

**We invite you to offer prayers for .....**

**Worldwide Church:**

Helsinki in Finland with Bishop Teemu Laajasalo Also the Church in South East Asia with Archbishop Ng Moon Hing.

**Churches Together:**

New Road Methodist Church

**Bishop John has asked us to pray .....**

for all who work for the Premier Christian Radio and indeed for all those who seek to bring God into daily life through different modes of communication.

**The work of St Mary's.....**

For Isla Jean Aldridge who will be baptised at St Mary's today. For her parents and Godparents who will support her. For Rajiv and Helen as they prepare to be married at St Mary's next Saturday. All those who are on holiday at this time that they might return refreshed and relaxed.

**Those living in:**

Winchester Drive and The Furlongs

**Local Community:**

Oriel House Care Home

**Among those who are ill:**

Gary Tolley, Roy and Pamela Peacock, Elizabeth and Frank, the Rogerson family, Fr Alan Williams, Iris Wheeler, Toussi Walton and Sue Wakeley, Mary Joyce Tolley

**We continue to pray for:**

Colin Millward, Joyce Agnew, Nicola, Miriam Palmer, Josh Raffan, Ian Moore, Brian Drew, Joe Chiswell, Judy Taylor, Rory Macintosh, Joe and Ros Yeates, Elian Irvine-Boden, Martin Aston, Ruth Hardy, Anna Scudamore, Jonathan Bryan, Noah Cantius, Denis Noakes, Michael Woodall, Peter & Angela Viner, Penny Webb, The May family, Heather and Alex.

**Those in nursing home care:**

Margaret Moulton, Dorothy Gibson and Betty Shore.

**The departed:**

Sylvia Mobberley

*Please inform the clergy or a member of the pastoral care team as soon as possible if you know of any illness or particular need within the congregation.*

**The Parish Church of St Mary Oldswinford**  
**Sunday August 4 2019**  
**Trinity 7**



*A warm welcome to any visitors who are worshipping with us today. Please join us for a chat over a cup of coffee after our 10.00am service. If you would like to find out 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) or our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/StMarysChurchOldswinford](http://www.facebook.com/StMarysChurchOldswinford).*

**Our services today are as follows:**

**8.00am - Holy Communion**

**President:** Revd John Flitcroft

Readings from BCP page 216 **Sides:** Gillian Shaw

**10.00am - Parish Communion**

*The choir are currently taking holiday until the end of August. The same readings will be used at both the morning and evening services during this period and the same sermon will be preached at both services.*

**President:** Revd John Flitcroft **Preacher:** Revd John Flitcroft

**Warden:** Tony Tatford **Sides:** Sue Tatford and Toni Evans

**Reader:** Peter Jones **Intercessions:** Peter Thomson

**Children Together:** Activity sheets available

**Coffee:** Gillian Shaw and Carole Duff

**Voluntary:** Nun danket alle Gott - Piutti

**3.00pm Baptism** led by Revd Alex French

supported by MU members Diana De-Souza and Elaine Buchan

**6.30pm - Evensong**

**Officiant:** Revd John Flitcroft **Preacher:** Revd John Flitcroft

**Warden:** Joan Barwick **Sides:** Marjorie Ferguson

**Readers:** Angela Price & Marjorie Ferguson

**Voluntary:** Ein' feste Burg ist Gott - Buxtehude

This pew sheet is also available at [www.stmaryschurcholdswinford.org.uk](http://www.stmaryschurcholdswinford.org.uk)

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

### **Collect for this week:**

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same: 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**

### **Readings for our 10.00am and 6.30pm services**

#### **The New Testament Reading**

Colossians 3: 1-11

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

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

### **The Gospel Reading**

Luke 12: 13-21

*Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke*  
**GLORY TO YOU, O LORD.**

Someone in the crowd said to him, “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.” But he said to him, “Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?” And he said to them, “Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.” Then he told them a parable: “The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, ‘What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?’ Then he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’ But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God.”

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

#### **Post Communion Prayer:**

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live; may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**