

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



Sunday 25th October 2020 - Bible Sunday

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday 25th: Bible Sunday

8:00am Early Eucharist (Winterslow, St John's)
9:15am Morning Worship (Winterslow, All Saints)
11:00am Parish Eucharist (Pitton, St Peter's)
6:00pm BCP Evensong (Farley, All Saints)

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 1st: All Saints

9:15am Parish Eucharist (Winterslow, All Saints)
11:00am Parish Eucharist (Farley, All Saints)
11:00am Children's Service (Pitton, St Peter's)
2:00pm All Souls service (Pitton, St Peter's)

Sorry

Apologies for those who were expecting a Eucharist service at All Saints this morning. We are very grateful to Debbie who has stepped up to take this service due to lack of clergy this Sunday. Revd David is still on placement and will return to take services in the team on Remembrance Sunday. While we are trying to plan well in these days, changes may happen at short notice due to restrictions and the vacancy. Remember the on-line calendar is the place to find out what is happening if you are unsure. <https://ClarendonCofE.org/calendar>

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

Tony Horner

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



Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly;

Colossians 3.12-17



Next Sunday is All Saints Sunday and we look forward to welcoming the new Trustees of Farley Hospital as we with them rededicate the links between Church, Hospital and community which were set up by Sir Stephen Fox, benefactor of Church and Hospital

Worship at Home.



This Sunday is bible Sunday when we focus on Scripture connecting us with God and his purpose for us. Today's worship is introduced by Revd Simon, has a reflection by Michael with reading and prayers from the Larkhams.

This Sunday can be found at <https://ClarendonCofE.org/2010258>



Face coverings in our church services are mandatory

unless you have legitimate reason not to.

If it's not in the on-line calendar then we don't know it is happening. Please check at <https://ClarendonCofE.org/calendar> and put your events in.



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

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Monday 26th

1:00pm Wedding (Winterslow, All Saints)

Tuesday 27th

9:00am Morning Prayer (Winterslow, All Saints)
9:15am Informal Prayers (Pitton, St Peter's)

Wednesday 28th

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

Thursday 29th

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

Friday 30th

9:00am Morning Prayer (Winterslow, All Saints)
All Day Team office closed

Wedding Congratulations to Annabel and Jasper who are getting married at All Saints Winterslow this Monday.



Keep in Touch



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<https://ClarendonCofE.org/keepintouch>

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The Collect

Blessed Lord,
who caused all holy Scriptures
to be written for our learning;
help us so to hear them,
to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them
that, through patience,
and the comfort of your holy word,
we may embrace and for ever hold fast
the hope of everlasting life,
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

First Reading

Nehemiah 8.1-6,8-12

all the people gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had given to Israel. Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. The scribe Ezra stood on a wooden platform that had been made for the purpose; and beside him stood Mattithiah, Shema, Anaiah, Uriah, Hilkiyah, and Maaseiah on his right hand; and Pedaiah, Mishael, Malchijah, Hashum, Hash-baddanah, Zechariah, and Meshullam on his left hand. And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. Then Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God, and all the people answered, 'Amen, Amen', lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground. So they read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading.

And Nehemiah, who was the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, 'This day is holy to the Lord your God; do not mourn or weep.' For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. Then he said to them, 'Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our Lord; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the Lord is your strength.' So the Levites stilled

all the people, saying, 'Be quiet, for this day is holy; do not be grieved.' And all the people went their way to eat and drink and to send portions and to make great rejoicing, because they had understood the words that were declared to them.

Second Reading

Colossians 3.12-17

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Gospel

Matthew 24.30-35

Jesus said to his disciples: 'The sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see "the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven" with power and great glory. And he will send out his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.

'From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. So also, when you see all these things, you know that he is near, at the very gates. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.'

Post Communion Prayer

God of all grace,
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry
with the bread of his life
and the word of his kingdom:
renew your people with your heavenly grace,
and in all our weakness
sustain us by your true and living bread;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.
Amen.