

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 3rd September 2017

12th 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 17

1st : Jeremiah 15. 15 – 21
 2nd : Romans 12. 9 – 21
 Gospel : Matthew 16. 21 – 28

Collect

**God of constant mercy,
 who sent your Son to save us :
 remind us of your goodness,
 increase your grace within us,
 that our thankfulness may grow,
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.
 Amen**

We pray for

Our Church	Rev'ds Jonah and Angie Helen O'Sullivan in Ordination training
To be baptised	Sophia Aurelia Holmes
The Parish	Church Lane, Brambles Close and Nobs Crook
The Sick	Kate Bittles
The Departed	Daphne Finch Terry Layton
Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time	Jan Jakubowski Tom Poore

Events

Tuesday 5th 7.00 pm PCC
 Sunday 10th 11.00 am St Mary's Patronal
 Benefice Service
 and Farewell to Rev'd Jonah
 Readings for the Benefice Service
 1st : Isaiah 61. 10 – 11
 2nd : Galatians 4. 4 – 7
 Gospel : Luke 1. 46 – 55

13th Sunday after Trinity Proper 18
 Readings for the Eucharist
 1st : Ezekiel 33. 7 – 11
 2nd : Romans 13. 8 – 14
 Gospel : Matthew 18. 15 – 20

*Followed by Farewell Reception at
 Colden Common Community Centre
 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.

Special Charity

During September and October we shall be supporting 'Wells for India', which will also be our Harvest Charity. Please take time to read the article in the September parish magazine.

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

Notices



Welcome, everyone, to our Family Service this morning, especially the family and friends of Sophia, who is to be baptised during the service.

Farewell to Rev'd Jonah

Rev'd Jonah's last service will be held at St Mary's Twyford **NEXT** 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.

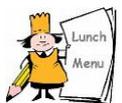
Please deliver any donations of food to the Community Centre from 10 am; members of Colden Common WI will be there to receive it. There will also be a car at Twyford from 10.30 am ready to collect food before the service starts to bring it back to the Community Centre.

Cakes would also be welcome.

If you would like to go to the service on the mini-bus, please book your place with Elaine and be ready to leave the Community Centre at 10.15 am. The bus will return to the Community Centre for the reception. **There are still a few spaces left.**

Anyone not going to the service is very welcome to join us for tea and cake between 2 and 3 pm to say their goodbye to Jonah and Angie.

Company for Lunch returns on 20th September – giving us the opportunity to reminisce about 'School Dinners'! 12.15 for 12.30 pm £7.50 per person. BYOB. Please book with Chris 713097



Our next fund-raising event will be the **Quiz and Curry Evening** at 7.30 pm on Friday 22nd September. Please see Jane to book your team (4 quizzers per team).



Our next **Saturday@5** will take place at St Andrew's Owslebury on 30th September.

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

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.

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.