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This week's prayer pointers

Church Outreach: Discipleship Courses; Social Activities; Welcome Team; Trinity Centre; Trinity Tots; Trinity Café ; Mission.

Mission Focus: YWAM & The Wrights

Lis and Ian will be praying in church most Monday and Thursday mornings from 9-9.30am. Please join us in person or pray from where you are if you are able to.

Prayer for today:

We meet in the presence of God who knows our needs, hears our cries, feels our pain, and **heals our wounds.** Amen

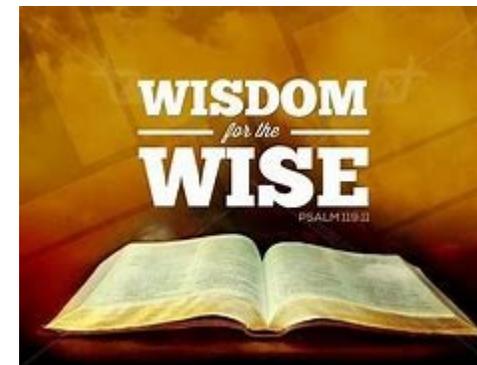
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Sunday 10th October 2021

8.00 am	Holy Communion	In church only
10:30 am	Worship Together	In church and live stream available via our YouTube channel
6:30 pm	No service today	In church only
7.30pm	CYFA	Church Lounge

Please continue to wear masks when moving around the church building and whilst singing. The side aisles still have every other pew closed and if you choose to sit near someone not in your family unit, please make sure they are happy for you to do so.



James 3: The Power of Words

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Reading: James 3 Not many of you should become teachers, my fellow believers, because you know that we who teach will be judged more strictly. ²We 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. ³When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal. ⁴Or 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. ⁵Likewise, 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. ⁶The 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. ⁷All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind, ⁸but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison. ⁹With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God's likeness. ¹⁰Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be. ¹¹Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring? ¹²My brothers and sisters, can a fig tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water. ¹³Who is wise and understanding among you? Let them show it by their good life, by deeds done in the humility that comes from wisdom. ¹⁴But if you harbor bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast about it or deny the truth. ¹⁵Such "wisdom" does not come down from heaven but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶For where you have envy and selfish ambition, there you find disorder and every evil practice. ¹⁷But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸Peacemakers who sow in peace reap a harvest of righteousness.



Thought for the day: Ian Ward

Scripture often talks about the tongue. James devotes this chapter to controlling what we say. What we say is an indicator of our hearts before God. Our words give us away. "Sticks and stones may break my bones but words can never hurt me". That is one of the biggest lies I was ever taught as a child. We see that words have power; we know that words can hurt and destroy. Like the small rudder of a large ship, they turn us to open sea or on to rocks. Like flame on a romantic candle or in the winter grate they warm us, or they burn us and bring down the whole house. James' answer is to bring all that we say under God. "But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere."

What's happening at Trinity

11 th Oct Monday	12 th Oct Tuesday	13 th Oct Wednesday	14 th Oct Thursday	15 th Oct Friday	16 th Oct Saturday
12:30pm Community Lunch	9:30am Craft Club 7:15pm PCC	9:00am until 11:45am Trinity Tots Small Groups 7:30pm Careys' Leggotts'	10:00 am Penny Church 11:30am until 3:30pm Trinity Café	7:30pm Clubnite	9:00am Accessibility Course
18 th Oct Monday	19 th Oct Tuesday	20 th Oct Wednesday	21 st Oct Thursday	22 nd Oct Friday	23 rd Oct Saturday
7:30pm RoadHoG meet at Woad Farm Small Groups 7.30pm Achesons' Pilgrims 1 Pilgrims 2	9:30am Craft Club 10:30am Prayer meeting Penny Church via zoom 7:30pm Prayer meeting	9:00am until 11:45am Trinity Tots Small Groups 7:30pm Careys' 7:45 pm The Grays	9:15am until 11:00am Mum's the Word 11:30am until 3:30pm Trinity Café 7:30 pm Budget Meeting		
25 th Oct Monday	26 th Oct Tuesday	27 th Oct Wednesday	28 th Oct Thursday	29 th Oct Friday	30 th Oct Saturday
Small Groups 7.30pm	9:30am Craft Club 7.30pm Leadership Advisory Group	Small Groups 7:30pm Careys' Leggotts'	Small Groups 10:00 am Penny Church 11:30am until 3:30pm Trinity Café		

All meetings usually take place in Church or in the Church Lounge except Small Groups. Please use the diary to pray for events.

Diary Date

Tear Fund Big Quiz Night—Saturday 20th November