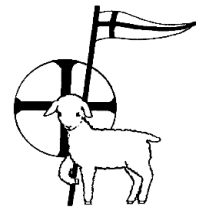


St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 11th June 2023

Barnabas the Apostle

Today's Service

9.30am Parish Communion

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme Preacher: Canon Judy Anderson

Setting: Mass of St Thomas *David Thorne*

Hymns: 475 Ye holy angels bright; Like the murmur of the dove's song (*words overleaf*); 167 The 'Son of Consolation'

During Communion: I give you a new commandment *Peter Aston*

Final hymn: 140 Holy Spirit come confirm us

Organ Voluntary: Choral Song *SS Wesley*

Wednesday 14th June

6.00pm Service of Healing and Wholeness St Andrew's Chapel

A quiet service of prayer and contemplation for all the churches of the Nadder Valley Benefice, including a reading, a song, meditation and prayers for yourself and for those about whom you care. All welcome.

Other services during the week

Services of Holy Communion are held on Wednesdays at 10.00am St Andrew's Chapel (CW) and Fridays at 8.00am in the Vestry (BCP). All are welcome. Details of online services can be found on our website.

Next Sunday, 18th June

The Second Sunday after Trinity

9.30am Parish Communion

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme Preacher: Julie Dunstan

Exodus 19.2-8a; Matthew 9.35-10.8

6.00pm Choral Evensong (BCP)

Led by the Revd Juliette Hulme

Sunday 11th June 10am-5pm Open Farm Sunday Cools Farm

Open Farm Sunday is happening at Cools Farm, SP3 6DB. Come and enjoy a day (or part of a day) on the farm! There will be lambs to hold and feed, cows and calves to watch, and bulls too. Children will be able to climb on the tractor. There will be a nature trail through the wood: the paths have just been cut and a burger lunch and a cream tea will also be available. Enjoy sitting in the garden while you munch your lunch. **Free Entry!**

Sunday 11th June 12noon-6pm Fonthill House Open Gardens

In aid of the National Foundation for Retired Service Animals

Sunday 11th June Celebratory Service with the Archbishop of Canterbury

All are welcome to join in a celebratory service in Salisbury Cathedral Close to conclude the Archbishop's mission to the diocese. Gather from 3.30pm for a 4.00 start, and the service will conclude just before 5.00. Bring a chair and/or a picnic blanket. If you are not able to go to Salisbury but would like to be part of the event, you can join the YouTube live stream at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzsq4u8YxjkG2K5OkDoW0mQ>

Book of Remembrance

We would like to update our Book of Remembrance with the anniversaries of death of local residents.

If you would like your relative's name to be recorded in the Book please fill in the form (available by the north door) with their full name and day, month & year of death and pass to Judy or myself.

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The Collect for Barnabas the Apostle

Bountiful God, giver of all gifts, who poured your Spirit upon your servant Barnabas and gave him grace to encourage others: help us, by his example, to be generous in our judgements and unselfish in our 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 New Testament Reading: Acts 11.19-30

Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen travelled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they associated with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called 'Christians'.

At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

The Gospel: John 15.12-17

'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

For your prayers

In our linked diocese of Cueibet, South Sudan, we are asked this week to pray for Christian fathers in the Diocese, that they may bring their children up in the faith.

We continue to pray for the people of Ukraine, and especially for all those affected by the destruction of the dam in the Kherson region of Russian occupied Ukraine.

We pray for God's blessing on the celebratory service on Sunday afternoon with the Archbishop at Salisbury Cathedral.

We pray for Richard Budden, our newly elected councillor, and his work in Tisbury and surrounding villages.



Gradual hymn

1. Like the murmur of the dove's song,
like the challenge of her flight,
like the vigour of the wind's rush,
like the new flame's eager might:
come, Holy Spirit, come.

2. To the members of Christ's body,
to the branches of the Vine,
to the Church in faith assembled,
to her midst as gift and sign:
come, Holy Spirit, come.

3. With the healing of division,
with the ceaseless voice of prayer,
with the power to love and witness,
with the peace beyond compare:
come, Holy Spirit, come.

Carl P Daw, Jr

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A weekend of music at St John's

Quentin Edwards is organising two concerts in aid of Christian Aid Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal, for our Patronal weekend:

Friday 23 June at 7.30pm Chamber music concert featuring the Russian/Ukrainian pianist Alexander Karpeyev and violinist Bill Benham, with music by Beethoven, Debussy, Poulenc and Malcolm Arnold.

Saturday 24 June at 7.30pm Orchestral concert conducted by Jeremy Barlow, with flautists Quentin Edwards and Cheri Wallace, including works by Bach, Handel and Vivaldi.

Free entry with retiring collection.