

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 27th May 2018
TRINITY SUNDAY 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

1st : Genesis 18. 1 – 15
 2nd : Romans 8. 12 - 17
 Gospel : John 3. 1 – 17



Collect

**Holy God,
 faithful and unchanging:
 enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,
 and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,
 that we may truly worship you,
 Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever. Amen**

We pray for

Our Church Rev'd Damon and his family
 Helen O'Sullivan in ordination training
 The Haidar Family

The Parish Spring Lane

The Sick Ruth Canham Jean Reader
 Margery Knight Pam Derrick

The Departed Jean Holder

Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time
 Brenda Totman Sonia Roberts
 Alan Ricketts

Events for the Week

Sat 2nd 10.00 am Archdeacon's Visitation
 at Valley Park
11.00 am Janet's Coffee Morning

Sun 3rd 9.30 am 1st Sunday after Trinity Proper 4
 Parish Eucharist
 Readings
 1st : Deuteronomy 5. 12 – 15
 2nd : 2Corinthians 4. 5 – 12
 Gospel : Mark2. 23 – 3.6

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 a member of the Clergy, please pass the information on 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

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 the m on the weekly sheet.

Special Charity

During May and June we shall collect for Christian Aid. Please see the article in the May magazine.

Thank you also for the non-perishable goods left in the Nightshelter box at the back of the church.

Notices

Welcome to **Peter Lippiett** who will preside at our **Patronal Festival** today, and to all friends from our **Benefice**. Refreshments will be served after the service. NB There will not be Evensong tonight.

Rev'd Damon's Service of Institution, will take place at St Mary's Twyford on **Tuesday June 26th at 7.00 pm** followed by a Reception at C C Community Centre. All are invited. Please remember Damon and his wife, Amanda, and children in your prayers.

The mini-bus will be running from the Community Centre (to leave at 6.15 pm) to St Mary's and back again to the reception; there are still a few places left. To book, contact Elaine or Mike. Parking will be limited. There is a list at the back of the church for **food to provide for the reception** and where/when to leave it. Thank you.

Janet will be holding a Coffee morning on SATURDAY at James' Cottage, Hill Lane from 11.00 am. Offers of help on the day, raffle prizes, cakes etc will be gratefully received.



Looking forward to the **Flower Festival on 9th (10 am – 4 pm) & 10th (11 am – 4 pm) June – JUST 2 WEEKS AWAY! help will be needed,**

please - with raffle, refreshments etc. **Please speak with Jane or Elaine if you can offer some cakes, raffle prizes, time to sit in/show people around the church or make refreshments.**

There will be activities for children too. On Sunday 10th Area Dean Karen Koussseff will be joining us to enhance our celebrations with a **Family Communion Service at 9.30 am**



Celebration 175 !

29th July 2018 marks the 175th Anniversary of the Dedication of Holy Trinity Bishop David is coming to preach, and we will be joined by friends from the Methodist Church the benefice congregations,. There are some wonderful events planned, including a **Flower Festival celebrating Village Life on June 9th and 10th** and an exclusive **175th Birthday Concert on August 3rd and 4th**, with the option of tickets to a **'Gala after-show Dinner'** on the Saturday evening. .

The Company for Lunch team is now on holiday until the next event – not to be missed – the **Summer BarBQ on Wednesday 15th August.** **Book with Chris on 01962 713097.**



Church Spring Clean – Friday 22nd June from 9am.



Please see Sylvia for details.