

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

Sunday 10 July

Today

10 am – Holy Communion – Preacher: The Ven Jonathan Chaffey, Archdeacon of Oxford

Next Sunday – 17 July

10 am – Holy Communion – Preacher: Leon Catallo

8:30 pm – Compline on Zoom

Coming Up

Morning Prayer in the lady chapel every Tuesday-Friday morning. See the website for details. * Please note there will be no morning prayer in August *

Thursday 21 July - fortnightly **Bible Study** at 10:00am in church.

Notices

Jim Cocke's funeral will be held at St Mary's Parish Church, Swanage at Monday July 11th at 2:00pm. All welcome. This will be followed by the committal which close family members will attend. There will then be refreshments served at Harman's Cross Village Hall, BH19 3EB.

Can you help the Thursday Lunch Club with transport ? TLC meets in Corpus Christ Church Hall, Margaret Road, Headington twice a month, usually on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month, to provide a home cooked lunch for elderly people who live alone in the Headington area. More drivers are needed to bring people to lunch at around midday and take them home again at 2pm. Please contact Katya Drummond on katya@shotover.net tel: 07547 649612 or talk to James Larminie or William Marx who both do this already, and help with this lunch club.

Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your mercy;
that with you as our ruler and guide
we may so pass through things temporal
that we lose not our hold on things eternal;
grant this, heavenly Father,
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

First reading – Colossians 1:1-14 (page 1182 in the church Bibles)

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

² To God's holy people in Colossae, the faithful brothers and sisters in Christ:

Grace and peace to you from God our Father.

³ We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, ⁴ because we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love you have for all God's people – ⁵ the faith and love that spring from the hope stored up for you in heaven and about which you have already heard in the true message of the gospel ⁶ that has come to you. In the same way, the gospel is bearing fruit and growing throughout the whole world – just as it has been doing among you since the day you heard it and truly understood God's grace. ⁷ You learned it from Epaphras, our dear fellow servant, who is a faithful minister of Christ on our behalf, ⁸ and who also told us of your love in the Spirit.

⁹ For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you. We continually ask God to fill you with the knowledge of

his will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, ¹⁰ so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, ¹¹ being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, ¹² and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light. ¹³ For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Psalm 25:1-10

¹ To thee I lift my soul:

² O Lord, I trust in thee:

My God, let me not be ashamed,
nor foes triumph o'er me.

³ Let none that wait on thee
be put to shame at all;
But those that without cause
transgress,
let shame upon them fall.

⁴ Show me thy ways, O Lord;
thy paths, O teach thou me:

⁵ And do thou lead me in thy truth,
therein my teacher be:

For thou art God that dost
to me salvation send,
And I upon thee all the day
expecting do attend.

⁶ Thy tender mercies, Lord,

I pray thee to remember,
And loving-kindnesses; for they
have been of old for ever.

⁷ My sins and faults of youth
do thou, O Lord, forget:
After thy mercy think on me,
and for thy goodness great.

⁸ God good and upright is:
the way he'll sinners show.

⁹ The meek in judgment he will guide,
and make his path to know.

¹⁰ The whole paths of the Lord
are truth and mercy sure,
To those that do his cov'nant keep,
and testimonies pure.

Words: The Scottish Psalter

Tune: Franconia

Second reading – Luke 10:25-37 (page 1041 in the church Bibles)

²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. ‘Teacher,’ he asked, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’

²⁶ ‘What is written in the Law?’ he replied. ‘How do you read it?’

²⁷ He answered, “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind’; and, ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’”

²⁸ ‘You have answered correctly,’ Jesus replied. ‘Do this and you will live.’

²⁹ But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbour?’

³⁰ In reply Jesus said: ‘A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half-dead. ³¹ A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he travelled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. ³⁴ He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ The next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper. “Look after him,” he said, “and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.”

³⁶ ‘Which of these three do you think was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?’

³⁷ The expert in the law replied, ‘The one who had mercy on him.’

Jesus told him, ‘Go and do likewise.’

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