

The Parish of Holy Trinity with St Columba News Sheet

19th August 2018

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP TODAY



SERVICES

During this morning's 9.30am service, there will be activities for children at the back of church. Visiting children are most welcome to join us.

8.00am Holy Communion:
Revd Sally Davenport

9.30am Family Service all together:
Revd Sally Davenport

Testimony: Lynsey Sutcliffe

Reader: Linda Sutcliffe

Readings Today:

Ephesians 5:15-20, John 6:51-58

Prayer Ministry will be offered after the 9.30am service by Michael Cooper and Lesley Cooper.



St Columba Church
changing lives

SERVICES

During this morning's 10.00am service, there will be activities for children at the back of the church. Visiting children are most welcome to join us.

8.00am Said Communion:
Revd Ann Burr

10.00am Morning Worship:
Revd Gary Snape & Revd Lorraine Snape

Talk: Ann Easton

Reader: Margaret Handley

Intercessor: Elizabeth Whiteley

Readings Today:

Ephesians 5:15-20, John 6:51-58

Prayer Ministry will be offered after the 10.00am service.

Sunday 26th August— 13th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Parish Communion

St Columba

8.00am Said Communion

10.00am Holy Communion

Readings for next Sunday

Ephesians 6:10-20, John 6:56-69

COLLECT for 19th August 2018:

**God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us;
remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord ... Amen**

Short term prayers: Jacquie Wood

Long term prayers will be listed on 2nd Sunday of each month, but we will of course keep these people in our prayers weekly. Please speak to Elizabeth (HT) or Ann (SC)

Those who have died, their family and friends: Daphne Bailey & Marjorie Townsend

This week we pray for those living in and around the following roads in our Parish:

Frosthole Close, Gatcombe Gardens, Gaylyn Way, Gibraltar Close & Gifford Close.

This month we are praying for Medecins San Frontier, Nigeria:

An independent humanitarian charity which provides emergency & medical relief to victims of war, natural disasters and epidemics irrespective of race, religion, gender or political affiliation. Please pray for:

- the fighting between Boko Haram and the Nigerian army leaves people vulnerable to malnourishment in camps and vulnerable to attack when out collecting firewood. Give thanks for Michael Githinji who came up with a creative alternative to firewood; sugar cane peel, a cheap, easily available and sustainable product.
- support among the local elders and the women, to work together on this project for a successful result, which can be adopted in other parts of Nigeria.

Fareham Deanery Cycle of Prayer: Parish of St John the Evangelist, Fareham.

Staff: Revd Bruce Deans, Chris Ahern, Helen Andrews, Ian Cranstone, Caroline Deans, Alan Ferrier, Jeremy Hicks, Joanne Newton (licensed to QA), Brian Powell, Jeanette Poulter and Elizabeth Webb.

Prayers of thanksgiving:

- For the success of another "Great Give-away Day" of items to the community.
- For Bruce's sabbatical and for all its benefits for Bruce and his family.
- For the leaders of the children's church team; for their commitment and endeavour in the past year.

Please pray for:

- a smooth start to the college pastors initiative in the autumn term.
- the process of finding a suitable partner organisation in developing the proposed Debt Centre.
- Inspirations, all-age services throughout August.

PARISH EVENTS DIARY

Christians Together in Fareham: Fareham Baptist New Life Church, Fareham.

Tools for Self Reliance collect, refurbish and distribute tradesmen's tools where needed in Africa. They also collect sewing machines and haberdashery for enabling a pop-up business to support families. There are collecting tubs at the back of the Church for donations or contact Maurice Shergold 01329 288916 if you have questions or need things collected.

TODAY: Sunday 19th August, 12.30pm Parish Picnic at Manor Farm Country Park. Bring yourselves and a picnic and we'll bring some open-air activities for those who wish to join in. Park in the Barnfield pay-and-display car park, on the right hand side. The cost for parking is £5 for the afternoon.

Sunday, 26th August—Fellowship Lunch
Please let Judy Jacobs know if you can't attend.

Tuesday, 28th August—12.30 – 1.15pm Lunch Time Concert
Judith Wolpe with Karen Kingsley Violin and Piano
Free admission - retiring collection in aid of Church Funds.



Saturday, 1st September—10am-12noon - The Highlands Hub Jumble Sale
FREE ENTRY, Most items £1 or less!
All proceeds go towards keeping the Highlands Hub supporting its local Community.



Saturday, 8th September 2018. Cycle, walk, run, ride or drive to raise money for the region's historic churches and chapels of all denominations. Participants seek sponsorship to visit as many churches on the yearly list as they wish. Plan your own route and set your own speed. For more information, please speak to Sylvia Coghlan.

Pilgrim Course - A 6 week course for the Christian journey—The Bible.
Starting: Monday 10th September 2018, 7pm-9pm, Holy Trinity Church.

Explore the Bible: what it is, how it was given to us and how we should read it. Its six sessions combine simple prayer, Bible reflection in the lectio divina style, an article by a modern writer, and time for questions and reflection.



To reserve a place, please contact the Parish Office or sign sheet at back of church.

Floodlighting sponsored this week
by Judy Jacobs
In loving memory of Leslie's birthday; 18th August.



THIS WEEK'S DIARY**HOLY TRINITY / ST COLUMBA**

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| Monday 20th August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-3pm</i> 9.00am Morning Prayer | HT Church |
| Tuesday 21st August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-3pm</i> 8.45am Morning Prayer 9.30am Prayer Group 2.00pm Mother's Union | SC Church HT Church HT Hall |
| Wednesday 22nd August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-3pm</i> 9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Little Fishes 10.30am Holy Communion <i>Readings: Ezekiel 34:1-11</i> <i>Matthew 20:1-16</i> | HT Church HT Hall HT Church |
| Thursday 23rd August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-1pm</i> 9.00am Morning Prayer | Highlands Hub |
| Friday 24th August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-3pm</i> | |
| Saturday 25th August | <i>Holy Trinity Church open 11am-1pm</i> | |

Dates for your diary:

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| Tuesday 28th August | Lunchtime Concert Judith Wolpe with Karen Kingsley | HT Church |
| Saturday 8th September | Ride and Stride | |
| Sunday 9th September | Parent Free Zone | United Reformed Church |
| Monday 10th September | Pilgrim Course | HT Church |

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