

WE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND IN OUR PRAYERS:

Vivienne Bell, Joyce Powell, Val Judson, Elsie Smith, Ann Bordess, Claire Froud, Colin Thompson, Nathaniel, Pete Henderson, Pat Watson, Colin Graham, Ashley Powell, Ann Harrison.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY BECOME ILL:

Sally Carmichael, Harry Hindess, Graham Walton, Marion Neville, Mary Gunn, Eileen Smith, Maureen Palmer, Norma McInnes, Gillian Butler, Margaret Piggot, Jennie Willis.

WE PRAY FOR THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:

Margery Bramhall, Audrey Olds, Sylvia Haskell.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH FALLS AT THIS TIME:

Ernest Hepworth, Belle Danks, Jan Krawczyk, Danielle Pattison, Florence Ferry, Colin Leach, Edna Padgett, Ronald Butler.

CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Sunday 21 September

3.00pm Wedding rehearsal for Stephen Trotter and Diane Ritson

Tuesday 23 September

9.00am Morning Prayer

10.00am Holy Communion

7.00pm Quiz night

Wednesday 24 September

9.30am Trinity Tots

Thursday 25 September

7.30pm Choir practice

Saturday 27 September

1.00pm Wedding of Stephen Trotter and Diane Ritson

Fifteenth Sunday of Trinity 28 September

10.00am Holy Communion in church and with choir

11.45am Baptisms Lila Louise Sadler-Lincoln and Ophelia Rea

Bible Readings for next Sunday:

Reading 1 Timothy 6.6-19

Gospel Reading Luke 16.19-end



21 September 2025

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF TRINITY

SUNDAY 8.00am Holy Communion in church

10.00am Holy Communion in church and with choir

TUESDAY 10.00am Holy Communion in church

COLLECT

Merciful God,
your Son came to save us
and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy and
know your love, rejoicing in the
righteousness that is ours through
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

POST COMMUNION COLLECT

Lord God, the source of truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and
fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking
of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of
heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

FIRST BIBLE READING

1 Timothy 2-1-7

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings should be made for everyone, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all—this was attested at the right time. For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

This is the Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

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GOSPEL READING

Luke 16.1-13

Alleluia, alleluia.

Welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls.

All Alleluia

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

Then Jesus said to the disciples, 'There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. So he summoned him and said to him, "What is this that I hear about you? Give me an account of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer." Then the manager said to himself, "What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes." So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, "How much do you owe my master?" He answered, "A hundred jugs of olive oil." He said to him, "Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty." Then he asked another, "And how much do you owe?" He replied, "A hundred containers of wheat." He said to him, "Take your bill and make it eighty." And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

'Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate

the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.

NOTICES THIS WEEK

Church Stall

Our church stall has a new home at the back of church on the book shelves, next to the book swap. Jenene

Flowers

Many thanks to Susan Burton for the donation towards the flowers this week in memory of her dearly loved husband Alan for his anniversary on the 19th September.

Friends of the Old Churchyard - They've only gone and done it again!

This week the team were awarded for the second year running the Gold Award for the category of Conservation Projects in Northumbria in Bloom. This is a massive achievement, and congratulations are due to all the volunteers who give their time making our church yard so beautiful for the enjoyment of all. Well done everyone.

Annie Duggan and Rob Hines with Holy Trinity Choir Saturday 18th October 7:30pm.

Annie and Rob are an award-winning duo who blend Americana, Blues, Jazz and Folk with their own original material. With two American tours under their belt, their performance at Holy Trinity will be part of their recent tour, "Songs To Cure The Blues" and they will be supported by our own Holy Trinity Choir. Please see the fundraising team for tickets (**Ticket price £10**) or phone 07989 677225 to reserve online.

Bra Recycling Bin

It's Back! Due to popular demand, you can now bring your previously loved bras, (wrapped if possible) and they will go to be recycled. This will reduce landfill and help others less fortunate. Box at the back of church for your donations. Thank you Christine

Sunday Eucharist at 10am

The Sunday service will begin at 10am. If you would like to join us online, please email office.htcw@gmail.com to be included in our circulation list. If you would like to join the service by phone, please dial 0131 460 1196. The meeting ID number is 899 3953 5342 followed by # (hash). The password is 063597, followed by # (hash).

Quiz/Games Night – Tuesdays at 7pm

All are very welcome to join in, just click on the link in this month's email, or if you are

joining by phone, please dial 0203 481 5237 the meeting ID is 863 8739 6150 followed by # (hash) and the password is 474998 followed by # (hash) and remember to press *6 to talk to us.