

## Notices

**Today's service** we welcome into the Church through baptism Kirsty and Teri-Ann Enti.

**Welcome** to everyone to worship today. A collection is taken during the service, but you also make a donation using the contactless machine at the back of the Church.

**Refreshments** are served in the hall after the service

**Organist today** welcome to Steven Robinson

**Thursday Eucharist** as usual this week.

**Harvest Festival** was last Sunday. We again welcome gifts for the foodbanks at St. Paul's and the Good Shepherd churches in Hounslow. Items needed: rice; pasta; long life milk; tinned fish; baked beans; tinned vegetables; vegetable soup; cereal; tinned fruit; cooking sauce; biscuits. If you have not brought anything today, don't worry, one more Sunday for donations.

**Next Sunday, October 6th, 2024**

**St. Francis of Assisi**

*Readings:* Micah 6.6-8; Galatians 6.14-18; Luke 9.57-62

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## St. Francis of Assisi, Isleworth

### St. Michael and All Angels

### Sunday September 29th, 2024



**Today's celebration** in the 5th century, a basilica near Rome was dedicated on September 30th in honour of St. Michael the archangel, with the celebrations beginning on the 29th. Gradually, September 29th became a festival in a large part of the church. The word 'angel' means 'messenger', and it is an angel who brings good news to Mary that she is to conceive a son. How can we be 'angels', in this sense, today?

### For your prayers

For Kirsty and Terri-Ann Enti being baptised today, and Lockie Bell baptised yesterday

With thanks for the richness of creation; in penitence for the way we do not care for God's creation; for those who work on the land, and produce the food we eat

For all who do not have enough to eat, and efforts to overcome famine

For the Church especially where Christians are persecuted

For Sarah our bishop, and Emma our area bishop

For The King and for all in authority in this land

For peace in our world and especially in the Holy Land and Ukraine; for the wider Middle East; for Sudan and Myanmar in the midst of a civil war

For the sick and suffering, for those in hospital, in different forms of care or supported at home

For the departed especially all who have died recently, and all whose anniversaries fall at this time