

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 16th August 2015

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity Year B

We welcome any newcomers to the church. It would help us to get to know you if you complete one of the welcome cards from the library at the back of the church and hand it to a sidesperson or a Warden.

Readings at the Eucharist Proper 15

1st : 1Kings 2. 10 – 12; 3.3 – 14

2nd :Ephesians 5. 15 – 20

Gospel: John 6. 51 – 58

Collect

**God of glory,
the end of our searching,
help us to lay aside
all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom,
and to give all that we have
to gain the pearl beyond all price,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen**

We pray for

Our Church Sidespeople
To be baptised Edward Matthew Nunn

The Parish Alder Close, Birch Close
and Whitebeam Close

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| The sick | Stuart Crisp | Dawn Rogers |
| | Mark Foster | Jean Farmery |
| | Nick | Bev Ralph |

The Departed -

Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time

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| Alex Blair | Leonard Cooper |
| Joan Jakubowski | Danny Apicella |
| Pam Gardner | |

Events

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| Today | 12.45 pm | Baptism : Edward Matthew Nunn |
| Monday | 7.00 pm | PCC special Meeting |
| Wednesday | 12.30 pm | Company for Lunch Barbeque |
| Sunday 23 rd | 9.30 am | Parish Eucharist |
| | | 12 th Sunday after Trinity Proper 16 |
| | | Readings at the Parish Eucharist |
| | | 1 st : 1Kings 8. 22 – 30; 41 – 43 |
| | | 2 nd :Ephesians 6. 10 – 20 |
| | | Gospel: John 6. 56 – 69 |
| | 12.45 pm | Baptism : Harry Sibbons |
| | 3.00 pm | Baptism : Megan Cerys Marsh |
| | 6.00 pm | Evensong |

There are copies of the **readings for the month** at the back of the church. Please feel free to take one home with you, if you would like to.

If you know of **anyone who is sick or in hospital**, or would like a visit from the Vicar, please pass the information on to the Vicar. It is better to receive the information more than once than not at all.

Special Charity

During July and August we shall be collecting for the Alzheimers Society.

CC WI are holding a Barn Dance at the Community Centre on 12th September in aid of Alzheimers and Colden Common Youth. Look out for posters.

Also, thank you for your continuing donations of non-perishable items to the Nightshelter.

Notices

Today, the Vicar will celebrate the Eucharist

Next Sunday, Peter Lippiett will preside at the Eucharist and the Vicar will lead Evensong.

The next Company for Lunch

will be on WEDNESDAY, when Gordon will be hosting a garden barbeque. Please book with Jane (02380614936) or Gordon (713644).



BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! We will be holding a **giant book sale** in the church rooms on the weekend of 26/27th September. Please start sorting your good quality books now – we can store them.



The church centre is slowly accumulating books, but **we need many, many more.**

Please pass them to Paulette, deliver to the church office or leave them at the back of the church. Collection is possible.

Copies of the **August issue of 'The Sign'**, usually found in the centre of the parish magazine, are at the back of the church. Please feel free to take one.

We shall be holding another special **'Back to School Service on Sunday 30th August at 6pm**; to pray for all who are starting or returning to a place of education the following week. Everyone will be most welcome to attend as we show our support for the younger generation of our community.

On September 6th, St Mary's Twyford will be holding its Patronal Festival at 11.00 am and there will not be a service at Holy Trinity that day. The September Family Service will take place on the 13th.

Please take this notice sheet home with you if you wish, as an aid for your personal prayers during the week or to look up the readings before next Sunday's Service.

Prayer Requests – in addition to passing on concerns directly to the Vicar, there are prayer request cards on the book shelf at the back of the church. They can be left at any time in the box and they will be included in the Vicar's daily prayers for the parish and, when appropriate, include them on the weekly sheet