

## Friday Fellowship News No 75 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021

#### Our values:

- Deeper into God
- Deeper into Fellowship
- Deeper into our Villages

### SUNDAY READINGS and MESSAGE Trinity 21

#### Psalm 19.7 - end

<sup>7</sup>The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul.

The statutes of the LORD are trustworthy, making wise the simple.

<sup>8</sup>The precepts of the LORD are right, giving joy to the heart.

The commands of the LORD are radiant, giving light to the eyes.

<sup>9</sup> The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever.

The decrees of the LORD are firm, and all of them are righteous.

They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold;

they are sweeter than honey, than honey from the honeycomb.

- <sup>11</sup> By them your servant is warned; in keeping them there is great reward.
- But who can discern their own errors? Forgive my hidden faults.
- <sup>13</sup> Keep your servant also from wilful sins; may they not rule over me.

Then I will be blameless, innocent of great transgression.

<sup>14</sup> May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight,

LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer.

1 Timothy 6: 6 -19

<sup>6</sup> But godliness with contentment is great gain. <sup>7</sup> For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. <sup>8</sup> But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that. <sup>9</sup> Those who want to get rich fall into temptation and a trap and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. <sup>10</sup> For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.

#### Final Charge to Timothy

<sup>11</sup>But you, man of God, flee from all this, and righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness. 12 Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses. <sup>13</sup> In the sight of God, who gives life to everything, and of Christ Jesus, who while testifying before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you <sup>14</sup> to keep this command without spot or blame until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, 15 which God will bring about in his own time—God, the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords, 16 who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no one has seen or can see. To him be honour and might forever. Amen.

<sup>17</sup>Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. <sup>18</sup>Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. <sup>19</sup>In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.

#### Matthew 6: 19 - 24 Treasures in Heaven

<sup>19</sup> "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. 20 But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. 21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. 22 "The eye is the lamp of the body. If your eyes are healthy, your whole body will be full of light. 23 But if your eyes are unhealthy, [d] your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light within you is darkness, how great is that darkness! 24 "No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.

#### **FOR YOUR PRAYERS**

**Saturday** – For people living in fear, anxiety, and distress because of COVID

**Sunday** – Maz Galley leading today's Morning worship service at St Denys Church

**Monday** – All suffering from any of the natural disasters that have happened recently

**Tuesday** – We pray for one another. Help us to grow together in faith and love

**Wednesday** - Christians in places where there is conflict

**Thursday** – People who are ill, in hospitals, at home, or wherever they may be.

**Friday** – For God's help with providing the finances needed to keep up with the Church maintenance

#### Those who are ill, or recovering

Paul recovering at home.

Joan Greenwood who is now staying at the Grange John Travis recovering at home Miriam Peck

#### Bereaved

Please pray for the family and friends of Mathew Godwin, including all at Stanford in the Vale School, adults and children, on losing a valued member of staff.

Also, please pray for the family and friends of Dave King



# Saturday November 20<sup>th</sup> Church Christmas Bazaar 11.30 – 2.00pm In the Village Hall Help and donations needed. We do need YOUR help!

Gifts, bath goods, books, raffle prizes, homemade cakes and produce all needed. Plates will be available at the back of the church.

COVID precautions will be observed.