

16th July 2017 – Fifth after Trinity

Welcome!

Place	This week	Next week
All Saints Newland	4pm Evensong BE	No service
All Saints Staunton	No Service	9.30am BCP Said service DH
St J's @ St MM Coleford	9.30am Eucharist AW	No service Service on tump @ 12.00
Good Shepherd B'well	11am Word CH	11am Said Eucharist BC
St Peter's Clearwell	11am Eucharist AW Followed by LCC	11am Word CY
St Saviour's Redbrook	No Service	No service

Readings

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Isaiah 55.10-13	712	Wisdom of Solomon 12.13,16-19 or Isaiah 44.6-8	700
Psalms 65.[1-7]8-13*	557	Psalms 86.11-17	574
Romans 8.1-11	168	Romans 8.12-25	168
Matthew 13.1-9,18-23	14	Matthew 13.24-30,36-43	13

We don't tend to use the Psalms in Sunday worship but they are a wonderful resource of the expression of joy and sorrow, praise and lament and hope. Why not look them up yourself?

Prayers: In your prayers this week, please pray for: Sarah, Joyce Brain & Evelynne Fisher.

✠ **For the sick, anxious and housebound:** Please let Sarah or Alison know names of anyone who would be happy to be added to the list. Names on this list will be removed after four appearances unless someone asks for them to remain listed. Thank you.

✠ **For those who mourn,** especially for the families & friends of Loraine Morris who has recently died and also of Mary Stevens whose anniversary of death falls around this time. Do please let Sarah or Alison know of any prayers answered, or any changes to the lists that might be needed. Thanks.

Collect for today:

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

(or)

Almighty God, send down upon your Church the riches of your Spirit, and kindle in all who minister the gospel your countless gifts of grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion:

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

News and notices...

Sunday Services for the 23rd July: 12 noon Ecumenical outdoor service on the Tump. The services in the parish on the 23rd have been organised to allow people time to go to this service too. The service is designed for people who don't necessarily go to Church to come to so it is something you could bring your friends along to participate in. Look forward to seeing you there!

Next Weekend - 22 & 23 July. Cakes are needed for both events, the Art and Craft fair at Staunton and cake stall outside Church on the Street. Cakes and nice items for the hamper (Staunton raffle) can be left at the Parish Office.

Mustard Tree are holding a Family Summer Fun Lunch Event for the week 14-18 August from 12-2.30 at St Johns School Hall and Grounds. Volunteers are needed to help with food preparation, games and activities. Please contact Alison at the Parish office, Church on the Street, Coleford if you're available to help...it should be fun!!

Birthdays: 16th July Ian Ward StJ; 17th July Sarah Codd GS; 21st July Penny Rayner StJ; 21st July Sarah Bick. Many Happy Returns and may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

Banns: SPC: Laura Beard & John Townsend, Amy Thomas & Matthew Harper, Dean Woods & Isabel Cook, Susannah Marsden & Robert Allan, Rachel White & Lewis Heward, Craig Martin & Lorraine Freeman, Gareth Richards & Sarah Harris (third time of calling).

This week's regular meetings:

- Mon 17th 2pm Standing Committee meet @ Church on the Street
- Tues 18th 8.15am @ All Saints, Newland. Morning Prayer. All welcome.
2.30pm CAMEO meet at Good Shepherd. All Welcome
6pm LCC at the Good Shepherd, Broadwell.
- Weds 19th 8.30am @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Morning Prayer.
10am – 12 Knit and Natter (or just natter!) @ Church on the Street
12noon Meet and Eat at White Horse Staunton
- Thurs 20th 11.30am @ GS/Coleford Funeral of Loraine Morris
1.30pm Craft Club @ The Good Shepherd, Broadwell
7.30pm Hot Potato discussion evening @ White Horse Staunton
Topic - 'Is it possible to be too tolerant?'
- Fri 21st Clearwell C of E primary School at St Peter's Church in afternoon.

Dates for your diaries: More details will be published nearer the time.

Sunday 6th August @ 6pm – Open air production of Jungle Book @ All Saint's Church, Newland. Tickets available from the Parish office.

Friday 8th September – Harvest lunch in aid of Ride and Stride.

Saturday 9th September – Sponsored Walk in aid of Ride and Stride

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