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# **'THE LOOKOUT'** SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2019 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY CHURCH SERVICES & EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> October TRINITY 17	0800 <b>1000</b>	Holy Communion Parish Eucharist
	1700	Evening Prayer
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup>	0910	Morning Prayer
	1800	Evening Prayer
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	0910	Morning Prayer
St Teresa of Avila	1000	Eucharist
	1030	Singing Kettle
	1800	Evening Prayer
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	0910	Morning Prayer
	1000	School Harvest Service in church
	1800	Evening Prayer
	1930	Knit and Natter in St Margaret's Cottage
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>	0910	Morning Prayer
St Ignatius	1000	Eucharist
	1800	Evening Prayer
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	No public services today	
ST LUKE THE EVANGELIST		
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup>	1000	Morning Prayer
Henry Martyn	1900	Music at St Margaret's: English Music for two Violas
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup>	0800	Holy Communion
TRINITY 18	1000	Parish Eucharist
	1600	*Children's Church in St Margaret's Cottage*
	1700	Evening Prayer

BEFORE THE PARISH EUCHARIST Quiet, please, from 0955 (a bell will be rung) "Talk to God before the service, and to one another afterwards"

HYMNS THIS MORNING		
ENTRANCE	19	
GRADUAL	30	
OFFERTORY	81	
COMMUNION	726 & 373	
FINAL	565	

#### The Collect (Opening Prayer) for the Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; through 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.** 

#### The Reading from the Old Testament – 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favour with his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. She said to her mistress, 'If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy.' When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, 'Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me.' But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, 'Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel.' So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, 'Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean.' But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, 'I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?' He turned and went away in a rage. But his servants approached and said to him, 'Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, "Wash, and be clean"?' So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean. Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; he came and stood before him and said, 'Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel; please accept a present from your servant.'

## The Gospel Reading – Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.' **Prayers of Intercession** 

**The sick and those who care for them**: John Leech, Esmé von Habsburg, Andrew West, Jenny Edwards, Margaret Montagu, Deirdre West, Barbara Webb, Beryl Scott, Elizabeth Perkis, Pippa, Jill Crossland, Susan Wiltshire, Ian Aslett, Issam Geib, Phil Gervait, Anne Smith, Gwendoline Lee, Chloe Grenier, Sarah Neve, Jean Talbot, Patrick Mills, Brian Doo, Alison Mason, Kate, Nikki Redman, Maureen Blakey

The recently departed: Reg France, Jean Pyle, David Sawyer,

**Anniversaries of death this week:** Jean Jones (13<sup>th</sup>); Guy Elliott (14<sup>th</sup>); Sean Scourfield (14<sup>th</sup>); Yvonne Smith (14<sup>th</sup>); Eileen Gamba (14<sup>th</sup>); Charles Cuddeford (15<sup>th</sup>); James Wood (15<sup>th</sup>); Denis Christian (16<sup>th</sup>); Wilfred Float (Priest, 16<sup>th</sup>); David Bishop (17<sup>th</sup>); Beattie Sweetman (18<sup>th</sup>); Diane Bower (19<sup>th</sup>)

## **Post-communion Prayer**

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS – TRINITY 18

Genesis 32:22-31; Luke 18: 1-8 Related readings - Psalm 121; 2 Timothy 3:14- 4:5



**Needed this week:** Washing up liquid, coffee, tinned potatoes, razors, shaving foam, tinned meat, long-life juice, cereal, long-life milk, male & female deodorants, shower gel, cat food. You can now make your donation through online supermarket shops more details can be found here-

https://thewhitehawk.foodbank.org.uk/2019/06/21/ordering-food-delivery-foodbank/. Many thanks for your ongoing support of the Foodbank. Please pray for its work and volunteers, and for the increasing number of people who rely on its services.

#### Women's group

Will be meeting in The Cottage on Monday, 14th October at 7.30 pm when Sam Collier will be talking on "Friends Against Scams". Gentlemen are very welcome to attend.

