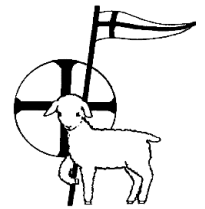


St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 28th August 2022

The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Today's Services

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

President: The Revd Canon Simon Evans

9.30am Parish Communion

President: The Revd Dr Graham Southgate

Preacher: Canon Judy Anderson

Setting: The Lincoln Setting *Malcolm Archer*

Hymns: 388 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun; 353 Dear Lord and Father of mankind (omit * verses);

294 Just as I am During Communion: 274 Author of life divine

Final hymn: 333 All my hope on God is founded

Next Sunday, 4th September

The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

9.30am All-Age Service In the Churchyard (weather permitting)

Led by the Revd Juliette Hulme and Canon Judy Anderson

Do come and celebrate the wonders of God's creation as the season of Creationtide begins. The service will include an activity for the children.

For your prayers

In our linked diocese of Cueibet, South Sudan, we are asked to pray for peace between the clans in the diocese and that local inter-clan violence be reduced.

We pray for the people of Pakistan suffering from severe floods, especially for those who have lost loved ones in the floods.

Please pray for migrants crossing the Channel in small boats, for safety for them, and for a stop to unscrupulous people putting lives at risk by promising safe passage to the UK.

As the school holidays draw to a close, we pray for children and young people, teachers and ancillary staff as they prepare for the new term.



Charitable giving

Thank you to all of you who gave to our collection for WaterAid, which totalled £82. As agreed by the PCC, we are making it up to £100 from the church General Fund; this will be sent to the charity shortly.

Ride and Stride: Could you help?

'Ride and Stride' will take place on 10th September, in aid of Wiltshire Historic Churches and local churches. We are in need of someone to co-ordinate volunteers at St Johns – if you are interested in the possibility of taking this on, please do talk to Judy about what is involved.

Wednesday 21st September at 6.30pm

Chalke Deanery Synod

Our Deanery Synod will meet, after a long break during Covid, at Dinton Primary School. This is an open meeting, so everyone is invited, not just our PCC representatives.

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The Collect for the Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

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: Ecclesiasticus 10.12-18

¹² The beginning of human pride is to forsake the Lord; the heart has withdrawn from its Maker.

¹³ For the beginning of pride is sin, and the one who clings to it pours out abominations.

Therefore the Lord brings upon them unheard-of calamities, and destroys them completely.

¹⁴ The Lord overthrows the thrones of rulers, and enthrones the lowly in their place.

¹⁵ The Lord plucks up the roots of the nations, and plants the humble in their place.

¹⁶ The Lord lays waste the lands of the nations, and destroys them to the foundations of the earth.

¹⁷ He removes some of them and destroys them, and erases the memory of them from the earth.

¹⁸ Pride was not created for human beings, or violent anger for those born of women.

The Gospel: Luke 14.1, 7-14

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely.

When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honour, he told them a parable. “When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honour, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, ‘Give this person your place,’ and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, ‘Friend, move up higher’; then you will be honoured in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.”

He said also to the one who had invited him, “When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbours, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.”

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? For details, go to www.parishgiving.org.uk where you can set up your own direct debit (and sign up for gift aid if applicable). Alternatively, you can pick up a leaflet in church. If you require help or advice on giving, please contact Paul Naish, email sjtgiftaid@gmail.com or tel 01747 870731. Cheques are payable to Tisbury PCC.

Forthcoming events in the local area

Saturday 10th September, 11.30am-5.00pm

Open Garden at Hatch House

The garden will be open in aid of Salisbury Hospice Charity – admission £5, children £1.

There will be a range of stalls, and teas will be served. Donations welcome – please phone 01747 828525 or 01747 229865, mob 07768 478149, if you wish to donate.

Thursday 22nd September

Kate Adie: Front line reporting – then and now

The talk, in aid of the restoration of Chicklade Church, will take place at St John the Baptist, Hindon.

Wine and canapes will be served from 6.30pm and the talk commences at 7.00pm.

Tickets £17.50 in advance or £20 at the door (if available) from:

Vicky Macaskie, at the Fonthill Estate Office, The Old Dairy, Fonthill Bishop, SP3 5SH

or Tor Beer: Chickladelectures@gmail.com or 07810 278249