

## Notices

Next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September (Trinity 16)

11.00 a.m. Morning Prayer (Canon Ken)

12.30 p.m. Baptismal Service

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>

7.00 p.m. Baptismal Preparation for Parents and Sponsors (Godparents) of children being baptised next Sunday.

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>

7.45 p.m. Meeting of Select Vestry (In Church)



**Harvest Celebration  
Communion**  
**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2021**  
at  
**11.00 a.m.**

### PARISH PRAYER LIST

Cheryl, Charlie, Libby, Derek & Jean

#### Senior members resident in care homes

Nan, Leslie, Lillian, Tom, Sally, Charlie, Violet, June & Alec

### Parish Contacts

During the Vacancy the Rural Dean, Rev Canon Kevin Graham, Rector of St Bartholomew's, will be in charge of the parish with Canon Ken continuing in his usual role as Assistant Minister.

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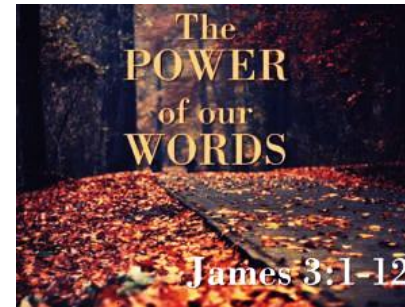
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## St Aidan's Parish Church

Enabling people to find a Living Faith in a Loving God by Serving 'Christ in the Community'

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021 Trinity 15 Pew Sheet



Today's worship is the Service of Morning Prayer as per The Book of Common Prayer (page 101)

Our services are also available live on Facebook.

### Hymns for today

638 'O for a heart to praise my God'

641 'Yield not to temptation'

Pew Sheet 'Do no sinful action'

636 'May the mind of Christ'

### Collect for Today

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: Grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel; that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### Psalm 19

- 1 The heavens are telling the glory of God  
**and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.**
- 2 One day pours out its song to another  
**and one night unfolds knowledge to another.**
- 3 They have neither speech nor language  
**and their voices are not heard,**

4 Yet their sound has gone out into all lands  
**and their words to the ends of the world.**

5 In them has he set a tabernacle for the sun,  
**that comes forth as a bridegroom out of his chamber  
and rejoices as a champion to run his course.**

6 It goes forth from the end of the heavens  
and runs to the very end again,  
**and there is nothing hidden from its heat.**

7 The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul;  
**the testimony of the Lord is sure  
and gives wisdom to the simple.**

8 The statutes of the Lord are right and rejoice the heart;  
**the commandment of the Lord is pure  
and gives light to the eyes.**

9 The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever;  
**the judgements of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.**

10 More to be desired are they than gold,  
more than much fine gold,  
**sweeter also than honey, dripping from the honeycomb.**

11 By them also is your servant taught  
**and in keeping them there is great reward.**

12 Who can tell how often they offend?  
**O cleanse me from my secret faults!**

13 Keep your servant also from presumptuous sins  
lest they get dominion over me;  
**so shall I be undefiled, and innocent of great offence.**

14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart  
be acceptable in your sight,  
**O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.**

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
**as it was in the beginning, is now and shall be for ever. Amen.**

**Bible Reading James 3:1-12**

**3** Not many of you should become teachers, my fellow believers, because you know that we who teach will be judged more strictly. **2** We all stumble in many ways. Anyone who is never at fault in what they say is perfect, able to keep their whole body in check.

**3** When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal. **4** Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go. **5** Likewise, the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark. **6** The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body. It corrupts the whole body, sets the whole course of one's life on fire, and is itself set on fire by hell.

**7** All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind, **8** but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison. **9** With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God's likeness. **10** Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be.

**11** Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring? **12** My brothers and sisters, can a fig-tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water.

<b>1</b> Do no sinful action, speak no angry word; you belong to Jesus, children of the Lord.	<b>2</b> Christ is kind and gentle, Christ is pure and true; and his little children must be holy too.
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<b>2</b> There's a wicked spirit watching round you still, and he tries to tempt you to all harm and ill.	<b>4</b> But you must not hear him, though 'tis hard for you to resist the evil, and the good to do.
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<b>5</b> Christ is your own Master, he is good and true, and his little children must be holy too.
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