

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Saturday 22 October 7pm

Quiz Night with Fish & Chip Supper

Adults £12 Children £5

Family (2adults+2 children) £25

Teams of 4,5 maximum 6.

Bring your own liquid refreshments

Tea and coffee provided during evening

**Come along and enjoy an evening
of fun, food and fellowship**

Tickets from the Church Office



OCTOBER

Saturday 29 Craft Day

SOLD OUT

NOVEMBER

Saturday 26 Christmas Fayre 10am - 1pm

Town Centre Crib: Would you be willing to attend and give out leaflets at a Churches Together in Poole initiative on Saturday 10th and/or 17th December for a period of two and a half hours? If so please discuss with Penny.

The 'Bank the Food' App provides up to date information on what is needed at Food Banks.

Download the App from Google Play or Apple store, follow Christchurch, Poole, Wimborne or Blandford Food Bank and choose whether you wish to receive reminders when shopping. *We are also encouraging people to get to know their local Food Bank.*

Food Bank needs

- ◆ Tinned food
- ◆ Rice
- ◆ Coffee (small jars)
- ◆ Instant noodles
- ◆ Pasta'n'sauce sachets
- ◆ Sweets
- ◆ Antibac spray/wipes
- ◆ Toilet cleaner/Bleach
- ◆ Washing gel tablets

- ◆ Shampoo
- ◆ Deodorant
- ◆ Toothpaste
- ◆ Nappies size 3 and above
- Or Financial donations
- Poole Food Bank**
- CAF Bank Account
- Sort code: 40-52-40,
- Account no: 00034948

Thank you!

THIS WEEK...

Sunday 2 October

8.30am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

10am Holy Communion in Church

10am JaM in the large hall

Prayer Ministry available after both morning services



Monday 3 October

Please pray for all recently licensed LLM's.

Pilgrim Way and Popes Road

Tuesday 4 October

Please pray for strong friendships for children who have recently started school, Preston Road and Rectory Road

2-4pm Autumn Club in small hall

3.15-9.15pm Rainbows/Brownies/Guides in church

Wednesday 5 October

Please pray for God to make known to you someone to look out for today, Rose Crescent and Rowlands Avenue.

10am Holy Communion in The Lady Chapel

5-5.30pm Bell Ringers

6.30pm Choir Practice

6- 9.30pm Cubs and Explorers in small hall

Thursday 6 October

Please pray for all brownies, guides and children's groups using the church/hall, Sherrin Close and Simmonds Close

12.15 Lunch Club

5-7.30pm Brownies in church

Friday 7 October

Please pray for success of the Queens Great Canopy Jubilee project. (planting trees)

Shottsford Road and Somerby Road

Saturday 8 October

Please pray for fun and generosity during the Children in Need rambles this weekend.

St Edward's School and Stanley Court.

9am Prayers for the Parish via Zoom. Please join us at:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/77393429328?pwd=QUZ2VHJiU1N1RXc3Y1BvaVo0N3F0Zz09>

Meeting ID: 773 9342 9328 Passcode: 9NdT8a

Sunday 9 October

8.30am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel

10am Holy Communion in Church

10am JaM in the large hall

5pm Iona in the Lady Chapel

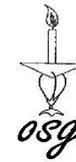


THIS WEEK AT OAKDALE ST GEORGE

Sunday 2nd October 2022

Trinity 16

Dedication



Dear friends,

Who among us has ever been disobedient? Most of us at one time or another I'm sure.

But then, who among us expects to be rewarded when we do something good? Again, I'm guessing most of us like to get recognition for a good deed.

But as Christians we know that any earthly adulation or praise is a reward in itself. The reward we seek and actively pursue, is our heavenly reward, and that may involve hardship and persecution.

So our readings today urge us to have faith, to be strong, to stir up the Holy spirit within us that we might endure in our service of God; from whom we do not expect praise for doing what is right, but from whom we receive the unearned gift of eternal life – surely a reward worth hardship, patience and service.

Penny

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Please note: From today we will resume taking the collection during 10am services

Please do stay in touch...



01202 660612 Mon-Thurs 10am-12noon

The church is open for private prayer during office hours.



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The Collect

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; 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.**

2 Timothy 1. 1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

Luke 17. 5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you.

'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field,

"Come here at once and take your place at the table"? Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!"

Post Communion

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayer: Please pray for...

Worldwide: The Anglican Church of Canada

Diocese: Marden Vale, Calne Deanery

Local: Palmer Road and 'Pergins'



Immediate Prayer: Mandy Barrington, Hazel Cockburn, Barbara Cross, Ray Durman, Barbara Fairbrother, Carol Philpott, Julia Stokes, Gerda, Kezia, Malcolm.

Continuous Prayer: June Chappell, Hazel Day, Jim E, Paul Fairbrother, Reenie Flay, Sarah Fowler, Richard Glynn, Margaret Grindrod, Pat Howe, Hugo Hynd Ann Johnson, Brian Joy, Jim L, Margaret Macfarlane, Beverly Mitchell, Susan Mort, Robert Nauta, Logan Wicks, Hilary, Lorraine, Melanie.

Also we remember those who have died recently
RIP Mrs Ronnie Aldersley, Edythe Morgan, Ruth Perham and those whose anniversaries are recorded in our Book of Remembrance:
Rita Rich, David Gillard.

Readings for Sunday 9th October

2 Timothy 2. 8—15

Luke 17. 11—19

Please Note:

Change in forthcoming services:

Sun 23 October **Altogether in the Hall**
(Bible Sunday)

Sun 30 October **All Saints Service in Church**

The services on the fourth and fifth Sundays have been switched, as shown in the current rota.

The Children's Society



As we move into October, it's time to 'Open the Boxes' so that I can forward your donations to the Society. Boxes can be brought into church and given to me or they can be left in the church office. Also, if wished or preferred I will be happy to collect from you at home or you can bring it to my home. Please phone me (01202 671875) if you need collection from your home.

With sincere thanks for your continuing loyal support.

With best wishes
Sue Edge

Looking after our Church:

We have missed any available Saturdays to organise group grounds work; so if you have a spare hour or so here are some things you might like to do throughout the Autumn and Winter to help keep our grounds looking welcoming:

- ◆ Sweep up fallen leaves (along car park wall, and the hedge in front of the East Window,
- ◆ Sweep stones back onto the gravel
- ◆ Weed the 'edging' in front of the gravel
- ◆ Cut and dispose of brambles and ivy along the car park wall.
- ◆ Dig up the accumulating soil along the car park wall.

There are other areas which some church members have 'adopted' to keep tidy, but any area where you see weeds, you are welcome to tackle them for us!

We have a Green Bin in the Garden of Remembrance, but this fills up quickly so if you can take a bag home to your own bin or take it to the Recycling Centre that would be very helpful.

