



THE PARISH OF HOLY TRINITY

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The Rector's usual weekly day off is a Monday

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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Welcome to our Service today and welcome if you
are reading this at home

8am - BCP Holy Communion

**9.30am – In the Round
with the Holy Baptism of Holly Turner**

HYMNS & MUSIC FOR TODAY'S SERVICE

*All hymns and music for the Sung Eucharist are detailed
in the
Order of Service*

COLLECT FOR HOLY BAPTISM

Heavenly Father,
by the power of your Holy Spirit
you give your faithful people new life in the water of
baptism.
Guide and strengthen us by the same Spirit,
that we who are born again may serve you in faith
and love,
and grow into the full stature of your Son, Jesus
Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit
now and for ever.
Amen.

FIRST READING

Exodus 19.2-8

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, 'Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.'

So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: 'Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do.' Moses reported the words of the people to the Lord.

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 9.35-10.8 9-23

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus,

and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for labourers deserve their food. Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. As you enter the house, greet it. If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgement than for that town.

'See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.

MESSAGE FROM JENNY – From the Intercessions Workshop:

A Reading from the Hymns of Faith of Ephrem of Syria

Truth and love are wings that cannot be separated,
for truth without love is unable to fly,
so too love without truth is unable to soar up:
their yoke is one harmony.

Lord, turn me back to your teaching:
I wanted to stand back,
but I saw that I became the poorer.
For the soul does not get any benefit
except through converse with you.

Whenever I have meditated upon you
I have acquired a veritable treasure from you;
Whatever aspect of you I have contemplated,
a stream has flowed from you.
There is no way in which I can contain it.

Your fountain, Lord, is hidden
from the person who does not thirst for you;
Your treasury seems empty
to the person who rejects you.
Love is the treasure of your heavenly store.

(From Celebrating the Saints, with thanks)

Jenny

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION -

If you would like to be baptised and confirmed as an adult please could you get in touch directly with Jenny, who welcomes your enquiry and preparation towards what would be a special service – all welcome.

THANK YOU -

We give thanks for the late Revd Peter Hardman and for his family with a bequest gifted to Holy Trinity in memory of Peter.

We give thanks for Mrs Maria Lenko for her gift which has enabled us to repair the gates to Holy Trinity.

With prayers and gratitude
Revd Jenny

DAVID HALLS ORGAN CONCERT-

Thank you to everyone who supported David Halls' splendid and extraordinary celebratory recital on Friday. We very much enjoyed his programme which suited the Willis organ so perfectly; it was a real joy to welcome David to Holy Trinity. His gifts as Director of Music, organist, Choir trainer, composer and arranger at Salisbury Cathedral, are immensely inspiring to us and so many nationally. We are blessed that he is continuing to share his innate artistry with us as we much look forward to him returning with the Girl Choristers and Lay Vicars of Salisbury Cathedral Choir on Monday, 28th September. Do mark that date in your diaries and in the meantime, please enjoy our other centenary organ events. Details of which follow below.

Martin Cooke, Director of Music

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF HOLY TRINITY'S HENRY WILLIS ORGAN -

Thursday 9th July – 12.00pm
Lunch hour Organ Concert -
Martin Cooke Director of
Music, Holy Trinity



Thursday 13th August – 12.00pm Lunch hour Organ Concert - Jean-René André, Organiste Titulaire, Rennes Cathedral

Saturday 29th August –
5.00pm Summer Organ Concert -Timothy Parsons
Director of Music, Wells Cathedral

Saturday 12th September –
5.00pm Hymns and Pimm's -
more info to follow but not to be missed!

Thursday 24th September –
12.00pm Lunch hour Organ Concert - Marcus Sealy, former Sub Organist at Bath Abbey

Monday 28th September –
7.00pm Autumn Concert, Salisbury Cathedral Choir

Sunday 4th October –
time tba 'Come and Sing Evensong' - directed by Simon Lole – details to follow

HOLY TRINITY STREET MARKET -

Our popular Street Market, now

over 25 years old, returns on Saturday 4th July from 10am–

4pm. The church will be open on 2nd – 3rd July for

donations of books, toys, bottles, unused gifts, collectables, pictures and memorabilia in good, saleable condition. Please no jumble, clothes, electricals or heavy furniture.



