

Notices

Refreshments are served in the hall after the service. Do come and share them, and enjoy fellowship together.

St. Francis' Day is today! There will be a fellowship lunch after the service—bring and share buffet: salmon, quiche, and some deserts will be provided, but all contributions welcome. Donations welcome. Names, please, on the list at the back of church.

Thursday eucharist this week at 10am.

Harvest Festival was last Sunday, and thank you for the gifts brought for the foodbanks in the parish of Hounslow West.

Next Sunday, October 8th at 11am
Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Readings: Isaiah 5.1-7; Philippians 3.4b-14; Matthew 21.33-end

A prayer in thanks for St. Francis

Keep us faithful, O God,
to the inspiration of blessed Francis,
that seeking nothing for ourselves
we may bring true riches to the world;
through him who gave himself for us,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Vicar and Area Director of Ordinands

The Revd. Peter Vannozzi
07368 453600
revpetervannozzi@gmail.com

www.stfrancis-isleworth.org

St. Francis of Assisi, Isleworth

Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Isleworth

Sunday October 1st, 2023



Today's celebration is an anticipation of St. Francis' day which falls on October 4th, the date on which he died in 1226. Themes of his life still speak today—love of God's creation, concern for the poor, a counter-cultural lifestyle, but he was also a mystic, an evangelist, a man of the eucharist, a loyal if critical child of the Church. His example still inspires today.

For your prayers

With thanks for St. Francis of Assisi
For members of Franciscan religious orders today
For The King, and for wisdom for all in authority
For the Church especially Sarah our bishop, and Emma our area bishop
For peace in our world
For Libya, Morocco, and other places where there have recently been disasters
For our community
For the sick and suffering, for those in hospital, in different forms of care or supported at home
For the departed, those recently, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.