

# Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 27<sup>th</sup> September 2015

## Seventeenth 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 21

1<sup>st</sup> : Esther 7. 1 – 6, 9 – 10; 9. 20 - 22

2<sup>nd</sup> : James 5. 13 – 20

Gospel: Mark 9.38 – 50

### Collect

**Gracious God,  
you call us to fullness of life:  
deliver us from unbelief  
and banish our anxieties  
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord  
Amen**

### We pray for

Our Church Benefice Wardens and Treasurers  
To be baptised Isabel Elizabeth Conibear

The Parish Avondale Mobile Homes Park

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

The Departed Dorothy Berrill

Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time  
Doris Dear

### Events

Today 3.00 pm Baptism : Isabel Conibear  
6.00 pm Evensong  
Tuesday 7.30 pm Bells  
Wednesday 7.30 pm Benefice Wardens & Treasurers  
at Twyford  
Saturday 10.00 am Decorating the church for Harvest  
Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> 9.45 am Harvest Festival Family Service  
18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity Proper 22  
**Readings at the Parish Eucharist**  
1<sup>st</sup> : Job. 1.1; 2. 1 – 10  
2<sup>nd</sup> : Hebrews 1.1 – 4; 2. 5 – 12  
Gospel: Mark 10. 2 – 16

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.

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

### 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. It will be our Harvest Charity.

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

### Notices

Today, the Vicar will preside at the Eucharist and take Evensong.

Next Sunday we shall celebrate **Harvest** at our family Service, which the Vicar and laity will lead jointly.

Monetary donations will be sent to the Renewable World Charity, non-perishable items to Nightshelter.

If you haven't decided upon your winter reading yet, why not visit the **Book Sale** after church this morning and have a browse? There are still quite a few books left and some delicious cake! Many thanks to Paulette and Trevor who have worked like Trojans for the last 3 days, and the Friday morning and Saturday sorters and helpers.

### Forthcoming Church Fund Raising Events for your diary – look out for further details -:

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October : **Curry and Quiz Night** in the Church Rooms – 7.30 pm £10 per person. Teams of 4.

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October : **'Saints and Sinners Concert'** 7 pm in the church. Adults £5, Children £3.50  
Tickets available now from Sylvia.

The next Company for Lunch will take place on 14<sup>th</sup> October when we can look forward to some German Cooking. Please book with Jane (02380614936) or Chris (713097).

Do you know anyone who would like a weekly lunch and benefit from the company. **Colden Common Lunch Club** currently has 4 vacancies. It takes place every Wednesday at the Community Centre and offers a delicious meal for just £4. Please contact Jenny Gray on 01962 713784.

Next Sunday is the feast day of St Francis. Winchester University extends an open invitation to join their St Francis' Day Celebration of all living things and meet animal lovers from all around the area; with specially written music from the Foundation Music team. 2pm, 4<sup>th</sup> October by St Francis' Statue, St Alphege Building. All creatures, great and small, welcome. For more information visit [chaplaincy@winchester.ac.uk](mailto:chaplaincy@winchester.ac.uk)

**Baked Alaska** - Riding Lights Theatre Company presents an inventive and engaging play by Paul Burbridge and Jonathan Bidgood that highlights the need for global action on climate change. Riding Lights is known for its high-energy, 'seriously funny' satirical style. Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 7.30 pm at Romsey Abbey, Romsey SO51 8EN. For more info and tickets, call 01904 613000

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.