

SUNDAY 19 AUGUST 2018 THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Welcome to everyone

If you are new to Holy Trinity, please introduce yourself to a member of the Welcome Team at the back of the Church.

Readings: Reading:

Ephesians 5. 15-20 pg 181

Gospel: John 6. 51-58 pg 91

Holy Communion8.00am

Reader: Chris Cornford

President: Revd Kay Dyer

Preacher: James Sorel-Cameron

Breakfast in the Parish Centre9.30am

Parish Eucharist10.00am

Hymns: Please see separate hymn sheet

Intercessor: Ronnie Mulryne

Reader: Anthony Woollard
President: Revd Steve Jarvis
Preacher: James Sorel-Cameron

Prayer ministry available in St Peter's Chapel during

Communion.

F.A.B. (Faith At Breakfast)10.00am

Leader: Phil Harper

Refreshments served in the Parish Centre.

HolyTrinity@Rosebird10.00am

Leader: Clare Bentall

Open to God6.00pm

Officiant & Preacher: Revd Steve JarvisSt Helen's,

Lives changed through God's love



Clifford Chambers

Hymns: 194 (SofF), 262 (A+M), (SofF): 51, 559 Reading: Ephesians 5. 15-20 pg 181

Gospel: John 6. 51-58 pg 91
President & Preacher: Revd Kay Dyer

All Saints', Luddington

Holy Communion 9.30 am

Hymns: 339, 357, 200, 362 Reader: Steve Loquens

Reading: Ephesians 5. 15-20 *pg 181* Gospel: John 6. 51-58 *pg 91*

President & Preacher: Revd Graham Wilcox

PRAYERS

INTERNET & VOTIVE CANDLE STAND PRAYER REQUESTS are offered at Morning Prayer each day.

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Andrea Blood Laura Reynolds Maurice Woodfield
Gary Evans Andrew Rainsberry John Taylor
Dorothy Lovett Fiona Southall Robbie Daly
Pat Sutton Lawrence Salmon Matt Collins

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Joan Rogers Pauline Tate

Names will be kept on the prayer list for three weeks. Please inform the Parish Office of a long-term illness.

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Betty James Melanie Simmonds Geoffrey Clarke Shelagh Sandle David Simpson

YEARS MIND

Maud Waterhouse – 22nd Tony Heathcote – 25th

THE PARISH PRAYER DIARY Please use this in your private prayers. Copies are available at the back of church.

COLLECT Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of 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

POST COMMUNION God of all mercy, in this eucharist you have set aside our sins and given us your healing: grant that we who are made whole in Christ may bring that healing to this broken world, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

THIS WEEK

CHURCH IS OPEN MONDAY - SATURDAY 9am - 6pm

Monday 20

9.15 am Morning Prayer
1.30 pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm Evening Prayer

Tuesday 21

9.15 am Morning Prayer 10.00 am Holy Communion

2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

4.15 pm Evening Prayer7.30 pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 22

9.15 am Morning Prayer

10.00 am Holy Communion at the Guild Chapel

10 am-12 pm Lay Chaplain available

1.00 pm Soundbites – Jessica Madden, pianist 1.30pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available

2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

4.15 pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 23

9.15 am Morning Prayer

12.000 pm Bell Ringing Team, Carlisle Cathedral

1.30 pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available 2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

4.15 pm Evening Prayer

Friday 24 Bartholomew the Apostle

9.15 am Morning Prayer

11.00 am Funeral of Melanie Simmonds 2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

3.30 pm Evening Prayer

Saturday 25

2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 26 AUGUST 2018

8.00 am
10.00 am
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6.00 pm
9.30 am
9.30 am

DURING THE SERVICE

RECEIVING COMMUNION Baptised, communicant members of any Church are welcome to receive the bread and wine. Otherwise please come forward for a blessing, bringing the service leaflet with you.

YOUR OFFERING A collection for the work of the church is usually taken during one of the hymns. If you are a UK taxpayer, please use the Gift Aid envelopes available in the boxes in the pews and chairs. Please complete in full with title, first and last name, etc. If you wish to join our regular giving scheme with either weekly envelopes or a standing order, please contact Chris Kennedy direct on 01789 299785 or through the Parish Office.

DURING THE PARISH EUCHARIST:

- Prayer Ministry is offered during Communion in St Peter's Chapel.
- A play space is available at the back of church for pre-school children accompanied by their parents.