We will also need cakes, tray bakes, preserves and plants nearer the time. Clean jam jars are welcome. Donations for the cake and refreshment stalls should be brought between 9am–10am on Saturday 4th July. Please contact Marlene Haffenden or the Refreshments Team for details.

Volunteers are needed to help on Wednesday 1st July (4pm–6pm) to help set up, on the day itself, and afterwards on Saturday 4th July (4pm–6pm) to clear away. A sign-up sheet will be available at the Welcome Desk.

Please do also help to publicise this event by inviting family, friends and neighbours. Posters will appear around Bradford on Avon, with extra copies available from Annie in the office. For enquiries contact David Hare: pscsecretary@htboa.org

HOLY COMMUNION ARRANGEMENTS -

WEEKLY WEDNESDAY HOLY COMMUNION -
Holy Trinity, 10am.

GLUTEN FREE WAFERS – these are available for those who need them. Please let the welcomers know when you arrive and inform the priest when you come to receive Communion.

HOLY TRINITY NOTICES

COPYING, PRINTING, POSTERS – please send to Annie on: beneficeoffice@htboa.org

HT FINANCE, PAYMENT REQUESTS ETC – please contact Klaus on treasurer@htboa.org

NOTICES FOR WEEKLY BULLETINS – please send all messages for the bulletin by *Wednesday 12pm* to Annie on: beneficeoffice@htboa.org

BIRTHDAYS - Happy Birthday, prayers and blessings to all those with birthdays in this season.

THIS WEEK @ HT

MORNING PRAYER – Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursdays @ 8.30am.

MAINLY MUSIC – Tuesday @ 10.30am – fun & friendship for pre-school families (contact Marlene on 864412 if you'd like to come). marlene.haffenden@googlemail.com



SAXON CLUB – Tuesday @ 2.30pm – fellowship and various activities for seniors.

COMMUNITY CAFÉ – Wednesdays from 10am-12noon - weekly community café – coffee/tea and biscuits will be provided on a donation basis.

FUTURE EVENTS @ HT

MOTHERS' UNION MEETING – Wednesday, 17th June - there will be no meeting in church as we have our summer lunch out.

FORGET ME NOT CAFÉ - Thursday, 18th June, 11am - 12.30pm

HOLY TRINITY STREET MARKET - Saturday, 4th July, 10am - 4pm

CREATIVE MAKERS MARKET - Saturday 6th June - 10am - 3pm

FOR OUR PRAYERS

Please pray for all who are sick, remembering especially: Tony Bruun, Mary Dawson, Anne Harris, Celia Milne, Alison Penny, Geneviève Roberts, Edward Shaw, Malcolm Walsh, James Wright & Bex Cox

Pray for the recently departed and all who mourn them, especially: Alice Moody

Pray for all those whose anniversary of death falls at this time, especially: Steve Cowley & Steven Dyer

Please let Revd Jenny, Marlene (LPA) and Tony Haffenden (LPA) know of any pastoral need, including prayer.

FOR PRAYER THIS WEEK

- Our Benefice-affiliated schools: St Laurence, Fitzmaurice Primary, The Mead School, Westwood and Iford Primary School, all parents, pupils, teachers and staff.
- All retired clergy and their continuing service to us all.
- Those preparing for ordination.
- Strength, guidance and peace in our daily lives.
- Our thanks for Mary Sumner and her legacy of help for families.
- Our flower arrangers, giving thanks for their artistry and commitment.
- The ongoing work of The Children's Society.



We continue to work together in our shared commitment to Safeguarding: **'The Benefice of Bradford on Avon Holy Trinity, Westwood and Wingfield takes its responsibilities surrounding the safeguarding of children, young people, and adults who may be at risk, very seriously. We work in partnership with the Diocese of Salisbury to ensure that we work in accordance with best practices at all times.'**

SAFEGUARDING - If you have any Safeguarding concerns please speak to the clergy or our Safeguarding Adviser for the Benefice: **Andrea Unwin** 07553161654

Email: safeguarding@htboa.org

If you are concerned that someone you know is at risk of or is being abused, or presents a risk to others, please seek advice from: safeguarding@salisbury.anglican.org to speak to a caseworker, or the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor 01722 438651, option 3

NEXT WEEK – 21 JUNE – THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8am - BCP Holy Communion
9.30am – Sung Eucharist

Readings:

Jeremiah 20. 7 - 13
Matthew 10. 24 - 39