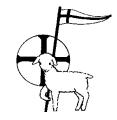
Church of St John the Baptist, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 20th September 2020 The 15th Sunday after Trinity

Today's services

9.30am Parish Communion

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme

Peruvian Gloria; Sanctus & Agnus Dei from Mass of St Thomas David Thorne

362 Glorious things of thee are spoken; 353 Dear Lord and Father of mankind; 296 Lord enthroned in heavenly splendour

Anthem during Communion: I give you a new commandment Peter Aston; 368 Guide me O thou great Redeemer

Toccata in the Dorian mode JS Bach

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Officiant: The Revd Juliette Hulme

Responses: Seal Psalm 124

241 Before the ending of the day Fauxbourdon setting Morley Locus iste Anton Bruckner 357 Father hear the prayer we offer

Scherzo Gigout

This week

Wednesday at 8.00am Morning Prayer (St Andrew's Chapel)

Wednesday at 10.00am Holy Communion (Nav

Thursday at 5.30pm Evening Prayer (Lady Chapel)

For details of weekday services online, please see our website www.tisburyparishchurch.org

Next Sunday, 27th September

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme

9.30am Parish Communion Harvest Festival

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Please bring non-perishable grocery items for the Trussell Trust to distribute to families in need.

https://www.trusselltrust.org/get-involved/ways-to-give/donate-food/

The church is open for private prayer

Sundays 5.00 - 6.00pm and Wednesdays 8.00am - 5.00pm. Please follow the directions on the notices at the church.

Saturday 26th September at 10am Annual Churchyard Autumn Clean-up

We will spend the morning doing those jobs necessary to have the churchyard looking neat and tidy for the winter. We would appreciate additional assistance from parishioners to achieve this. Please bring some useful garden tools with you. Anthony Lovell-Wood

A date for your diary: Sunday 4th October at 11.15am

A special service celebrating the 25th anniversary of the ordination of the Revd Juliette Hulme to the Priesthood. The preacher will be the Revd Richard Carter, Associate Vicar for Mission at St Martin-in-the-Fields and a long-standing friend of Juliette. Juliette had hoped to invite us all for refreshments after the service, but sadly current restrictions mean that this will not be possible.

Please pray ...

Please pray for Leila Mather, to be ordained Deacon in Salisbury Cathedral on Saturday 26 September. Please pray too for George Meyrick, to be ordained Deacon in St Paul's Cathedral on the same day.

The Revd Juliette Hulme, Team Vicar Canon Judy Anderson, Parish Administrator revjmhulme@gmail.com tisburyparishchurch@gmail.com

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The Collect for the Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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 Old Testament Reading: Jonah 3.10-4.11

The Gospel: Matthew 20.1-16

Jesus said, "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his vineyard. ²After agreeing with the labourers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. ³When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; ⁴and he said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.' So they went. ⁵When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. ⁶And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, 'Why are you standing here idle all day?' ⁷They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard.' ⁸When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, 'Call the labourers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.' ⁹When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. ¹⁰Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. ¹¹And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, ¹²saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.' ¹³But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? ¹⁴Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. ¹⁵Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' ¹⁶So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Giving to the church



Thank you very much to those who continue to give regularly to the church. If you haven't committed to regular giving, why not consider joining the Parish Giving Scheme or setting up a standing order? Details from Paul Naish, email sitgiftaid@gmail.com tel 01747 870731 / 07587 072900. Our income dropped significantly during lockdown, while expenses continued; any donations would be very welcome.

Wednesday 28 October at 7.00pm Annual Meetings

The Annual Meeting of Parishioners and the Annual Parochial Church Meeting, postponed from March, will be held on 28 October at 7.00pm in the church. All are welcome to the first of the two meetings, for the election of Churchwardens, but only members of the Church Electoral Roll may attend the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. Do check that your name is on the roll, which will be available in church during September – applications close on 14 October. Application forms are available in church or from Trish Liddiard, Electoral Roll Officer, tel 871108.

Parochial Church Council

Would you be interested in having a say in matters concerning the church, and in shaping its future direction? If so, you might like to consider becoming a member of the PCC. You need to be a member of the Church Electoral Roll. For more information, please talk to Juliette, or to one of the Churchwardens, or to Judy Anderson, Parish Administrator. Elections are held at the APCM (see above).

Your feedback is invited

Last Autumn we introduced a new draft service booklet for Parish Communion. Several of you made suggestions at the time, and these have been carefully considered. We invite you now to let us have any further feedback you may have, using the yellow sheet which you will find in your pew. Please return this, either via the box in church or by using the Hinton Hall letter box, by the end of September. We hope to launch the permanent booklet on Advent Sunday.

If you need support

As always, the Revd Juliette Hulme (Parish Priest) is available to give pastoral and spiritual support

Useful numbers with trained listeners (calls to these numbers are free):

The Samaritans 116 123

Childline 0800 1111

Domestic Abuse Helpline 0808 2000 247

Silverline (age 55+) 0800 4 70 80 90