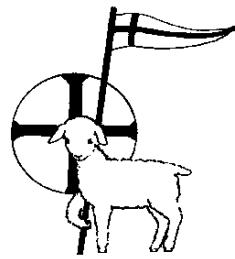


# St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

## The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to this historic church at the centre of a lively rural community. Refreshments are served after the 9.30 service in the Lady Chapel. Please take away this newsletter to read later. Visit our website [www.tisburyparishchurch.org](http://www.tisburyparishchurch.org) for more news and events.

**8.00 a.m.     Holy Communion (said)**

Celebrant: The Revd Dr Graham Southgate

**9.30 a.m.     Parish Communion**

Celebrant: The Revd Joanna Naish

Hymns: 238, 467, 271, 277, 368

The Lincoln Setting Malcolm Archer

Readings: overleaf

After Communion there is an opportunity for private prayer for yourself or someone else. Please go straight through to the St Andrew's Chapel.

**6.00 p.m.     Questioning Faith**

led by the Revd Joanna Naish

A collection for the ministry and upkeep of this church is received at all services. Envelopes are provided in the pews if you are able to gift aid your donation. To discuss regular giving please speak to Paul Naish (870731/07587 072900) or e mail [stgiftaid@gmail.com](mailto:stgiftaid@gmail.com) Cheques should be made payable to Tisbury Parochial Church Council. **Online giving:** You can make an on line donation through our website [www.tisburyparishchurch.org/donation](http://www.tisburyparishchurch.org/donation).

## Next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August: The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

9.30 a.m.     Parish Communion

6.00 p.m.     Evensong (BCP)

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September: 7pm.**

## The Licensing & Installation of the Revd Juliette Hulme.

After more than eighteen months of 'vicarlessness' we welcome Juliette as our new Team Vicar in this special service led by the Bishop of Salisbury and Archdeacon of Sarum. Do come along and please spread the word about this important occasion. Why not bring your neighbour? If you can offer refreshments for the reception afterwards please sign the list in church. Read more about Juliette on our website [www.tisburyparishchurch.org/juliette](http://www.tisburyparishchurch.org/juliette).

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### The Collect

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 First Reading: I Kings 19: 4 - 8

Elijah went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: 'It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors.' Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, 'Get up and eat.' He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. The angel of the LORD came a second time, touched him, and said, 'Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you.' He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food for forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

### Psalm 34: 1 - 8

I will bless the /Lord at /all times; his praise shall /ever be /in my /mouth.

My soul shall glory /in the /Lord; let the /humble /hear and be / glad.

O magnify the /Lord with /me; let us ex/alt his /name to/gether.

I sought the Lord /and he /answered me: and de/livered me from /all my /fears.

Look upon him /and be /radiant: and your faces /shall not /be a/shamed.

This poor soul cried and the /Lord /heard me: and /saved me from /all my /troubles.

The angel /of the /Lord: encamps around those who /fear him / and de/livers them.

O taste and see that the /Lord is /gracious;; blessed is the /one who /trusts in / him.

Glory to the Father and /to the /Son: and /to the /Holy /Spirit:  
as it was in the be/ginning is /now: and shall be for /ever / A - /men.

### The Second Reading: Ephesians 4. 25 - 5.2

Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

### The Gospel: John 6: 35, 41-5

Jesus said to the crowd, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'