Newsletter and Notices

Sunday 17th October 2021 Twentieth Sunday after Trinity



| 8am Holy Communion, in Church 10am Service of the Word, in Church & Zoom Come and enjoy refreshments in (or outside) the WCC after the 10am service. You are welcome to share in our worship in the following ways: 1. Come to Church All are welcome! Remember to bring your order of service for the 10am service. 2. Join Derek's Zoom on your computer When signed in you can 'Join a Meeting' (ID: 927 480 8728 / Passcode: 889123). 3. Join with Audio Zoom via phone a) Call 0131 460 1196 b) Enter Meeting ID followed by #, then enter Meeting Passcode followed by # You will be muted automatically when you join the 'meeting' (service). Collect for The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; 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. | A Psalm for Trinity 20, Psalm 91. 9-end <i>Refrain: Keep me as the apple of your eye.</i> Because you have made the Lord your refuge and the Most High your stronghold, There shall no evil happen to you, neither shall any plague come near your tent. For he shall give his angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways. <i>[R]</i> They shall bear you in their hands, lest you dash your foot against a stone. You shall tread upon the lion and adder; the young lion and the serpent you shall trample underfoot. <i>[R]</i> Because they have set their love upon me, therefore will I deliver them; I will fit them up, because they know my name. They will call upon me and I will answer them; I am with them in trouble, I will deliver them and bring them to honour. <i>[R]</i> With long life will I satisfy them and show them my salvation. <i>[R]</i> <i>Keep us, good Lord,</i> <i>under the shadow of your mercy</i> <i>and, as you have bound us to yourself in love,</i> <i>leave us not who call upon your name,</i> <i>but grant us your salvation,</i> <i>made known in the cross of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.</i> |
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| Come and share our short session for children and young people during our Sunday 10am service EVERY WEEK! We invite children, with their adults, to come into the Lady Chapel during part of the service, and share in a short Godly Play (a visual storytelling of scriptures, with wondering questions for all ages to share together). There will be a display in the Lady Chapel most weeks, if you'd like to find out more! You might also like to explore the links on our <u>Children & Young People</u> page. There's a <u>printable sheet</u> which offers a prayer/activities that will help young people get to know the person of Jesus. This week's is based on today's Gospel reading. | A Gospel reading for The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity, Mark 10. 35-45 James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.' When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom |
| The Rev'd Derwyn Williams (Vicar)899261Churchwarden: Rosemary Thomson758389The Rev'd Derek Hinge (PTO)652173Deputy Churchwardens:The Rev'd June Knight (PTO)771756C Conquest, G Johnson, T Pigram, P RixsonRob Klincke (Reader)833523Parish Office01279 654416Vicar's Email: stmichaelsbsvicar@gmail.comEmail: church@saintmichaelweb.org.ukV | they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give |

his life a ransom for many.'

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The church is open each day, from early morning to mid afternoon. An opportunity to spend some comforting time in prayer, peace and reflection.

Introduction to Tales from the Tower, Sunday 17th October - During coffee after the 10am service, Alan Padgett will be offering a five-minute introduction to his new book about St Michael's Bells. All are invited to come and listen to his brief talk.

Opportunities to volunteer at Holy Trinity Night Shelter - If you have a couple of hours spare and feel you can make a difference in someone's journey, come along to our induction session on Sunday 17th October at 2pm.

EHCCA Evensong, 6:30pm, Sunday 17th October, Hatfield Broad Oak - Have you missed this aspect of our worship? You are warmly invited to the combined choirs Festival Evensong, including members of our own choir, at St Mary the Virgin, Hatfield Broad Oak.

Holy Communion, Wednesday 20th October, 10am - A service of Holy Communion, in church and via Derek's Zoom (ID: 927 480 8728 / Passcode: 889123). You can also dial in by phone; instructions on previous page.



Tiny Tots, Wednesday 20th October, 11 for **11:15am –** We're delighted to be offering a new style of worship for babies/toddlers and their parents / carers. Join us for refreshments. fellowship and a little chance for the children to play before the service too! We're delighted that Tiny Tots will take place in the Half Term break (27th October) too, so please come along!

Prayers for our Community in Church, Saturday 23rd October. 9:30am A half hour session of informal prayer. All welcome.

10am service, 24th October - The main service on 24th October will be Holy Communion including Holy Baptism. As well as the font, we'll being using the lectern and pulpit again, so this more developed liturgy won't be amenable to Zoom. Those wishing to access a communion service by Zoom may do so on Wednesdays 20th and 27th October if they would like

to join (please remember to use Derek's details, as above).

Commemoration All Souls' Service, 10am, Sunday 31st October – All are welcome to this reflective service, with readings, choral music, prayers and lighting of candles.

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TLC Club launches, Tuesday 2nd November, 2-4:30pm – A monthly event on the first Tuesday of the month for anyone who wishes to attend. The idea is for members of our community to be able to join in with tea and talk and perhaps opportunities such as making greetings cards, small flower arrangements, board games ... and then we hope that later each afternoon we will welcome families after school for a short while, to share in reading/play and enjoy a biscuit/cake/fruit snack.

Organ Recital with Richard Carr, Saturday 20th November – Proceeds to the Bells Appeal. 7-8pm with refreshments afterwards. More details in due course.

Salisbury Flower Festival 10-12th May 2022 - There is a folder in the Publicity Area for people to register interest. Please do so soon so that we can make a definite booking! Any questions, please contact Rosemary Thomson.

Autumn/Winter church opening - The Church will be locked at 3:30pm Monday -Thursday. Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays may be a little later to accommodate visitors.

Were you inspired by the singing from our Choir recently? We'd love more people of all ages to join us! If you're interested in singing with the Choir more regularly, please do contact the Parish Office to find out more.

Director of Music applications invited – We seek to employ a church musician who can help us all move forward in our worshipping and musical life. An exciting and creative opportunity awaits, as we look to remember and reclaim precious traditions, and also apply new lessons learnt in the recent testing times. The Prospectus for the role, Application Form, and further documentation are on our website here. It's available to all to share, publicise or mention as may be helpful. Thank you, Derwyn.

Considering schools for your little ones? Come join our St Michaels' School Family! We offer all day provision in Nursery. Do look at our school website and follow the link for the virtual tour to find out more about our wonderful school and our 'Outstanding' (OFSTED 2019) Early Years.

Would you like a church kneeler? Perhaps for gardening use? If you'd like one, perhaps in return for a small donation, please speak to Rosemary.

Recycling at St Michael's Church - Sadly, we are no longer accepting crisp packets since Holy Trinity Church do not now have the capacity to recycle them.

Would you like to receive news and information from St Michael's electronically? May we invite new or newer worshippers to think about completing a Welcome Card, and submitting your email on it if you wish.

More details of all services and events are available on the Calendar page on our website. Do follow us on Social Media too, for regular updates.