#### Children's Church Sunday 20th October, 1600-1730.

A time for fun, games and crafts- aimed at children of primary school age 4-11yrs- but younger siblings are welcome with a parent. Parents are asked to stay and we hope that you'll enjoy the session too, it's a great chance to catch up with other parents and take a breath before the week starts. The theme of our first session is New Beginnings and we will be preparing our Children's Church Shoeboxes for the appeal- *please do bring items along if you are able to*. For more details please speak to Mthr Lucy

#### **Healing Service**

The Healing Service will now take place on the fourth Sunday of the month. The next service will be on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 1700hrs.

#### Canterbury Pilgrimage 28th October

If you didn't note down the details of this trip in last weeks Lookout please speak to Mthr Lucy who can update you.

#### **Pastoral Visiting**

Our clergy and team of visitors are very happy to visit and bring communion to you at home/ in hospital when you are unable to attend church, due to ill health. Please do let your family and close friends know that in the event of you being taken ill you would like them to contact the Church on your behalf.

#### What is the Eucharist? A short study course

Following last Advent's sermon series on the Eucharist, Fr Anthony will be leading a 3-session course for people to explore in greater depth the meaning of the Eucharist service and why we do what we do. Three Tuesdays – 29<sup>th</sup> October, 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> November at 1900 in church. All welcome.

#### Floodlighting – suggested donation £32.50 for a month

*The church is being floodlit at night in the month of October by Simon Couzens and family in memory of Julian Peter Couzens RIP (d.01/09/19).* 

#### **Christmas Tree Festival 2019**

Now is the time to be getting you entry forms in. Forms are available at the back of the church for entering trees and also supporting in sponsorship and advertising. Get those creative thinking caps on entries to be received by **25<sup>th</sup> October** Do spread the word to friends and family.

#### Family & Elderly Shoebox Appeal

Once again we are supporting this Appeal to send Christmas gifts to people in need in Romania, Moldova, Ukraine and Bulgaria. Please see the leaflets at the back of church with suggested contents lists. Please bring filled and wrapped shoeboxes to the Family Eucharist on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 1000 when they will be blessed before beginning their long journeys.

## Quiz Night- Saturday 9th November

Quiz Night in the Rottingdean Village Hall 1800 for <u>1830 start</u>, £10 per person to include Fish and Chip supper. Bar, raffle and prizes. Teams of four people. Please add your names to the list in the porch, if you're on your own we will find you a team to join. Any queries please speak to Elaine E. 01273 302 255.

#### Friday 18th October 1930- Concert in Memory of Betty Virgo

There will be an organ concert by Nigel Wilby at St George's Church Kemp Town to celebrate the repair of their organ, which has been funded by David Virgo in memory of his mother Betty, who will be known to some of you. Funds raised will go towards St George's restoration fund tickets are available online <u>https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/organ-recital-by-nigel-wilby-tickets-71917610509?aff=ebdssbdestsearch</u>

#### Saturday 18th January 2020- Godly Play Introduction day

Are you known for your engaging story telling? Would you like to join our team of story-tellers for Children's Church? We will be hosting a Deanery wide introduction day to Godly Play on the 18<sup>th</sup> January- If you would like to know more please speak to Mthr Lucy.

#### **Tower Repair Update**

Works to the tower have begun and may take 3 months to complete. Please spread the word that **nobody should enter the construction site**. The work is costing cost around £100,000. The fund shows **£69,820.16** although we have received some donations since which are being processed, and there will be the £8,000 grant to come from Sussex Historic Churches Trust.

## **SAVE THE DATE!**

Events in blue are part of the Music at St Margaret's series

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 1900 – English Music for Two Violas Music by Dowland, Bridge and Rubbra Peter Mallinson and Matthias Wiesner, both from the BBC Symphony Orchestra This concert is generously sponsored by Mary Hanna

Saturday 9th November – Quiz Night at the Village Hall

Friday 6th – Sunday 8th December – Christmas Tree Festival

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 1930 – Ovingdean Choral Society Christmas Concert Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December at 1900 - The Rottingdean Mummers Play and handbells by the Copper Family

Sunday 5th January – Brighton Early Music Festival (BREMF) Concert

\*\*Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 1900<sup>\*\*</sup> – 'Fount & Origin' Early Music Choir from Oxford University This concert is generously sponsored by Sally Phillips and Jean Talbot

Friday 12th – Sunday 14th June – Flower Festival