

## INTERCESSIONS

Please remember in your prayers...

### **The World Church:**

The Diocese of Linköping in Sweden and Bishop Martin Modeus. Also the Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea and Archbishop Clyde Igara.

### **Churches Together:**

Holy Trinity Amblecote

### **Bishop John:**

Please pray for all those involved in bringing the important pilgrim artefacts back to the Cathedral and for those whose faith journey may be affected as a result.

### **Please pray for:**

Charlotte and Ian who were married here yesterday. Michael and Rebecca who will be married here next Saturday. The children in year 6 at Old Swinford Primary School who will be attending their leavers' service in church on Wednesday and are preparing to move schools.

### **Those living in:**

Swincross Road and Field Lane

### **Local Community:**

Residents and staff of Holly Lodge nursing home.

### **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, Eddie Hind, Doreen Ryan, Brenda Cadwallader, Kathleen Rogers, Joan Timms 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:**

Joyce Diane Allaway, Jean Lovell.

*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**  
**20th July**  
**Fifth Sunday after Trinity**  
8.00am Communion (BCP)  
10.00am Parish Communion  
6.30pm Evensong



St Mary's Church Old Swinford

Sunday 13th July 2014  
Fourth Sunday after Trinity



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](http://www.stmaryschurcholdswinford.org.uk)

### **Our services today are as follows:**

#### **8.00am - Holy Communion**

Collect, Epistle, Gospel P210

**Sides:** Roger King

**President:** Revd Stephen Agnew

#### **10.00am - Worship Together**

**Officiant:** Revd Stephen Agnew

**Sides:** John Evans & Andrew Scudamore

**Warden:** Maggie Abbotts

**Reader:** Will Peart

Music led by our music group



#### **6.30pm - Evensong**

**Preacher:** Revd Stephen Agnew

**Officiant:** Revd Stephen Agnew

**Sides:** Gill Tatler

**Warden:** Marjorie Ferguson

**Readers:** Gill Tatler 2 Sam 7: 18-29  
& Marjorie Ferguson Luke 19: 41-20:8

**Intercessions:** Roy Peacock

**Anthem:** Loving shepherd of thy sheep—*Ledger*

**Voluntary:** Festival Voluntary – *Peeters*

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:**

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, 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**

12 noon today—Parish Picnic

#### **Monday 14**

Visit to Holland House

#### **Tuesday 15**

2.00pm Anchor Bereavement Group meeting in the Coach House

#### **Wednesday 16**

7.00pm Old Swinford Primary School Year 6 Leavers' Service

#### **Thursday 17**

10.30am Confirmation Service with Bishop Graham.

#### **Friday 18**

Stephen's day off.

#### **Saturday 19**

9.30am—12 noon—Working party in the churchyard.

10.00am—11.00am Vestry Hour

10.00am—12.00pm Open Church

12.30pm Wedding of Michael and Rebecca

# *"God's word in your hearts"*

## Welcome and Notices

### The Gathering

Let everything be said and done in the name of the Lord Jesus,  
**giving thanks to God through Jesus Christ.**

Sing psalms, hymns and sacred songs:

**let us sing to God with thankful hearts.**

Open our lips, Lord: **And we shall praise your name.**

**HYMN:** - NHWS 84 From the sun's rising.

Lord, direct our thoughts and teach us to pray.  
Lift up our hearts to worship you in Spirit and in truth, through Jesus  
Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### CONFESSION

The spirit of the Lord fills the world, and knows our every action and  
thought, let us open ourselves to God and confess those things that we have  
done, said and thought, that are against his love.

God our Father, we come to you in sorrow for those things we have done,  
wrong, for turning away from you and ignoring you in our lives.

Father forgive us. **Save us and help us.**

For behaving just as we wish, without thinking of you,

Father forgive us. **Save us and help us.**

For failing you by what we have done, thought and said,

Father forgive us, **Save us and help us.**

For living as if we were ashamed to belong to your Son,

Father forgive us, **Save us and help us.**

May the God of love bring us back to himself, forgive us our sins, and assure  
us of his forgiveness in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Blessed is the Lord,

**For he has heard the voice of our prayer;**

Therefore shall our hearts dance for joy

**And in our song will we praise our God.**

*A Prayer of Thanksgiving is said which ends....*

Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

**Blessed be God for ever.**



We say together the collect (see front page)

**HYMN OF PRAISE** - NHWS 137 I am a new creation

Please feel free to take this pew sheet away and recycle. 

**READING** Matthew 13: 1—9, 18—23

**Address:**

**HYMN** - AMNS 431 We have a gospel

**Prayers:**

**Response:** We pray to the Lord **Lord, hear our prayer.**



Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us....

**Our Father, who art in heaven,**

**Hallowed be thy name,**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done**

**On earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread**

**And forgive us our trespasses,**

**As we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory  
for ever and ever. Amen.**



### Welcome to the newly baptised

Faith is the gift of God to his people.

In baptism the Lord is adding to our number those whom he is calling.  
People of God, will you welcome these children and uphold them in their  
new life in Christ?

**With the help of God we will.**

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism; by the one Spirit we were all  
baptised into one body.

**We welcome you into the fellowship of faith; we are children of the  
same heavenly Father; we welcome you.**

### Peace

Jesus said, 'love on another. As I have loved you, so you are to love one  
another.'

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.** Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

**HYMN**—NHWS 204 Lord, for the years.  
(during which the collection will be taken)



### The Blessing followed by the Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord  
**In the name of Christ. Amen**



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