HEARING LOOP SYSTEM & LARGE PRINT SERVICE BOOKS are available. Please ask one of the sidespeople.

OUR PARISH VISION PRAYER Ever living God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we pray for your blessing on this church and parish. Guide and inspire us to play our part in worshipping you, making disciples of Jesus Christ and transforming communities, so that we may see lives changed through your love. Amen

MINISTRY TEAM

Patrick Taylor, Vicar
Steve Jarvis, Associate Vicar,
Kay Dyer, Curate,
Phil Harper, Children and Families Minister,
Assistant Ministers (Honorary): Neville Beamer,
Andrew Dow,
John Hall-Matthews, Diane Patterson,
Jenny Rowland, Brian Russell,
Graham Wilcox.

Parish Office

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NOTICES

OPEN TO GOD In place of Evensong tonight there will be our monthly Open to God service held in church to which all are welcome to attend. This evening's service will be an Iona-style liturgy.

ALL AGE WORSHIP 2ND SEPTEMBER - BLESSING OF SCHOOL BAGS As the new school term begins, we gather all together at 10am in Holy Trinity and invite those at school to bring their book bag or rucksack to be blessed. Any adults who have a bag or case of some kind associated with their work are also invited to bring it in so that we can bless you in your work.

SOUNDBITES Wednesday 22nd August at Holy Trinity: Featuring Jessica Madden, pianist. Recital at 1.00pm, refreshments from 12.30pm. Admission free.

PARISH CENTRE NAME CONSULTATION The PCC are considering changing the name to "The Trinity Centre" and would like to hear your views. The reasons for the proposed change are that it makes the link with Holy Trinity Church clearer (whilst avoiding being mistaken for the church itself so that less tourists come in looking for a certain grave!) and it means we can call all the services that happen there on a Sunday morning "Trinity Centre@10" (there are currently different names for different weeks). If you have any comments please let us know via the Parish Office.

VISTOR EXPERIENCE SURVEY During the remainder of August and through September market researchers from Research Solution will be undertaking questionnaires with visitors to the church. This information will be valuable in enabling us to reflect on the visitor experience we provide as a church and the ministry of hospitality we offer. The survey will happen on a regular basis between the 16th August and the 15th September.

FUNDING FOR BORE HOLE IN KADUNA Request for help from our link Diocese in Kaduna, Nigeria. Two wells have collapsed, so a bore hole is needed. They have received some donations from Coventry Churches, but are still £1,300 short for the project, which is urgent as the dry season starts in October. Cheques can be made out to Coventry DBF and on the back put Pana Bore-Hole or cash in an envelope labelled with the project name handed in at the Parish Office. I will ensure it gets to the DBF. Thanks, Kay

HEAD VERGER Following the success of our Head Verger, Paul Harris, in being appointed Dean's Verger at Christ Church Cathedral, Oxford, we are now having to begin the difficult task of seeking a successor to fill his full-time role here at Holy Trinity Church. We will say farewell to Paul in early October.

We are seeking someone who, like Paul, will have energy, drive and experience of managing people and property to join the Operations Team in this key role. They will be working closely with the Leadership Team, Church Wardens and Parish Operations Manager in ensuring that all services in Holy Trinity Church are delivered to liturgically high standards, and that the many visitors each year receive a warm welcome.

Application packs, include job description and renumeration, are downloadable from http://www.stratford-upon-avon.org/staff-vacancies or available from wicar@stratford-upon-avon.org. The closing date for applications is Tuesday 28th August, at 12:00pm. Interviews will take place in the week om Tuesday 11th September 2018.

For an informal discussion about the post please contact us through our Parish Office by calling 01789 266316 or by emailing office@stratford-upon-avon.org

STRATFORD FOOD BANK is grateful for the contributions from Holy Trinity. Local families in crisis need more help during the summer holidays. Please note that, as well as food items, there is a need for other basic household necessities. Items currently being asked for include laundry and cleaning items, shampoo, deodorants, nappies size 3/4/5 and pet food. Food items needed now include baby food and formula, small jars of coffee, sponge puddings, tinned fruit, custard, tinned meat, tinned veg, instant mash, UHT milk, UHT juice and savoury snacks (crackers, nuts and crisps). For more information visit the Foodbank's website: stratforduponavon.foodbank.org.uk