

INTERCESSIONS

Please remember in your prayers...

The World Church:

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Iceland and Bishop Agnes Sigurdardotti with Bishops Kristjan Ingolfsson and Solveig Gudmundsdottir. The Spanish Reformed Episcopal Church and Bishop Carlos Lozano and the Church of the Province of Myanmar in Burma with Archbishop Stephen Myint Oo.

Churches Together:

The congregation and leaders of Wollaston Methodist Church

Bishop John:

Please pray for all those involved in organising this year's church tent at the Three Counties Show and for all those who will visit.

Please pray for:

Clair and Mathew who will be married here next Saturday. Hugo Patrick Tate and Frederick Steven Floud, who are to be baptised here later today.

Those living in:

Lutley Drive and Chawn Park Drive

Local Community:

Students and staff of Pedmore Technology College.

Among those who are ill:

Susan Haskew, Lesley Price, Michael Reuter, Anna Scudamore, William Bates, Rory Macintosh, Richard Tatler, Brian Norgrove, Marilyn Thomson, Cliff Day, Sally Taylor, Hazel White, Eddie Hind, Doreen Ryan, Margaret Casey, Brenda Cadwallader, Kathleen Rogers, Mike Blaxland and Michael Woodall.

We continue to pray for:

Sanchia Farman, Eleanor Hill, Lennon Southall, Vicky Croydon, Martin Aston, Jonathan Bryan, Audrey Cartwright, Ruth Hardy, Pauline Parsons, Ros Bickel, Noah Cantius, James Allport, and Callum Loveridge.

Those in Residential and Nursing Home care:

Sheila Westwood, Pat Skinner, Margaret Pole, June O'Brien, Roy Green and Ethel James.

The departed:

Annie Stevens, Brother Martin SSF, Bill Bedford.

May they know the peace and joy of God's Kingdom.

Please pray for families and friends of all who mourn the loss of loved ones.

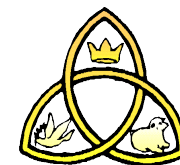
Please inform the clergy as soon as possible if you know of any illness or particular need within the congregation.

NEXT SUNDAY
22nd June
First Sunday after Trinity
8.00am Communion (BCP)
10.00am Parish Communion
6.30pm Evensong



St Mary's Church Old Swinford

Sunday 15th June 2014
Trinity Sunday



TRINITY SUNDAY

A warm welcome to any visitors who are worshipping with us today.

Please join us for coffee in the Narthex after our 10.00am service.

If you would like to find out more information about any of the activities associated with church please speak to a warden or sides person or visit our website at: www.stmaryschurcholdswinford.org.uk

Our services today are as follows:

8.00am - Holy Communion

Collect, Epistle, Gospel P201

Sides: Eve Evans

President: Revd Stephen Agnew

10.00am - Parish Communion

Preacher: Roy Peacock

President: Revd Stephen Agnew

Reader: Joan Ram

Intercessions: Peter Thomson

Sides: John Evans & Andrew Scudamore

Warden: Les Timms

Anthem: Ave verum—*Elgar*

Voluntary: Processional - *Mathias*

Children Together: Peter & Kathryn Hancox

6.30pm - Evensong

Preacher: Revd Stephen Agnew

Officiant: Kanthi Ariaraj

Sides: Marjorie Ferguson

Warden: Judy Hall

Readers: Marjorie Ferguson Isaiah 6:1-

8 & Judy Hall John 16: 5-15

Intercessions: Kanthi Ariaraj

Anthem: Before the ending of the day—*Little*

Voluntary: Fantasia in G—*Bach*

There are bags of toys available for children at the back of church. Please ask a sides person if you would like to borrow one during the service.



Collect for this week:

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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

DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

Tuesday 17

2.00pm Anchor Bereavement Group meeting in the Coach House.

Thursday 19

10.30am Holy Communion
7.00pm King Edward VI College Charter Day Service.

Saturday 21

10.00am—11.00am Vestry Hour
10.00am—12.00pm Open Church & Mission Committee Coffee Morning.
3.00pm Wedding of Clair and Mathew.
Visiting working party in the churchyard.

The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 40: 12-17, 27—31

Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand, or with the breadth of his hand marked off the heavens? Who has held the dust of the earth in a basket, or weighed the mountains on the scales and the hills in a balance? Who has understood the mind of the LORD, or instructed him as his counsellor?

Whom did the LORD consult to enlighten him, and who taught him the right way? Who was it that taught him knowledge or showed him the path of understanding? Surely the nations are like a drop in a bucket; they are regarded as dust on the scales; he weighs the islands as though they were fine dust. Lebanon is not sufficient for altar fires, nor its animals enough for burnt offerings. Before him all the nations are as nothing; they are regarded by him as worthless and less than nothing.

Why do you say, O Jacob, and complain, O Israel, “My way is hidden from the LORD; my cause is disregarded by my God”? Do you not know? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no-one can fathom.

He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.

This is the Word of the Lord
THANKS BE TO GOD.

The Gospel Reading

Matthew 28: 16-20

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

GLORY TO YOU O LORD

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”



This is the Gospel of the Lord
PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST.