

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 20th August 2017

10th Sunday after Trinity

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 Proper 15

1st : Isaiah 56. 1, 6 – 8
 2nd : Romans 11. 1 – 2a, 29 – 32
 Gospel : Matthew 15. 21 – 28

Collect

**Lord of heaven and earth,
 as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer,
 give us patience and courage never to lose hope,
 but always to bring our prayers before you;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord Amen**

We pray for

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| Our Church | Servers | |
| | Helen O’Sullivan in Ordination training | |
| The Parish | Aspen Close, Lime Close | |
| | | and Hawthorn Close |
| To be married | Kevin Holland and Maxine Lane | |
| The Sick | Kate Bittles | |
| The Departed | Jean Farmery | Hilary Turner |
| Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time | Danny Apicella | Pam Gardner |
| | Lionel Register | Nellie Piper |
| | Gertrude Kaiser | Leonard Cooper |

Events

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| Monday | 12.30 pm | Thanksgiving Service for the life of Jean Farmery |
| Tuesday | 7.30 pm | Bells |
| Wednesday | 9.30 am | Hymn Choosing Group |
| | 6.30 pm | Gordon’s BarBQ |
| Thursday | 12.00 pm | Wedding : Kevin Holland & Maxine Lane |
| Sunday 27 th | 9.30 am | Parish Eucharist 11 th Sunday after Trinity Proper 16 Readings 1 st : Isaiah 51. 1 – 6 2 nd : Romans 12. 1 – 8 Gospel : Matthew 16. 13 – 20 |
| | 12.45 pm | Baptism : Madeleine Watts |
| | 6.00 pm | Evensong |

Prayer Requests – in addition to passing on concerns directly to the clergy, 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 daily prayers for the parish and, when appropriate, include them on the weekly sheet.

If you know of **anyone who is sick or in hospital**, or would like a visit from a member of the Clergy, please pass the information on to the Vicar or a churchwarden. 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.

Special Charity

During August we continue to collect for Winchester and District Young Carers and the fantastic work that they do. Please take time to read the article in the July/August parish magazine.

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

Notices

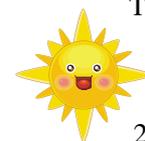
The Vicar will preside at our Eucharist this morning. Next Sunday morning we shall welcome Val Corcoran.

A Service of Thanksgiving for the life of Jean Farmery will be held in church tomorrow at 12.30 pm, followed by burial in the churchyard alongside Jack.



Our next family service will be on September 3rd at 9.45 am, during which there will be a baptism.

Rev’d Jonah’s last service will be held at St Mary’s Twyford on Sunday 10th September at 11 am. It will be followed by a farewell reception at Colden Common Community Centre. Donations for the finger food buffet are requested – please see either Jane or Elaine for details.



Tickets are on sale now for **Gordon’s Summer BarBQ** on Wednesday 23rd August at 6.30 pm for 7 pm, at the church rooms. Entrance by ticket only, £12 for adults, £8 for children, for 2 courses. **Please see Gordon if you are willing to provide a dish of salad or sweet.** Bring your own drink and a chair. Tickets available from Gordon, Jane or Elaine. For church funds and the loo project.

Some of you will already be aware that **Georges and Chamsa Haidar**, and their 3 grandchildren, have moved to 7 Bailey Close, Stanmore, Winchester, SO22 4DL. We shall miss them all greatly as they have become loyal members of our congregation and community. We shall send a card on behalf of Holy Trinity. If you would like to send your own wishes, then please do so. We shall be collecting together a food hamper of non-perishable goods, over the next few weeks to deliver to them; please pass any donations to Jane or Elaine. Thank you.

Copies of the August issue of ‘The Sign’, usually found in the centre of the parish magazine are available at the back of the church. Please take one.

Mike Gaskell is looking for someone who may have an hour or so to spend each month **cutting a section of grass in the churchyard**. If you know of anyone in the village who you think may be able to help, please contact Mike on 01962 713962.

Holy Trinity now has a Facebook page. Please search for Holy Trinity Colden Common and like and share us with your Facebook friends.

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.