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Requests for Baptisms and Marriages, including Banns

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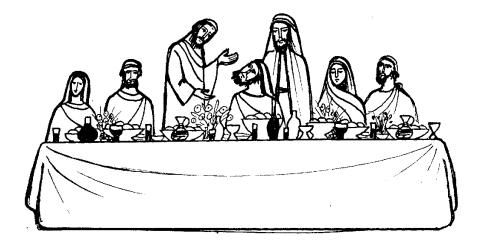
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30 August 2015, the Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 17) SERVICES TODAY 10.15 Parish Eucharist



Services and events for this Week

in Church

Monday to Friday: Morning Prayer will be said at 09.00

1 Tues	10.00	Healing Eucharist
2 Wed	14:30	Be Still Silent Prayer Group Meet
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- 3 Thur 09.30 BCP Holy Communion
 - 11:00 Funeral Audrey Kember in Church
 - 19.30 Choir Practice
- 4 Fri 10.00 Reconciliation Eucharist
 - TTBC Funeral Jean Smith in Church

Next Sunday, 6 September,

the Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 18) 10.15 Parish Eucharist

Please take this booklet with you when you leave

Welcome to All Saints today

If you are new or just visiting, please do stay in Church after the service for coffee and fellowship.

Throughout this booklet, where indications for posture are given, please treat them as being for guidance only. Should it suit you better to adopt an alternative posture, please feel free to do so.

Large Print copies and Gluten Free wafers are available for those who need them. Please ask a steward if you require these.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

OUR SISTER CHURCHES IN ST IVES: Today we remember All those in the St Ives Deanery and our Rural Dean Fred Kilner.

THE SICK: Ella Nairn, Mick Bacon, William Carlson, Cheryl Cook, Ethel Cooper, Gary James, Sophie Phillips, Cyril Whitfield, Chris Stephens, Anne Clayton, Susan Baker, Steven Levitt, Louise Ruddock, Audrey, Philip, Jane, Muriel, Christopher, Vera, Joyce, David, Angela, Marion and Fr Jeff Vaughan

THE DEPARTED: All who have died in the love of Christ that they may rest in peace especially Jean Smith and Audrey Kember

YEARS MIND: John Smallcock(31st), Alfie Jones(4th), Sylvia Noyce (5th)

It was a turning point. Over the next few months, the whole agenda of the PCC changed from the previous struggle with maintenance, to a search to answer the questions, 'Where is Jesus at work in our parish? And what do we need to do to join in that work?' It wasn't easy; but in seeking the answers, they discovered a whole range of gifts lying latent on which they could draw.

It has rightly been said that the job of the stewardship adviser is not to take away a parish's problems, but to introduce them to a more relevant set of problems! This is not always easy.

Today's Gospel shows how difficult it was for Jesus to bring home to the disciples the reality of being part of a redeeming, servant community. Doing so, living by the values of the Kingdom, may mean flying in the face of conventional wisdom. Paul, in his letter to the Romans indicates some of the implications for the life of the church in Rome of living within this Kingdom of Love. Living within the Kingdom of Love is the root of all stewardship. Our giving is part of our response to the love of God; it is worked out in the giving of ourselves, not merely our time, talents and treasure. It involves taking up our cross, being where Jesus is at work in his world. It is part of discovering our vocation as a disciple. The AGM and Programme Planning meeting will be on Thursday 1st October. in the parish Hall at 2.30pm. The Branch wishes to thank all our Church Friends for their kind support of the Lunch for AFIA which raised £350 for families in this Diocese who are undergoing stressful times

Pilgrimage Study Groups

We would like to start these in September. Each group will meet no more than six times before the end of the year. Please register your interest by signing up on the sheet to the right of the door as you leave. For more information please see the videos on www.vimeo.com/109436686 and www.vimeo.com/107715298

Parish Weekend

This will take place on Saturday and Sunday 3 and 4 October, led by Fr Aidan Mayoss CR, a much respected monk from the Community of the Resurrection at Mirfield and a former member of The Archbishop's Council. Please put this date in your diaries now.

All Saints Fayre (7 November)

Planning for this is now starting to take place. Please add this date to your diary to ensure you do not miss out! THANK YOU

STEWARDHIP REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK

In a parish some years ago, an exercise was used based on Mark's account of the raising of Jairus' daughter. The question was asked, 'Who, in our church and community, is Jairus?' –and the PCC felt that there were times when they fulfilled that rôle. When asked, 'Who is the woman?' – and they came up with a range of answers. Finally they were asked, 'Where is Jesus?' Very tentatively, a churchwarden said quietly, 'I think he's probably with the woman. I'm not sure if he's in our church very much; but if he is, I think he's probably very unhappy.'

