
Sunday 11th October 2020
THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



At this time of great difficulty we hold you all in our prayers and ask God to be with each one us and all those who are unwell, worried or lonely.

Collect for the Week

God, our judge and saviour,
teach us to be open to your truth
and to trust in your love,
that we may live each day
with confidence in the salvation which is given
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Parish Church service will be posted on the website today.

**10.00 am Short Said Communion at the Parish Church
(live streamed)**
President: The Vicar, Minister & Preacher: Tim Cripps
Please see separate booklet

10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre
Lead: Daphne Pollard
Link: Rosemary Romano

Music: Lord the light of your love is shining
What a friend we have in Jesus
Make me a channel of your peace
Give me oil in my lamp

Reading: Philippians 4.1-9

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY 12th October *Wilfred of Ripon, Bishop, Missionary, 709*
8.00 pm Worship Committee in the Lodge

TUESDAY 13th *Edward the Confessor, King of England, 1066*
Parish Office closed

WEDNESDAY 14th

THURSDAY 15th *Teresa of Avila, Teacher of the Faith, 1582*

FRIDAY 16th *Nicholas Ridley, Bishop of London, and Hugh Latimer, Bishop of Worcester, Reformation Martyrs, 1555*
7.15 – 8.15 pm Full Choir practice at the Parish Church

SATURDAY 17th *Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr, c. 107*

NEXT SUNDAY 18th October
The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity
LUKE THE EVANGELIST

10.00 am Service of the Word at the Parish Church
Minister & Preacher: Tim Cripps
Please see booklet

10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre
Lead: The Vicar, Link: Susan Powley



NEWS and NOTES

From the Vicarage

Warm greetings to you all. With all the challenges we are facing it is not a good time to have more difficult news. You may have read or seen reports this week about the investigation into child sexual abuse within the Church of England. This is extremely distressing and my heart goes out to all those who have suffered in this way and sadly continue to do so. May I encourage us to pray for all affected and for abuse of any kind to come to an end. I know that this seems like a tall order, but with vigilance and collective care I believe we can make it happen. If you have any concerns or would like to discuss anything please contact myself or May.

APCM 2020

The Annual Church Parochial Meeting (APCM) due in April this year was postponed. It will now be held on Thursday 29th October at 7.45 pm. It will begin with the meeting for Election of Churchwardens, open to all in the parish and continue to the Annual Parochial Church Meeting, open to all on the church Electoral Roll.

The meetings will take place both over Zoom (details to follow) and physically at The Church Centre, for which places will need to be booked. Please see the sign up forms in the Parish Church and the Church Centre. Alternatively please advise Ginette in the Parish Office that you would like to attend in person.

If you would like to nominate someone for the position of Churchwarden, PCC Representative or Deanery Synod Representative, please do so by 23rd October using the correct form copies of which are located at the back of the Parish Church and the Church Centre or alternatively can be obtained from Ginette in the Parish Office.

JAMS AND PRESERVES POP UP SHOP

Sadly this year we will be unable to have our usual Autumn Fair in aid of the USPG due to COVID restrictions. However the Choir will still be selling jams and chutneys during the month of November. If you have any homemade produce which you would be willing to donate please contact Jane Goldsworthy on 07846 266085 or the Ginette in the Parish Office 01892 521447. Nearer the time a list of produce and prices will be compiled and published in the Pew Leaflet and on St Paul's website. Donation and collection points will be the Parish Office, either of the Churches and 5 Connaught Way or either of the two Churches. Please help to support this initiative so that the USPG does not miss out this year.

Harvest Festival

A huge thank you to the congregations of both Churches for the very generous donations last Sunday. On Monday many boxes of food items were delivered to St Augustine's, (who run the Soup Bowl, support families with regular food parcels and also help people who are homeless) and the local food bank Nourish.

We can continue to support these amazing charities throughout the year, there are collection boxes at the Church Centre and in the library at the Parish Church.

APCM

We are now compiling reports for our annual meeting. If you have not yet done so, please could you send your group's report either to Mione or Ginette in the Parish Office. Thank you.

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