St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 20th October 2024 The Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity

Today's Services

9.30am Parish Communion

President and Preacher: The Revd Andrew Poppe Setting: The Tisbury Service *Richard Shephard*

Hymns: 433 O worship the King; 200 Jesus calls us o'er the tumult; 265 Lord of beauty, thine the splendour

During Communion: Christus factus est Felice Anerio Final hymn: 413 Now thank we all our God

Organ voluntary: Toccata in the Dorian mode JS Bach

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Led by Canon Judy Anderson

We celebrate the anniversaries of Anton Bruckner (1824-1896), Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

and Gustav Holst (1874-1934)

Responses: Mixolydian in E *Lindsay Gray* Setting: Stanford in C Psalm 141 Hymns: 394 Let all the world; 286 From glory to glory advancing (tune *Gustav Holst*)

Anthem: Locus iste Anton Bruckner Te Deum in B flat C V Stanford

Organ voluntary: Trumpet Tune Alfred Hollins

Services during the week

Holy Communion is celebrated at 10.00am on Wednesdays in the Lady Chapel (CW) and on Fridays at 8.00am in the vestry (BCP). Do join us!

Services online

Morning Prayer is said online via Zoom every Tuesday and Thursday at 8.00am. All are welcome. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81281928812?pwd=NndDR0tLUmpzVTJreHdwQXIwOTgrZz09

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Next Sunday, 27th October

The Last Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

President: The Revd Elaine Brightwell

9.30am Parish Communion

President and Preacher: The Revd Mark Hayter

Meetings this week

Monday 21st October at 7.00pm PCC Hinton Hall

A regular meeting of the Parochial Church Council of St John's Church

Tuesday 22nd October 6.30 for 7.00pm Chalke Deanery Synod Martin

An **open meeting** of Chalke Deanery Synod, which **all are invited to attend**. David Pain, Diocesan Secretary, will speak on the diocesan vision, 'Making Jesus Known.' The Blandford Hall, Martin, SP6 3LF

Thank you

The Diocese of Salisbury thanks St John's for our contribution of £30,000 towards ministry costs for the year 2023. This was 46% of the amount requested.

The Collect for the Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity

Grant, we beseech you, merciful Lord, to your faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins and serve you with a quiet mind; 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: Isaiah 53.4-12

Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

Yet it was the will of the Lord to crush him with pain. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the Lord shall prosper. Out of his anguish he shall see light; he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge. The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

The Gospel: Mark 10.35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

For your prayers

In our linked diocese of Cueibet, South Sudan, we are asked this month to pray for the work of the prisons in the diocese, their work in the gardens and the rehabilitation of the prisoners. We also pray for the ongoing work of the Mothers' Union and other communal enterprises in the diocese.

A prayer for peace from CAFOD

God of refuge, the rock in whom we trust, watch over our sisters and brothers in Israel, Palestine and surrounding countries. Bring comfort to those who grieve, shelter to those who are homeless, and sustenance to those who hunger and thirst. God of mercy, open our hearts to your grace, so that we are filled with compassion and a generosity of spirit, and inspire us to take action. Spirit of love, pour out your peace like a healing balm, which brings hope in place of despair.

Please continue to pray also for other parts of the world where there is conflict.

Please pray for our Confirmation candidates

Please pray for Stuart Hurley and Darren Chappell, members of our congregation, being prepared for Confirmation by Juliette and Judy. The Confirmation service is on Saturday 2nd November at 6.30pm at Salisbury Cathedral. All are welcome.