collection point for 

Our Foodbank is in need of:

- Tinned fruit
- Orange juice long-life please
- Jam
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned meat puddings, pies, ham, hotdogs

Fresh food is available for collection between 1pm and 2.30pm on Friday afternoons at the Share Bracknell pop-up at St Andrew's, Priestwood.



To find out more please go to:

<https://www.facebook.com/sharebracknell>



Pray for our Parish

We gather online at 8.30am on Saturday 31st of January to give thanks for our blessings



Follow this link: [Parish Prayers](#) .



Holy Trinity Children's Church

Children's Church will be during the 9.30am service on the 1st of February. Children are invited to come directly to Langley Hall, and we will join the church service for Communion.

Children's Church is for Primary School Age children whose parents/carers are attending church only.

If you are seeking admission for your children to Ranelagh it is essential that you read the Admissions Policy available on the school's website

You must ensure that you sign in each time you attend church – Mosaic or Holy Trinity



Ranelagh School

VALUES - TRADITION - VISION - EXCELLENCE

Morning Prayer

During the cooler months we are meeting for informal Morning Prayer in Langley Hall on a Tuesday at 8.30am

All are welcome.

Please bring your mobile phone, if you have one, and download the 'Daily Prayer' app.

Maintenance Morning at Holy Trinity

The next Maintenance Morning is on Saturday February 7th as usual there are all sorts of jobs to do. Les will be here to keep things going and refreshments will be available. Join us from 9.00am to 12.00. If you want to do some gardening it is helpful if you can bring some tools. We look forward to seeing you



Our open table gathering will not meet in January, but we hope to meet again in February. We are looking for someone to lead /co-ordinate our meetings which are a real asset to our offering here in the parish. If you are interested in leading this initiative, please let Les know.

Have your say about what we need in the new Bishop of Oxford

Dear friends, the diocese are seeking our views as they look for a new Bishop, following Bishop Steven's retirement announcement.

We are invited to input via a short survey into the Statement of Needs document the Diocese are putting together. That document will set out information about the Diocese, including its hopes and challenges, and what people have said is important to them in a new Bishop.

The survey features four questions and will take less than ten minutes to complete. You can take part in the survey [by clicking here](#).

The survey will close on Wednesday 4th of February at 5pm - do have your say!

The Youth Group will meet on 8th February
in Langley Hall from 3 until 4.30
(not 15th as in last week's bulletin).
There will be pancakes, as well as a range of activities!



Healing Service - Sunday 15th February at 4 pm in Holy Trinity

As a stand-alone event, we invite you to come before God to pray specifically for our own healing or of those we know in any of the broad senses given above. Join us for this reflective service, where there will be the opportunity to be anointed with oil and to receive prayer, or just come to consider these questions about God at work through healing - **Sun 15th Feb, 4 pm Holy Trinity.**

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In week beginning 1st February we pray for:

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Our Parish: Holy Trinity and Mosaic, Town Centre Mission, our administrators Linda and Sally
Everyone working in the local Police, Fire and Ambulance services.

The many people who work for Charities and especially Share and The Food Bank.

We especially pray for Linda & Darren Edwards, Andy Taylor, Jean and Brian Sturges, Laura Chase, Rosalind Willatts, Fabio Pio Marques and Andrew Brown.

We remember All who have died recently before God and pray for their families and friends in their grief

At Year's Mind: Thomas Gordon Hoble & Raymond Allen Newman

Prisoner of Conscience: Gulmira Iman (47) is currently serving a 19 year 8 month prison sentence in Xinjiang Women's Prison, Urumqi, China. Her original life sentence was reduced after she had signed a 'statement of remorse'. She was originally sentenced for her involvement in protests against Uyghur ill treatment in 2009.

[The full Prayer Diary can be found at this link on the parish website](#)

DIOCESSE OF OXFORD

AMPLIFY ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES

- Zorbing
- 9 square
- inflatable football darts
- field and water games
- worship and small groups
- Campfire
- Late night walk

10TH-12TH JULY 2026

The Diocese is organising this weekend for young people at secondary school, and we have been invited to send a group. Please contact Lidya Mennie at Mosaic or Angela Evans at Holy Trinity as soon as possible if you are interested - cost will be £98 if we send a group of 6 or more. There are also discounts if two or more children from the same family apply.