Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 13th September 2015
Fifteenth 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 19
1st : Proverbs 1. 20 – 33
2nd :James 3. 1 – 12,
Gospel: Mark 8. 27 – 38

Collect
Lord God,
defend your Church from all false teaching
and give to your people knowledge of your truth,
that we may enjoy eternal life
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

We pray for
Our Church Ministry Team

The Parish Church Lane, Brambles Close and Nobs Crook

The sick
Evelyn Jane
Dawn Rogers
Jean Farmery
Bev Ralph
Helen Haig
Mark Foster
Nick

Those in our long term prayers
Sarah Piper
Peter Bevis
Audrey Pallett
Jean Farmery
Ruth Bevis
Iris Homer

The Departed Antonio Iampietro

Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time
Norma Butt

Events
Today 6.00 pm Evensong
Wednesday 12.15 pm Company for Lunch
Saturday Open the Book Training
Sunday 20th 9.30 am Parish Eucharist
16th Sunday after Trinity Proper 20

Readings at the Parish Eucharist
1st : Proverbs 31. 10 – 31
2nd :James 3. 13 – 4.3, 7 – 8a
Gospel: Mark 9.30 – 37

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 September and October, we shall be collecting for the work of **Renewable World**, which uses renewable energy to transform the lives of those living in energy poverty
Also, thank you for your continuing donations of non-perishable items to the Nightshelter.

Notices
Welcome to today's Family Service which will be lay-led.
Evensong this evening will be taken by Gillian Hargraves

The next Company for Lunch will take place on 16th September when we can look forward to some Farmhouse Cooking (back in the church rooms) Please book with Jane (02380614936) or Chris (713097).

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 still need many, many more**. Please pass them to Paulette, or leave them at the back of the church. Collection is possible.

We shall need a rota of people to sell the books, make cakes and serve refreshments – please let Paulette know if you are able to help.

Forthcoming Church Fund Raising Events for your diary – look out for further details -:
Saturday 17th October : **Curry and Quiz Night** in the Church Rooms – 7.30 pm £10 per person. Teams of 4.
Friday 30th October : **'Saints and Sinners Concert'** 7 pm in the church. Adults £5, Children £3.50

Faith makes sense?
There are 4 remaining talks by The Reverend William Prescott on the theme of finding an understanding of Christianity which embraces the world today, including science, historical and biblical scholarship, religious pluralism and cultural diversity, at Compton Primary School on Wednesdays at 7.30pm. Each evening will start with a meal, followed by a 20 minute presentation and end with questions and discussion. To help catering arrangements, please could you let William know that you are coming on rector@chobenefice.co.uk or 01962 714551."

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