



**The Chapels Royal of St Peter ad Vincula and St John the Evangelist
HM Tower of London**

Dear friends,

Roger and Cortland are currently leading a group of Chapel members and friends on pilgrimage to Turkey. Below are a few photographs of their time there so far.



At Gallipoli



In the Agora at Izmir (Smyrna in the Bible)

On Sunday 17th September The Reverend Jonathan Beswick, from St Peter's in Wapping, kindly took the Chapel services. Thank you to our congregation for making him so welcome.

Sunday service details – 24th September 2023
The sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

0915 Holy Communion St Peter ad Vincula

1100 Holy Communion St Peter ad Vincula

Readings

Ephesians 3: 13-end

Luke 7: 11-17.

Collect for Trinity 16

O Lord, we beseech thee, let thy continual pity cleanse and defend thy Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without thy succour, preserve it evermore by thy help and goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Date for the Diary

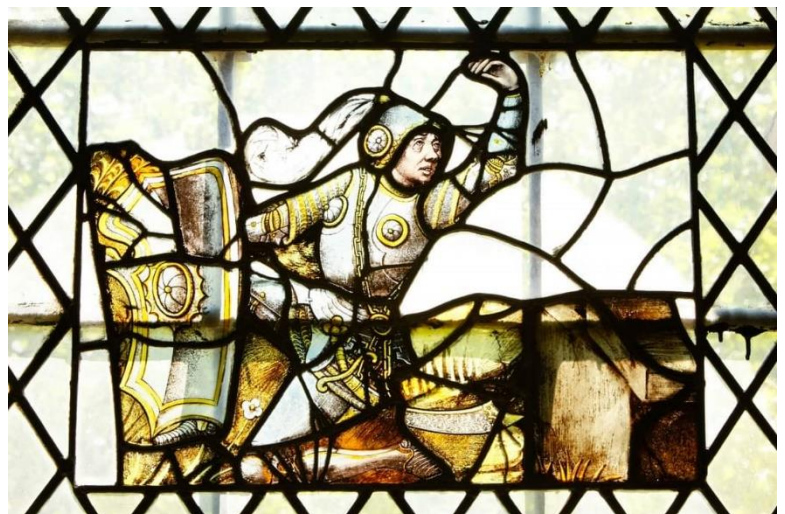
This year's Harvest Festival will be on Sunday 15th October.



Historic Royal Palaces



This stained glass in the Chapel of St John the Evangelist was once part of the collection of Sir Horace Walpole. It came to the Tower after it was bought in the great auction of his collection in 1842 and was installed in the Chapel in the late 19th century.



Prayers

Please continue to remember those on our sick list, some of whom are very ill, amongst whom we name:

Norma, Ann, Ros, Mark, Dan, Colin, Ian, Patti, Florence, Bridget, and Kofi.

RIP

Suzy Vernon, Sheila Whittingham, Venerable Frank Johnson and Alec Smith

Please continue to pray for Ukraine:

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace,
for wisdom, discernment, and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear,
that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of peace. Amen

With best wishes to all, Roger.



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