

Pewsheet for Winterslow All Saints & St John's, Farley and Pitton four of The Clarendon Churches



Sunday 4th October 2020 - Trinity 17

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday 4th: Trinity 17

9:15am Parish Eucharist (Winterslow, All Saints)
11:00am Parish Eucharist (Farley, All Saints)
11:00am All age Harvest Festival (Pitton, St Peter's)

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 11th: Trinity 18

8:00am Early Eucharist (Winterslow, St John's)
9:15am Morning Praise (Winterslow, All Saints)
11:00am Parish Eucharist (Pitton, St Peter's)
11:00am Morning Worship (Farley, All Saints)
3:00pm Farley with Pitton APCM (Farley, All Saints)

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

Please pray for those who are sick including:

**Max Parker, Amanda Dixon, Lisa & Tren Torode,
Dennis Barnes, Natalie Moss.**

And pray for the family and friends of those who have recently died

Cliff Lodge

Please contact Cynthia or the Office
if you would like someone prayed for.



Thank You

Joan and the family wish to thank everyone for their prayers, kind thoughts and words of condolence following the death of her husband, Cliff Lodge. There will be a private funeral for family only (due to Covid restrictions) at 4pm on Friday 9th October at St Peter's, Pitton. If you would like to follow along in your home, a printed order of service will be available to collect from the church porch from Sunday 4th October.

APCM Dates:

Winterslow: Sunday 18th October 6pm at All Saints Church
Farley with Pitton: Sunday 11th October 3pm at Farley Church



Worship at Home.



Worship at Home resources including service sheet, and link for video. This week Revd Simon gives a reflection on the Gospel reading, Zoë reads and Lisa leads the prayers.

This Sunday can be found at
<https://ClarendonCofE.org/201004>

Ordinations and Licensing were "wonderful" occasions.



Despite the current restrictions, 14 new deacons were ordained by Bishop Nicholas in 2 cohorts of 7 in our Cathedral on Saturday 26th September, 7 were ordained priest around the diocese, and four new LLMs were licenced to the diocese.

If you would like something added to this pew sheet please contact Simon or Jolande in the office.



Face coverings in our church services are mandatory

unless you have legitimate reason not to.



If it's not in the on-line diary then we don't know it is happening.
Please check at
<http://ClarendonCofE.org>



THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Tuesday 6th

8:30am-10:00am Ministry Team Office Meet (Team)
9:15am Informal Prayers (Pitton, St Peter's)

Wednesday 7th

9:00am Morning Prayer (Winterslow, All Saints)

Thursday 8th

9:00am Morning Prayer (Winterslow, All Saints)

Friday 9th

9:00am Morning Prayer (Winterslow, All Saints)
4:00pm Memorial Service: Cliff Lodge (Pitton, St Peter's)



"the kingdom of God will be given to a people that produce the fruits of the kingdom"

From Matthew 21.33-46

We are collecting for a gift for Beth as she leaves us to go to the Whitton Team. There are several ways to give before the 16th Oct:

- Give money to a churchwarden or Clergy
- Pop a cheque into the team office
- Make an electronic transfer



Full Details of how to do this can be found at:
<http://ClarendonCofE.org/gift-for-beth>

Beth's last service: Thursday 22nd October at 6:30pm at St Mary's Church Alderbury.

We now need names if you are intending to come
Please email Alison Larkham, alison@larkham.me.uk
as soon as possible. *Thanks.*



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The Collect

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face;
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.

First Reading

Isaiah 5.1-7

Let me sing for my beloved
my love-song concerning his vineyard:
My beloved had a vineyard
on a very fertile hill.
He dug it and cleared it of stones,
and planted it with choice vines;
he built a watch-tower in the midst of it,
and hewed out a wine vat in it;
he expected it to yield grapes,
but it yielded wild grapes.

And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem
and people of Judah,
judge between me
and my vineyard.
What more was there to do for my vineyard
that I have not done in it?
When I expected it to yield grapes,
why did it yield wild grapes?

And now I will tell you
what I will do to my vineyard.
I will remove its hedge,
and it shall be devoured;
I will break down its wall,
and it shall be trampled down.
I will make it a waste;
it shall not be pruned or hoed,
and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns;
I will also command the clouds
that they rain no rain upon it.
For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts
is the house of Israel,
and the people of Judah
are his pleasant planting;
he expected justice,
but saw bloodshed;
righteousness,
but heard a cry!

Second Reading

Philippians 3.4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Gospel

Matthew 21.33-46

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: 'Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watch-tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them, saying, "They will respect my son." But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, "This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance." So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They said to him, 'He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time.'

Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures:

"The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;
this was the Lord's doing,
and it is amazing in our eyes"?

Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls.'

When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord, we pray that your grace
may always precede and follow us,
and make us continually to be given to all good works;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.