Newsletter Christ Church, Roath Park Lake Road North, Cardiff, CF23 5QN

Welcome to Christ Church

Week commencing 22nd September – Trinity 14

Sunday 22nd September – Trinity 14 8.00am Holy Eucharist 10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-Walkers 6.00pm Evening Worship 6.30pm J-Walkers

Monday 23rd7.30pm Keep FitTuesday 24th2.00pm Good CompanionsWednesday 25th7.30pm Christ Church SocietyThursday 26th1.30pm Chatterbox

Sunday 29th September – Michael & All Angels 8.00am Holy Eucharist 10.00am Parish Eucharist, Funky Church & J-Walkers 3.30pm Evensong @ Llandaff Cathedral – Rev'd Trystan's Inauguration as Canon Theologian within the Greater Chapter of Llandaff Cathedral. 6.30pm J-Walkers

Trinity 14

Collect

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

The first reading is from the Book of Amos

Hear this, you who trample the needy and do away with the poor of the land, saying,
'When will the New Moon be over that we may sell grain,
and the Sabbath be ended that we may market wheat?'skimping on the measure, boosting the price and cheating with dishonest scales,
buying the poor with silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, selling even the sweepings with the wheat.
The LORD has sworn by himself, the Pride of Jacob: 'I will never forget anything they have done.

(Amos 8: 4-7)

This is the Word of the Lord Thanks be to God

Psalm 113 (Pg.605)

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Luke Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus told his disciples: 'There was a rich man whose manager was accused of wasting his possessions. So he called him in and asked him, "What is this I hear about you? Give an account of your management, because you cannot be manager any longer."

'The manager said to himself, "What shall I do now? My master is taking away my job. I'm not strong enough to dig, and I'm ashamed to beg – I know what I'll do so that, when I lose my job here, people will welcome me into their houses."

'So he called in each one of his master's debtors. He asked the first, "How much do you owe my master?"

"Three thousand litres of olive oil," he replied.

'The manager told him, "Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifteen hundred."

'Then he asked the second, "And how much do you owe?"

"Thirty tons of wheat," he replied.

'He told him, "Take your bill and make it twenty-four."

'The master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly. For the people of this world are more shrewd in dealing with their own kind than are the people of the light. I tell you, use worldly wealth to gain friends for yourselves, so that when it is gone, you will be welcomed into eternal dwellings.

'Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else's property, who will give you property of your own?

'No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.'

(Luke 16: 1-13)

This is the Gospel of the Lord Praise to you O Christ

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Next Sunday's Readings & Rotas

Eucharist: Genesis 28: 10-17 & John 1: 47-51 Reader: Justine Ryland Intercessor: Emma Laing Welcoming Team: Gill Hopkins, Justin & Coral Freeman, Seth Ryland Coffee: Hilary & Barry Chiles, Pat & Mike Jenkins Ministers of Communion: Linda Alexander (Reserve: Colin Francis)

For weekly prayers please see: www.llandaffchurchinwales.org.uk under Faith Worship & Prayer (the Diocesan Prayer Calendar).

IF YOU FEEL UNABLE TO RECEIVE FROM THE CHALICE, THEN PLEASE RECEIVE THE BREAD ONLY.

NOTICES

EVENING WORSHIP: Please do join us for Evening Worship at 6pm, Celtic Night Prayer, led by Sue Hurrell. All welcome.

HARVEST: All are warmly invited to join us on the 13th October as we celebrate Harvest. Once again we are having a Bring and Share Harvest Supper at 5.00pm that day. It will be a wonderful occasion for food and fellowship as a community, followed by a short closing act of worship. Mains, sides, desserts and drinks are warmly welcomed! A sign up sheet is available in the church porch.

STORIES FOR THE SOUL: You are warmly invited to join us for a "Stories for the Soul" session on Monday 14 October. "Stories for the Soul" are a reflective and creative way of engaging with our sacred stories and immersing ourselves in the richness of the Christian storytelling tradition. You will have chance to slow down, listen to a story,

wonder about its meaning for your life and respond creatively. The Harvest session will take place on Monday 14 October, from 7.30-9pm at Christchurch. Please let Hannah know if you would like to come, so that she has an idea of numbers.

We will also be using "Stories for the Soul" to help us prepare for Christmas... more details of the Advent sessions coming soon.