¶ The Gathering

¶ Please stand when the bell is rung to sing The Processional Hymn

Beauty for brokenness, hope for despair, Lord, in the suffering this is our prayer; Bread for the children, justice, joy, peace, Sunrise to sunset your kingdom increase. Shelter for fragile lives, cures for their ills, Work for the craftsmen, trade for their skills, Land for the dispossessed, rights for the weak, Voices to plead the cause of those who can't speak. *God of the poor, friend of the weak, Give us compassion, we pray, Melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like rain; Come, change our love from a spark to a flame.*

Refuge from cruel wars, havens from fear, Cities for sanctuary, freedoms to share; Peace to the killing fields, scorched earth to green, Christ for the bitterness, his cross for the pain; Rest for the ravaged earth, oceans and streams, Plundered and poisoned, our future, our dreams. Lord, end our madness, carelessness, greed; Make us content with the things that we need. **God of the poor...**

Lighten our darkness, breathe on this flame, Until your justice burns brightly again; Until the nations learn of your ways, Seek your salvation and bring you their praise. **God of the poor...**

Words and music: Graham Kendrick (b.1950)

¶ Remain standing for The Invocation and Greeting

⁺ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you **and also with you.**

¶ Please sit or kneel for The Prayers of Penitence

My brothers and sisters, as we prepare to celebrate the presence of Christ in word and sacrament, let us call to mind and confess our sins.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and against our neighbour in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name. Amen.

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, †pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

¶ Please stand for **The Gloria** Setting: *Mass of S Thomas*: David Thorne Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo - ry to God in the high - est. Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

Words: Geroge Herbert (1593—1633), from *The Temple* (1633) Tune *Luckington*: Basil Harwood (1859—1949)

¶ Remain standing for The Dismissal

Go in the peace of Christ. Thanks be to God.

NOTICES

Cream Teas

Once again Cream Teas will be served this afternoon from 15.00 to 17.00.

<u>Midweek Services</u> Please be advised there is no Eucharist on Monday Morning

Heritage Open Days 2015

We have agreed that the church will be open for the Heritage Weekend at the following times: Friday 11 September from 12.00—17.00 Saturday 12 September from 10.00—17.00 Sunday 13 September from 12.00—17.00 (cream teas in the afternoon)

We are in need of people willing to volunteer to act as stewards for the visitors. If you think this is something you would like to do to give people access to our beautiful church, even if only for a few hours, please give your name to Gary or Simon .

Mothers Union

The Mothers' Union will_not meet on Thursday 3rd September but we will be meeting on 17th September in the Parish Hall at 2.30 pm when Dr Alex Shannon will be our Speaker.

united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

¶ The Dismissal

¶ Remain standing for The Notices

¶ Remain standing for the Blessing

The Lord be with you and also with you.

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing; And the blessing of God almighty the Father, ⁺ the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen**.

¶ Remain standing for the Final Hymn

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King! The heavens are not too high, His praise may thither fly; The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, My God and King! The church with psalms must shout, No door can keep them out; But, above all, the heart Must bear the longest part. Glory to God in the highest and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest. Amen, amen, amen.

¶ Remain standing for The Collect

The Priest introduces a period of silent prayer with the words Let us pray.

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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.**

¶ The Liturgy of the Word

¶ Please sit for The First Reading (Deuteronomy 4: 1 - 2, 6 - 9)

At the end the reader says: This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

> *¶* Remain seated for **The Responsorial Psalm** (Ps. 15) and join in singing the Response

> > Response and Chant: MHE



Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain? He who walks without fault; he who acts with justice and speaks the truth from his heart. *(Response)*

He who does no wrong to his brother, who casts no slur on his neighbour, who holds the godless in disdain, but honours those who fear the Lord. *(Response)*

He who keeps his pledge, come what may, who takes no interest on a loan and accepts no bribes against the innocent. Such a man will stand firm for ever. *(Response)*

¶ Remain seated for The Second Reading (James 1: 17–27))

At the end the reader says: This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

\P Please join in singing the Communion Hymn

Brother, sister, let me serve you, Let me be as Christ to you; Pray that I may have the grace to Let you be my servant, too.

We are pilgrims on a journey Fellow travellers on the road; We are here to help each other Walk the mile and bear the load.

I will hold the Christ-light for you In the night-time of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long to hear.

I will weep when you are weeping; When you laugh I'll laugh with you; I will share your joy and sorrow Till we've seen this journey through.

When we sing to God in heaven We shall find such harmony, Born of all we've known together, Of Christ' s love and agony.

Brother, sister, let me serve you, Let me be as Christ to you; Pray that I may have the grace to Let you be my servant too.

