

Holy Trinity Church, Colden Common – 27<sup>th</sup> January 2019  
Holocaust Memorial Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Epiphany



**We welcome any visitors or newcomers to the church today.**  
Please have a chat with one of the sidespeople who will be pleased to introduce you to the Churchwardens and other members of the congregation

**Readings**

1<sup>st</sup> : Nehemiah 8. 1 – 3, 5 – 6, 8 – 10  
2<sup>nd</sup> : 1Corinthians 12. 12 – 31a  
Gospel : Luke 4. 14 – 21

**Collect**

**God of heaven,  
you send the Gospel to the ends of the earth  
and your messengers to every nation:  
send your Holy Spirit to transform us  
by the good news of everlasting life  
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

**We pray for**

Our Church Benefice Wardens  
The Parish Hensting Lane

The Sick

The Departed

Those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time  
Roy Small Don Fern  
Phyllis Brooks

**Events for the Week**

Today 6.00 pm Evensong  
Wednesday 9.30 am Benefice Wardens' Meeting  
7.30 pm PCC  
Sun 3rd 9.30 am Parish Eucharist :  
Candlemas  
Readings  
1<sup>st</sup> : Malachi 3. 1 – 5  
2<sup>nd</sup> : Hebrews 2. 14 – 18  
Gospel : Luke 2. 22 – 40

**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.

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 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

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.

**Next Family Service – What's love got to do with it?**

 Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 9.45 am. Live music.  
All welcome

**Special Charity**

In January we have reverted to collecting each month for the Winchester Nightshelter.

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

**Notices**

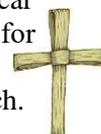
This morning our Vicar, Damon, will preside at our Parish Eucharist, and take Evensong this evening.

**Preparation of New Electoral Roll**

Every six years a new Electoral Roll has to be prepared, before our APCM (20th March). Trevor Piper is in the process of compiling a new roll and, if you were on the old one, you should receive a letter and form to complete, in the very near future. If you were not but would like to be considered for the new one, please contact Trevor (713449) or the church office for a form.

**Palm Crosses**

This year, Ash Wednesday falls on 6th March. The vicar is collecting last year's Palm Crosses to make the ash for the Eucharist, which will take place at 7.30 pm at Owslebury. Please leave them at the back of the church.



**Cathedral Open Evening** – Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> from 6.30 pm.

**The Christian Aid Exhibition 'Uprooted'** will be on display in the Dovetail Centre at Chandlers Ford Methodist Church from 15 - 25 February during normal café opening hours, 9 - 12 on week days and 10 - 12.30 on Saturdays. The exhibition is touring to raise awareness of the 40 million internally displaced people around the world, giving the chance for displaced people to tell their stories. Through a series of powerful images and individual accounts, you will have a chance to learn more about the global crisis of displacement, its consequences and the challenges displaced people face.

This year's (Women's) **World Day of Prayer from Slovenia** 'Come, everything is ready' will take place on 1<sup>st</sup> March at 7.30 pm at the Methodist Church, As usual, we are looking for some readers to take part. If you would like to read, please see Elaine. Thank you.

**The Bible in English and the Bible in English**

Thursday 7 February, 7–8.30 pm

A public lecture about the powerful influence the Bible has exerted on the English language by Christopher Mulvey, Emeritus Professor of English at the University of Winchester. *See poster at back of church for details and booking arrangements.*



There will be another **Julian Prayer Meeting** at 7.30 pm at Twyford on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February.



**The next Company For Lunch** to celebrate 'Valentines' will take place on 21<sup>st</sup> February, 12.15 pm in the church rooms. Please give Chris a call, as soon as possible, to book your place. 01962 713097

