

All are **Welcome** in this place



Come to me, all you that are weary and are  
carrying heavy burdens,

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**Priest-in-Charge: Terry Brown**

**Trinity 3**

**6<sup>th</sup> July 2014**

**Please Pray for**

- Please pray for Mary Daw (Chair) and the work of all the Friends of Pleshey who give of their time, their talents and themselves to support the ministry of our House of Retreat.
- Pray for the Church of Pakistan (United), The Most Revd Samuel Robert Azariah, Moderator.
- For Christopher Marriot and Jemma Sullivan Being married here next Saturday.
- We pray for safety during the Tour de France tomorrow.
- For all who live in Hall Lane
- For the Kenyan's visiting our diocese at this time.
- Pray for our fete next Saturday that it will be well supported and that we raise much needed funds for our church as well as having an enjoyable time.
- All those who need our prayers due to sickness or ill health especially Shirley Cartwright, Barbara Parish, Chloe King, Simon Bobeldijk, Lee Howell, Maureen Thurston, Christopher Godfrey, Liz, Simon Mills, Susannah Bedwell Edward Gilder and others known to us.
- For those who mourn, especially the family and friends of Joan Kennedy as they mourn their loss.

**Christening, Wedding or Funeral**

If you would like to arrange one contact Terry

SEE BELOW

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**Regular Pattern of Worship**

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

Sunday: 10am Parish Eucharist

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month

8am Holy Communion (Traditional)

10am Family Service

**Today's service**

**10am Sung Eucharist**

*Preacher:* Canon Christine McCafferty  
*Reader:* John Gruby  
*Eucharistic Minister:* Janet Terry  
*Intercessions:* David Farrar  
*Sides person:* Judy Cecil

**Next Week's Service's**

8am Holy Communion  
10am Family Service

**This week**

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 9.15am Holy Communion  
10.15am Coffee/Tea and Chat with Kenyan speakers  
6.30pm Youth Club Presentation Evening  
7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)  
Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July  
1pm Tiny Tots group  
6pm Brownies (Village Hall)  
Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July  
8.30am Morning Prayer at East Hanningfield  
5.00pm Beaver Scouts (Village hall)  
6.20pm Cub Scouts (Village hall)  
8.00pm Scouts (Village hall)  
Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July  
7.30pm Choir in Church  
Saturday 12<sup>th</sup>  
1pm Wedding of Chris Marriott & Jemma Sullivan  
**1pm – 4pm Church Fete in Old Rectory Paddock**  
**Welcome** – If you are new to church, please make yourself known to Revd. Terry or one of the people who gave out the hymn books.  
**Families** are very welcome in Church.  
**Toilets and Changing facilities opposite Main Door**  
**Communion** All are welcome at the Communion rail, if you do not normally receive Communion, please come forward to receive a blessing.

## Collect

God our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen**

## <sup>1st</sup> Reading Romans 7. 15-25a

I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. Now if I do what I do not want, I agree that the law is good. But in fact it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. For I know that nothing good dwells within me, that is, in my flesh. I can will what is right, but I cannot do it. For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me.

So I find it to be a law that when I want to do what is good, evil lies close at hand. For I delight in the law of God in my inmost self, but I see in my members another law at war with the law of my mind, making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members. Wretched man that I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!

So then, with my mind I am a slave to the law of God, but with my flesh I am a slave to the law of sin.

**Amen.**

## Matthew 11. 16-19, 25-end

‘But to what will I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the market-places and calling to one another,

“We played the flute for you, and you did not dance; we wailed, and you did not mourn.”

For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, “He has a demon”; the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, “Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax-collectors and sinners!” Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds.’

### **Jesus Thanks His Father**

At that time Jesus said, ‘I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

‘Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.’

## Post Communion Prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen

## Church Fete Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July

- If you have not volunteered to help at the Fete please have a word with Christine Mennie who has some stalls not covered.
- If you have been selling raffle tickets, please return the money, stubs from the tickets and any unsold tickets to Terry today.
- If you would like to donate a prize please see Christine
- Please help the Tombola stall by putting Items for prizes in the book at the back of the church.
- If you can display or know somewhere that would be good to display one of our Fete Notices boards then please she Terry.

## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

### Tea on the Green

This is one of our outreach to the Village events. There will be tea and cake served on The Green at 3pm. At 4pm we are joined by the Salvation Army who will Accompany us for our Songs of Praise. Please bring friends and remember to bring a blanket or fold up chair to sit on.

## Monday 4<sup>th</sup> August

### World War 1 Commemoration

There will be an Exhibition in church, lighting of candles during the day and a service at 10pm. Please inform friends about this event. As we have valuable items on display in church we will require welcomers to be in church between 10am and 5pm If you can help please sign the list at the back of the church.

## Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

### Course in Christian Studies Taster class 7.30 at Church of the Holy Spirit. Forest Drive Widford

Terry will be running this course and it would be good to have some members of the congregation Attending. Have a chat with Terry

## Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September

There is to be a men’s breakfast at 8.30am in the Crown. Please book your place with Dennis.

## Also on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September

We are running a Listening Course for all members of our congregation. It will be in St. Andrews Room from 10am to 5pm. Book the date. More details next week.