Words and tune The Servant Song: Richard Gillard (b.1953)

¶ Please stand for The Prayer after Communion

The Priest introduces a period of silent prayer with the words Let us pray.

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship,

¶ Remain standing for The Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

¶ Remain standing for **The Invitation to Communion**

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper. Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word, and I shall be healed.

¶ Please sit or kneel for The Lamb of God

While the Altar Party receives the Sacrament, the choir leads the singing of the 'Agnus Dei' (Lamb of God). Please join in singing:

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: Have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: Have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: Grant us peace.

Distribution of the Sacrament

Please come forward when directed by a steward. Anyone who has been baptised in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and wishes to receive the Love of the Lord Jesus in their life, is welcome to receive communion at this service. Alternatively you may wish to come for a blessing: if this is your preference please keep your hands down and your head bowed as an indication that this is your preference. preference please keep your hands down and your head bowed to indicate this.

Authorised words of distribution are used and the communicant replies **Amen.**

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

Cantor: Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life; you have the message of eternal life.All: Alleluia (as above)

¶ Turn towards the reader for The Gospel Reading (Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23)

The Lord be with you and also with you. Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark. Glory to you, O Lord.

At the conclusion of the Gospel the reader says: This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

¶ Please sit for The Sermon

Gospel Acclamation

¶ Please stand and turn towards the Gospel reader

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

It is customary to bow the head for the next three lines:

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen. Accept through him, our great high priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise, and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of your divine majesty, renew us by your Spirit, inspire us with your love and unite us in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, we worship you, Father almighty, in songs of everlasting praise:



¶ Remain standing for The Lord's Prayer

Jesus taught us to call God our Father, and so we have the courage to pray:

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. And 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. Through him you have sent upon us your holy and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for your own possession.

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and singing:

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, and as we follow his example and obey his command, grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine may be to us his body and his blood;

who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them, saying: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Therefore, heavenly Father, we remember his offering of himself made once for all upon the cross; we proclaim his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; we look for the coming of your kingdom, and with this bread and this cup we make the memorial of Christ your Son our Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith:



¶ Please kneel or sit for the Prayers of Intercession

As children of a loving God who always listens to our cries, let us pray to our Father in heaven.

To the bidding Lord, hear us. *Please respond by saying* Lord, graciously hear us.

At the end of the prayers the priest introduces a period for silent reflection after which he says:

Merciful Father, accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

¶ The Liturgy of the Sacrament

¶ Please stand for The Peace

We are the body of Christ . In the one Spirit we were all baptised into one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life.

The peace of the Lord be always with you and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace. All may exchange a sign of peace.

¶ Remain standing for The Offertory Hymn

during which a collection is taken for the mission and upkeep of the Church. The gifts of the people are gathered and presented. The table is prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.

- At the Name of Jesus Every knee shall bow, Every tongue confess him King of glory now;
 'Tis the Father's pleasure We should call him Lord, Who from the beginning Was the mighty Word.
- 3 Humbled for a season, To receive a name
 From the lips of sinners Unto whom he came,
 Faithfully he bore it, Spotless to the last,
 Brought it back victorious When from death he passed:
- 5 Name him, brothers, name him, With love as strong as death,
 But with awe and wonder, And with bated breath;
 He is God the Saviour, He is Christ the Lord,
 Ever to be worshipped, Trusted, and adored.
 - 7 Brothers, this Lord Jesus Shall return again,
 With his Father's glory, With his Angel train;
 For all wreaths of empire Meet upon his brow,
 And our hearts confess him King of glory now.

Words: Caroline Noel (1817 – 1877) Tune *Evelyns*: William Henry Monk (1823 – 1889)

- 2 At his voice creation Sprang at once to sight, All the angel faces, All the hosts of light, Thrones and dominations, Stars upon their way, All the heavenly orders, In their great array.
- 4 Bore it up triumphant With its human light, Through all ranks of creatures, To the central height, To the throne of Godhead, To the Father's breast;
 Filled it with the glory Of that perfect rest.
- 6 In your hearts enthrone him; There let him subdue
 All that is not holy, All that is not true;
 Crown Him as your captain In temptation's hour;
 Let his will enfold you In its light and power.

¶ Remain standing for **The Prayer Over the Gifts**

Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Amen.

¶ Remain standing throughout The Eucharistic Prayer (A)



It is indeed right, it is our duty and our joy, at all times and in all places to give you thanks and praise, holy Father, heavenly King, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

For he is your living Word; through him you have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in your own image.

Through him you have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving him to be born of a woman and to die upon the cross; you raised him from the dead and exalted him to your right hand on high.