

NOTICES



Flowers This Week

Thank you for the flowers this week which have been kindly donated by Pauline and Tony Welch in celebration of their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

PARISH VACANCY: We are pleased to announce that all the required paperwork has been completed and forwarded to Diocesan House. It is hoped our Vacancy will be advertised shortly.

Electoral Roll. The Electoral Roll is open process new applications or amendments. Applications forms are on the table at the back of church or from Ian McKenzie (*Electoral Roll Officer*)

ADVANCE NOTICE: There will be a Coffee Morning (with Bring-and-Buy; refreshments and other stalls) on **FRIDAY, JUNE 30th** from 9.30am in the Parish Community Hall. We are asking for items to sell - cakes, draw prizes, etc as well as volunteers to help on the day. Please contact Barbara (677 4549); Jenny (721 7587); Mary (342 4718) or Sue at the Parish Office (677 5352).

CHRISTIAN AID ENVELOPES: Please can you return any envelopes for Sunday and hand to Wendy Deverill or Roy Milne.

SUMMER SALE – Church pens (£2.50 each) will be available for a few weeks at **'2 FOR £4'**. Please speak to Gwyneth.

Community Craft Club is aiming to bring people together to share craft skills. Would you like to learn something new, or do you have a skill you would be willing to pass on? Our next meetings will be at 1.30pm in the Parish Community Hall on **12th/22nd and 29th June**. Come along for a chat and join in one of our projects (currently knitting/crocheting angels, poppies and Christmas crafts) or just bring your own project. We are always grateful for balls of wool too!! Further details from Sue at the Parish Office.

Smartie Tube Fund – Beryl Robinson has been handed a further £20 for the wall fund – thank you.

TELEPHONE WORSHIP. You are invited to join Revd Josie for a short pre-recorded service of Night Prayer which can be accessed at any time on 0151 318 2533 for the cost of a local call and which changes every week. Please do spread the word, particularly among those who aren't able to get to church.

Holy Cross Church, Woodchurch

Growing disciples of Christ

SUNDAY 4TH JUNE 2023
TRINITY SUNDAY

Welcome!

Welcome to everyone here today! A particular welcome if you are with us for the first time. Please do stay for refreshments after the 10am service in the Parish Community Hall. **Gluten free wafers** are available; please ask one of the Sidespeople.

Collect: (*Page 197 - The Common Worship Lectionary*)

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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**

Post Communion: (*Page 200 – The Common Worship Lectionary*)

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Readings for 8am and 10am

1st Reading (8am) Isaiah 40. 12-17, 27-31

Psalm (8am) 8

Epistle (8am & 10am) 2 Corinthians 13. 11-13

Gospel Matthew 28. 16-20

8.00am

Holy Communion – *Preacher Oxtou*

10.00am

Holy Communion – *Preacher Rev Josie*

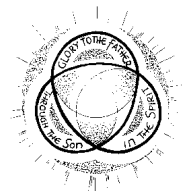
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Hymn at 10am: 163/286/654/450/714/174

12 Noon

Mass Setting: Family Service – All Said

Baptism



CHURCH DIARY FOR THE WEEK AHEAD:

<i>Tuesday</i>	6 th June	8.00pm	Bible Study
<i>Wednesday</i>	7 th June	10.00am 1.15pm	Holy Communion Community Café in Parish Community Hall 🕊
<i>Thursday</i>	8 th June	9.30am 11.00am	Choir Practice in Church Special Holy Communion for Corpus Christi

SUNDAY, 11TH JUNE 2023
BARNABAS THE APOSTLE

8.00am	Holy Communion	1 st Reading (8am)	Job 29. 11-16
10.00am	Parish Communion	Psalm (8am)	112
12 Noon	Baptism	Epistle (8am & 10am)	Acts 11. 19-30
		Gospel	John 15. 12-17

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those who live and work in:

Sun: Troutbeck Close. Mon: Walby Close.
Tue: Whitefield Close. Wed: Woodchurch Road.
Thu: Woodland Drive. Fri: Woodland Road.
Sat: Woodvale Court.

Those who will be baptised "we welcome them into the fellowship of faith"



Lorenzo Carl Morgan

Those who are ill:

Phil, Victor, Norma, Liz, Lilian, Anne, Ted, James

We remember those who have died and pray for those who mourn their passing:

Doreen Green

"Give rest O Christ to your servants with the saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing but life everlasting. Amen"

Years Mind:

Eva Williams, James Stanley Bellenger, Margaret Jones,
 Thomas Stanley Bellenger, Thomas Bertram Saunders,
 Ellen Anderson, Gladys Wright, Dorothy Foster.

Our verse for the year

"Unless the Lord builds the house,
 those who build it labour in vain."
(Psalm 127)

BIBLE READING OF THE WEEK:

Trinity Sunday – Matthew 28: 16-20

A final promise of Jesus, to be with His struggling people.
Thought: Is it significant that it is connected with sharing our faith in Jesus with others? Do we experience more of His presence when we are willing to tell others what trusting Jesus means to us?