A ROCK N' ROLL EVENING: with the band 'Denmark Street' on Saturday 19th October at 7.30pm. Tickets now available from Ann Picken (029 2075 5550) at £10 including supper (BYO drinks). Come and enjoy a super fun evening at the same time as raising funds for the new church hall.

CONGRATULATIONS: Congratulations to our vicar, Revd Trystan, on being invited to become Canon Theologian within the Greater Chapter of Llandaff Cathedral. This is in recognition of his theological teaching, both within the diocese and St Padarn's Institute. This is a great honour for Revd Trystan as he continues to undertake his two ministries - vicar of Christ Church and tutor in St Padarn's. We are invited to his inauguration, along with the rest of the Greater Chapter, at **3.30pm next Sunday**, **29 September at Llandaff Cathedral Evensong.**

LOOK: to your left – as you face the altar you will see on the Reading Desk, a scrap book telling something of the story of the altar rail KNEELERS. If you like you may speak to Posy Akande about it, or perhaps Derek Burston.

CHRIST CHURCH SOCIETY, NEXT MEETING: The next meeting features a talk entitled "Secrets of a Private Eye" by George Bradly. The meeting commences at 7.30pm, next Wednesday 25th September 2019 in the hall. The subscription payable is \pounds 5, including buffet and refreshments.

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES: If any child is interested in taking first communion sessions, so they can receive communion at the altar, please do tell Rev'd Trystan. Children are usually in Years 1 to 3 in Primary School when they undertake these sessions. There are usually three sessions at Sunday lunchtimes (with lunch included).

BLUE COLLECTION BOX: The blue collection box in the porch is for general Church funds, principally to go towards general upkeep, repairs and maintenance.Recently, amongst other things the organ needed an overhaul. We are fortunate that run of the mill and some maintenance is carried out by congregation members. Many thanks for supporting this initiative which has already yielded $\pounds 200+$. Please carry on searching

your pockets and purses for loose change, all coin denominations gratefully accepted. Thank you.

HELP PLEASE!!: We are in urgent need of more drivers to help with lifts to and/ or from Good Companions on Tuesday afternoons...can you help? At 2pm? 4pm? Occasionally? Weekly? Fortnightly? Monthly? To discuss please speak to Val <u>02920 747021</u> or Alison <u>02920 761277</u>. Thank you.

HIRING OF CHURCH HALL: To book the church hall please contact Gill Barker on 02920 747464.

THURSDAY 9.30am EUCHARIST: The Eucharist is on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month. The upcoming dates are the **3rd & 17th October.** Tea and coffee are available afterwards.

TOILETRIES : Should anyone have any unopened toiletries which they would be happy to donate, please pass them on to Val (02920 747021). These are currently being collected for the Salvation Army Hostel in Cardiff for the benefit of their residents for which they are extremely grateful.

NEW HALL PROJECT

Fund raising for this Project continues so we welcome ideas. Please do your best to support the Allotment produce, home made jams & preserves and the collection of old £1 coins, concerts etc.

SOME OF THE IDEAS BELOW ARE ALREADY BEING UNDERTAKEN BUT ALL NEED YOUR SUPPORT

ALLOTMENT PRODUCE & HOMEMADE PRESERVES: Keep a look out for produce/preserves often available after the 10 am Sunday service. No more jam jars required for the present.

OLD POUND COINS: We are collecting old pound coins for the Church Hall Appeal. If anyone has some please put them in the box in the entrance or into the collection bags. Thanks, Linda Alexander

CAKE MAKING - cakes always sell!

MUSIC CONCERTS

CROSS IN MY POCKET – These handmade embroidered crosses are ideal to keep in your phone case/purse/wallet or would make ideal gifts

to pop into a greetings card. These can be picked up in the church porch: a donation of £1 will go towards the hall. Many thanks.

Please continue to support.

If anyone has any ideas, however big or small, to raise money for the exciting New Hall project, please share them! Thank you all for your continued support.

Notices for the Newsletter should be given to Denise Searle, tel. 029 20763151; Email <u>info@christchurchcardiff.co.uk</u> or left in the church letter box. Deadline is Wednesday morning

In the event of an EMERGENCY please leave by the nearest exit and assemble by the walled garden at the front of the car park.

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PARISH INFORMATION

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