INTERCESSIONS

Please remember in your prayers...

The World Church:

The Diocese of Okigwe in Nigeria and Bishop Edward Osuegbu. Also the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Iceland and Bishop Agnes Sigurdardottir with Bishops Kristjan Valur Ingolfsson and Solveig Lara Gudmundsdottir. Also the Spanish Reformed Episcopal Church and Bishop Carlos Lopez Lozano.

Churches Together:

St James' Church Wollaston. The congregation that worships there and their Priest in Charge Rev Nick Kaleniuk.

Bishop John:

Please pray for all those being licensed as Lay Ministers next week in Worcester Cathedral. Pray for their families and friends who will support them and for the parishes where they will serve.

Please pray for:

Peter Lumby and Cherie O'Sullivan who were married here yesterday.

Those living in:

Prescott Road and Woodward Place.

Local Community:

Our local shops in Oldswinford and all those who work in them.

Among those who are ill:

Susan Haskew, Lesley Price, Anna Scudamore, William Bates, Rory Macintosh, Brian Norgrove, Sally Taylor, Brenda Cadwallader, David Jackson, Kathleen Rogers, Angela Dixon, Roberta Farman, Alan Lowe, Mavis Firkins, Richard Rvan, Elian Irvine-Boden, Robert James, Judy Taylor, Paul Whyley, Pamela Peacock and Agnes Wooldridge.

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, Richard Tatler, Michael Woodall, and Noah Cantius.

Those in Residential and Nursing Home care:

Sheila Westwood, Margaret Pole, June O'Brien and Ethel James.

The departed:

Margaret Rose Valance, Janice Sutton.

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 21st June Third Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Communion (BCP)

10.00am Parish Communion 3.00pm Baptisms

6.30pm Evensong



St Mary's Church Old Swinford



Sunday 14th June 2015 Trinity 2

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 P207

Sides: Paul Turner

Celebrant: Revd Stephen Agnew

10.00am - Worship Together

Officiant: Revd Stephen Agnew

Sides: Jeremy Morgan and Sue Tatford.

Warden: Tony Tatford





6.30pm - Choral Evensong

Officiant: Revd Stephen Agnew Warden: Marjorie Ferguson Readers: Tina Timms — Jer 7: 1 – 16 & Judith Nex—Romans 9: 14-26

Intercessions: Revd Stephen

Agnew

Responses: Ayleward Setting: Sumsion in A

Anthem: Come down O love

divine - Harris

Voluntary: Toccata in C - Bach



■ We have a loop system installed in church. If you wear a hearing aid please turn it to the T position.

Collect for this week:

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues. without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son 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

THIS WEEK

Monday 15

10.00am Open The Book team visiting Oldswinford Primary School

Tuesday 16

2.00pm-4.00pm Tea at the Coach House

Thursday 18

10.30am Holy Communion 7.00pm King Edward VI College

Charter Day service.

Friday 19

Stephen's day off.

Saturday 20

9.30am Visiting bellringers 10.00—11.00 Vestry Hour 10.00—12.00 Open Church Youth Club away weekend.

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



God working within us

Welcome and Notices

PSALM 92: 1-4

We stand before the throne of God with countless crowds from every nation and race, tribe and language.

Blessing and glory and wisdom, thanksgiving and honour, power and might be to our God for ever and ever. Amen.

HYMN: - 73 Fill your hearts with joy and gladness

Prayers of Confession

When the Lord comes, he will bring to light the things now hidden in darkness, and will disclose the purposes of the heart.
Therefore in the light of Christ let us confess our sins.

We have not always worshipped God, our creator. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

We have not always followed Christ, our Saviour.

Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

We have not always trusted in the Spirit, our guide.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Absolution

May the \overline{G} od of love and power forgive us and free us from our sins, heal and strengthen us by his Spirit, and raise us to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

We say together the collect (see front page)

READING Ezekiel 17: 22—24 For the word of the Lord (The Lord can build up and break down) Thanks be to God.

HYMN - 137 I am a new creation

READING Mark 4: 26—33 For the word of the Lord (Jesus teaches the people about God's Kingdom) **Thanks be to God**



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HYMN - 78 For the fruits of his creation.

Prayers: LEAF PRAYERS

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 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.

<u>Peace</u>

The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace. If we live in the Spirit, let us walk in the Spirit The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

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

HYMN - 106 Go forth and tell! (during which the collection will be taken)

The Blessing (from the Carmina Gadelica)

Go in the power of the Spirit to love and serve the Lord In the name of Christ. Amen

