

# Prayer & Worship

29<sup>th</sup> August 2021

TRINITY 13



**Theme:** Let's go to ...

**Topic:** Patmos

**Readings:** Revelation 21:22 – 22:5  
Mark 7: 1-8, 14, 15, 21-23

**Collect:** Almighty God,  
you search us and know us:  
may we rely on you in strength  
and rest on you in weakness,  
now and in all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**8.00am Early Communion**

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**9.15am Choral Communion**

Voluntary: No1 of Two Dialogues by Peter Hurford

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Live streamed from our YouTube channel – see  
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**11.00am Life & Soul**

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## FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

**Church:** Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

**Diocesan Life:** Chaplaincy: lay and ordained, in prisons, schools, universities, police, hospitals and in our communities; and Anna Chaplains working with older people and chaplains working with those with disability, the deaf and hard of hearing.

**Our Parish:** Those who live and work in Grosvenor Mews, Grove Pastures, Grove Place, Grove Road. Hospital Chaplain Linda Lee.

**Sick:** Sarah Heulin and all who are unwell.

**Departed:** Ann Moulard, Tommy Myers, Richard Perryer, Janet Sheffer.

**Year's Mind:** Peter Loveless (2012).

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August BANK HOLIDAY**

**9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer**

[Click here for direct link to meeting](#)

Or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240

Meeting ID: 895 2990 2640 Passcode: 2020

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August**

**9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer**

**6.00pm NO Meet the Vicar**

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September**

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

**9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer**

**11.00am Holy Communion – STC**

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**

**9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September**

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

**8.00am Holy Communion**

**9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer**

**7.00pm Choir Practice**

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September**

**9.00am Prayer for the work of the parish**

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**2.00pm Memorial Service for Sheila Sharp**

**NEXT SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER**

**TRINITY 14**

**Theme:** Encouragement

**Topic:** God's faithfulness

**Readings:** Numbers 13: 1-3, 17-20, 25-28, 30-33  
Mark 7: 24-37

**8.00am Early Communion**

**9.15am Choral Communion**

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**11.00am Life & Soul**

**3.00pm Baptism of Florence**

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS in ST. THOMAS

20 to 26 Solent Music Festival, see  
Sept [solentmusicfestival.com](http://solentmusicfestival.com)

**Parish Office 01590 676194**

Open 9.30am to 11.30am

open Tuesday and Thursday only this week

[office@lymingtonchurch.org](mailto:office@lymingtonchurch.org)

# News

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**The Nations' Climate Sunday Service:** Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September sees the culmination of the Climate Sunday movement, which included our service on 25<sup>th</sup> July. This special service will be live streamed from Glasgow Cathedral, from 3.30pm. It's an opportunity to celebrate everything churches across Britain and Ireland have committed to for the climate in the lead up to COP26. To receive a link to the service, register via Eventbrite: [click here](#)

**October Parish News:** copy for original items should be with the Editor by Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September please. Regular columnists and contributors have until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September.

**Traidcraft:** the Traidcraft stall will be at Vistas Café on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September, 10.30am to noon. Come along and stock up on your favourite items after enjoying coffee and a chat at Vistas!



**Ride and Stride 2021:** Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September. Help to raise money for the preservation of the region's historic churches and chapels of all denominations. You

can walk, cycle, drive, ride or run to as many churches in Hampshire and the Isle of Wight as you wish. Go as a family, singly or get a group together. Alternatively you could obtain sponsorship for another type of activity such as church cleaning or exercise biking!! Sponsorship forms are available from Anthea MacAlister at church.

**The Joy of Prayer:** Zoom workshop for anyone who would like to broaden their experience of prayer. Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> September, 8-9pm Praying with Stuff; about praying with our whole selves, using everyday objects in various kinds of prayer. Led by Revd Sally Dakin, Diocesan Spirituality Advisor.

Enquiries [sally.dakin@winchester.anglican.org](mailto:sally.dakin@winchester.anglican.org);

Bookings [wendy.atkinson@winchester.anglican.org](mailto:wendy.atkinson@winchester.anglican.org).

**Rule of Life Mini Online Retreats:** join us to consider how a Rule (or Rhythm) of Life might help us to grow and be more fruitful in our relationships with God, with each other, and with the communities we're part of, Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2pm-4.30pm, led by Revd Sally Dakin, Diocesan Spirituality Advisor. More information and booking email [ruleoflife@winchester.anglican.org](mailto:ruleoflife@winchester.anglican.org).

**Lymington and Pennington Green Week:** plans for Green Week (1<sup>st</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> October), include a community art project for the hedge outside St.Mark's Church. The plan is to create a river scene, with flowers, green hearts and New Forest wildlife. If you knit or crochet and would like to get involved, please print a copy of the leaflet attached with the notices, which explains more and gives instructions. Also see the posters on the Eco Church notice board. Please drop completed contributions into the bag in church by 18<sup>th</sup> September.  
Rosie Ward



**Flowers in St.Thomas Church:** more helpers urgently needed to join the rota. No special skills needed, just a love of flowers, arranged simply to enhance the church. We normally work in pairs arranging on a Friday morning or to suit commitments and reimburse the cost of the flowers. Please contact the parish office.

**Thank you:** Amanda would like to say a big thank you to everyone for the kind gifts and good wishes given to her and Trevor. She will miss us greatly as we will miss her!



**August:** Travel: try to minimise car use by combining journeys (eg, rubbish to the tip/garden centre/shopping).



**Church Book Club**

**Gossip from the Forest - Sara Maitland**

To take us through the summer a book which is described as part travelogue, part folklore, Sara Maitland's journey into 12 British forests is described as infectiously enjoyable. Each story is self-contained so you can dip in and out of the book. May's forest is the New Forest. For discussion on 8<sup>th</sup> September 4pm

**Cuthbert of Farne by Katharine Tiernan**

A gripping historical novel which takes us to the heart of Cuthbert's world and sheds new light on the life and times of the North's favourite saint. Based on Bede's life of St Cuthbert and other documents about the times. A moving and powerful historical novel and a must-read for all who love the stories of the Northern saints and want to know more about the earliest days of Christianity in England.

For discussion on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 4pm

**Click here for direct link to meeting or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240 Meeting ID: 851 1706 0907 Passcode: coffee**