Sunday 22nd September 2024 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



Collect for the Week

Gracious God,
you call us to fullness of life:
deliver us from unbelief
and banish our anxieties
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

8:00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

President & Preacher: The Vicar

10.00 am Matins (BCP)

Minister: Rev. Nicholas Burton, Preacher: Daphne Pilcher

10.00 am Family Service with Holy Communion at the Church Centre + Zoom

President: The Vicar, Link: Susan Powley

Hymns: Come, now is the time to worship

Brother sister let me serve you

I will offer up my life

10,000 reasons (bless the Lord)

Readings: James 3.13-4.3, 7-8a (NIV page 1215)

Mark 9.30-37 (NIV page 1013)

6.30 pm Parish Eucharist (CW)

President and Preacher: The Vicar



Altar Flowers at the Parish Church

The altar flowers are given today by Bruce and Janet Standring in loving memory of their daughters Lucy and Sophie

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY 23rd September

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer

4.00 pm Rainbows in the Lodge

TUESDAY 24th

Parish Office closed

WEDNESDAY 25th Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, Spiritual Writer 1626

9.00 am Play Time at St Paul's

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer

THURSDAY 26th Wilson Carlile, Founder of the Church Army, 1942

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer

10.30 am Flower Team meeting in the Lodge

12.30 pm Lunch Club at the Church Centre

FRIDAY 27th Vincent de Paul, Founder of the Congregation of the Mission, (Lazarists) 1660

10.00 am Church at the Church Centre open for private prayer

12.30 pm Community Larder at the Church Centre

6.30 pm Junior Choir practice

7.30 pm Full Choir practice

SATURDAY 28th

RSCM music exams at the Parish Church and Lodge all day

NEXT SUNDAY 29th September

MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

8:00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

President and Preacher: The Vicar

10.00 am Parish Eucharist (CW)

President and Preacher: The Vicar

10.00 am Family Service at the Church Centre + Zoom

Lead: Rev. Nicholas Burton, Link: Chris Bassett

6.30 pm Evensong (BCP)

Minister & Preacher: The Vicar

NEWS AND NOTES

From The Vicarage

Greetings to you all and a warm welcome to our services today, the Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. I'm very pleased that you are able to worship with us today and I pray that we will all continue to grow in our knowledge of and love for God, and also increase in our likeness of and resemblance to Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

From Vreni Gould

'Vreni and the family are most grateful for all the support and love they have received from members of St Paul's in recent weeks and thank everyone, especially Ronnie and the choir, for contributing to Wednesday's wonderful service of Thanksgiving for Tony. It was an uplifting occasion.'

Choristers Café

We are delighted to be opening the Choristers Café today in the Lodge from 10 am to 4 pm. The aim is to raise money to help with our trip to France in 2025. We plan to run the café on Saturdays and Sundays from 10 am to 4 pm. We look forward to welcoming you (and your dogs) for hot drinks and cakes etc. The Choir

Wheelchairs

Our wheelchairs at both Churches are now needing to be replaced or repaired. If you have one (or anyone you know has one) that could be donated to St Paul's, please contact Ginette in the office. Thank you.

Lunch Club

A new cook, Geff, will be joining the team in October, we look forward to welcoming him. Our thanks to Peter our current cook, who is moving away, for all his delicious cooking.



The flowers at the Church Centre today have been given by Viv in loving memory of her husband Reg

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Phone at the Parish Office

Apologies if you have been trying to get in touch – the phone line has been down since Thursday. Hopefully it will be restored early in the week (if not already!).

Harvest Festival Sunday 6th October

Our joint harvest service at the Parish Church will soon be upon us. If you would like to decorate a window please contact Daphne Hodges on 533492. The decorating is done on Saturday morning from 10.00 am.

Church Youth Council

Next meeting Thursday October 3rd when we will be building scarecrows! All children of secondary school age are very welcome.

Your Church Needs You!

The Autumn Fayre on 16th November is fast approaching. It is to raise funds for the church. There are lots of stalls planned and contributions are needed. There are large boxes in both Churches to drop off your donations. We would be grateful for:-Bottles, alcoholic or otherwise, secrets room gifts, Bric-a-brac Toys, games and children's books, Wrapping paper (to wrap gifts in the Secrets Room) Bathroom gifts, Books, CDs and DVDs, Sweets to fill jars Items suitable for Raffle prizes, hand crafted items for the Gifts Galore Stall And nearer the day, cakes and savouries.

Any offers of help on the day or to set up and clear away would be gratefully received. Please contact Jean Kerr via the Parish Office. Thank you.

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