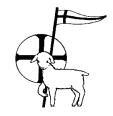
St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 14th November

Remembrance Sunday The Second Sunday before Advent

Do stay for refreshments after the 9.30 service. Please wear a face covering while collecting your refreshments and move away from the table once you have them; please keep social distancing in mind as you chat.

Today's Services

9.30am Parish Communion for the Second Sunday before Advent

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme Setting: Mass of St Thomas David Thorne.

Hymns: 332 All hail the power of Jesu's name (omit* verses); 434 Oft in danger, oft in woe; 271 Alleluia, sing to Jesus

During Communion: Be thou my vision *Bob Chilcott* Final hymn: 362 Glorious things of thee are spoken

Voluntary: Ciacona Dietrich Buxtehude

The Revd Juliette Hulme is also leading worship at Holy Trinity, Fonthill Gifford, this morning

2.45pm Wreath-Laying Ceremony War Memorial3.00pm Remembrance Service St John's Church

Led by the Revd Juliette Hulme Preacher: Fr Robert Miller

Hymns (on hymn sheet): O God, our help in ages past; Dear Lord and Father of mankind;

For the healing of the nations; Thy hand, O God, has guided

Anthem: God be in my head Philip Wilby

Voluntary: Saraband (in modo elegiaco) Herbert Howells

Services during the week St Andrew's Chapel

Services of Holy Communion take place on Wednesdays at 10.00am (CW) and Fridays at 8.00am (BCP)

Online Services continue on weekdays – please see our website for details

Next Sunday, 21st November Christ the King

9.30am Parish Communion

President and Preacher: The Revd Dr Graham Southgate

Revelation 1.4b-8; John 18.33-37

6.00pm Choral Evensong Officiant: Canon Judy Anderson

For your prayers

In our linked diocese of Cueibet, South Sudan, we pray for the ongoing development of those pastors trained with the help of Chalke Deanery.

At this season of Remembrance, we pray for our Armed Forces and their families. We give thanks for all those who gave their lives in both World Wars, and all conflicts since, protecting our freedom. We pray for the families and friends of all who mourn the loss of their loved ones in recent conflicts in Afghanistan, Iraq and Northern Ireland. We pray for all who have sustained life-changing injuries.



The Collect

Almighty Father, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule; 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: Daniel 12.1–3

"At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

The Gospel: Mark 13.1–8

As Jesus came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!" Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down."

When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, "Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?" Then Jesus began to say to them, "Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

Generous Giving

We hope you found the Generous Giving campaign during September useful in helping you to think about what you give to God's work through the church. One of our regular givers realised that she hadn't revised the amount of her monthly donation for at least 10 years, and during that time prices had risen by about 20% due to inflation! Do consider giving through the Parish Giving Scheme if you can. This allows you to opt for an annual index-linked increase (you can choose not to do this); it also claims Gift Aid on behalf of the church if you are eligible, thus saving Paul a great deal of time making the claim. It's not difficult to register with the PGS via their website www.parishgiving.org.uk



If you would like help or advice on giving, please contact Paul Naish, email <u>sitgiftaid@gmail.com</u> tel 01747 870731. Any cheques are payable to Tisbury PCC.

Advent Quiet Day at Hilfield Friary Tuesday 30th November

We are planning a Quiet Day to prepare us for the season of Advent, on Tuesday 30th November. Hilfield is a Franciscan Friary about an hour's drive from Tisbury; as well as our own sessions, led by the Revd Juliette Hulme, we hope to join the Community for worship in the chapel there and also for a light lunch (soup and bread). As well as input from Juliette, there will be plenty of time for quiet contemplation and for enjoying the peaceful grounds or going for a longer walk. We plan to travel in shared cars. The programme is not yet finalised, but we shall probably leave Tisbury at approx. 9.00am and depart from Hilfield at around 4.30pm for the return trip. The cost should not be high: a donation to the Friary, plus a share in the cost of travel.

If you would like to go, please sign the list in church or else contact the Parish Administrator (details overleaf).