

HOLY TRINITY BOSTON

Welcome - Sunday 7th May 2023

Sunday 7th May	
8:00 am	No service
10:30 am	Worship and Grow Together. Live in Church and online
6:30pm	Holy Communion. In Church
7:30pm	CYFA
Sunday 14th May	
8:00 am	Holy Communion in Church
10:30 am	Worship Together. Live in Church and online
6:30pm	No evening service
7:30pm	CYFA

Opening Prayer

Loving God, Your Son told his disciples to become like little children. Lead us to work for the welfare and protection of all young people. May we respect their dignity that they may flourish in life, following the example of the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's Readings

Psalm 47

Verse of the week : Psalm 47 : 7

For God the King of all the earth; sing to him a psalm of praise.

Thought for the Day: Eden Prothero

We all love taking part in celebrating good things. Whatever they are – be it a birthday, Christmas day, Easter, your favourite sports team winning their game, meeting a big deadline at work or school – there are lots of things we celebrate in this world. There are lots of brilliant things that happen, and people we meet. The way we respond to greatness and to causes worth celebrating differ based on what they are. The Psalm we come across this week reminds us how great God is and how worthy of praise and adoration He is. It reminds us that He is King, over all the earth and over our lives. His defeat of death through His resurrection after the crucifixion is something life-changing that we can celebrate by crowning Him as King throughout our lives. The Psalm specifies how we can worship Him and give Him what He is due.

Weekly Update

Pastoral Outreach Worker: A huge thank you to everyone who has donated so generously. Following the PCC meeting in May we will give an update on how much was raised. The appeal is still open if you would like to make a donation

Christian Aid week takes place from 14th to 20th May this year. We are not arranging a house-to-house collection, but a number of churches have agreed to have envelopes available. There will be envelopes at the back of Holy Trinity church for anyone who would like to make a donation. These can be given to Barbara Parkinson. There will be a sponsored walk on **Saturday 20th May** starting at 11.00 am, from Boston Town Football ground in Tattershall Road, and walking along the riverbank to Anton's Gowt and back. Please contact Barbara if you would like further details.

Holiday Club this year runs from 21-25 August this summer: Thank you to everyone who has committed to Holiday Club this year, it's really encouraging to see the team start to take shape. We are always looking for people to join us, and the particular spots we're still looking to fill are the following: **Craft help** (setting it up for each activity), **Musicians** (to start us off with some songs and round us off at lunchtime), **helping those with additional needs** who might need to take some time out in a sensory space and **someone to help in the younger small group** (aged reception to year 1, so about 5-7 years old). However, this list is not exhaustive and if you'd like to do something I haven't mentioned here please do speak to Eden about it and we'd love you to be involved.

roadHoG – Replacement Bus Update – May 2023 :We are writing to let church family know that the road HoG Bus Youth Project has had some good news! As you may have heard, reaching our original funding target of £100,000 was overshadowed by receiving quotes around £160,000 with our dream design. The project management group took a few things off the wish list and minimised this to £150,000. Last week, road HoG received the news that it would be awarded a grant of £45,300 from the Benefact Trust which has helped us reach our minimum specification ☐ How fantastic? Thank you for praying for us, supporting us financially and for sticking with us. Praise God from who all blessings flow. We have just purchased an ex-London bus, so it has a nice clean engine and ready to be transformed into our new bus. Watch this space as we notch up a gear!

The next mid week prayer meetings will be on Tuesday 23rd May at 10:30am via zoom and 7:30pm in Church. Everyone to come along.

On Thursday 18th May there will be a service of Holy Communion at 11:00am and an Ascension Day service at 7:00pm .



The new **Who's Who** will be available from this Sunday, please take as many as you need and please destroy the old ones responsibly. If you would like the office to shred them then please post through the office door.

The Team

Vicars	Lis & Ian Ward	01205 355172 rev.lisward@holytrinityboston.org.uk rev.ianward@holytrinityboston.org.uk
Pastoral Outreach Worker		Position currently vacant
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This week's prayer pointers

Collective Worship : Worship Together, Worship & Grow Together, Celebrate Together, Holy Communion services; Other services; Musicians and singers; Teaching; Fellowship; Prayers.

Mission Focus: Christian Solidarity Worldwide (CSW)



Men's Event Wednesday 10th of May BBQ Chicken Night

WITH FRIES AND SALAD FOLLOWED BY SOMETHING LIGHT, WITH CUSTARD FOR THE 2 COURSE MEAL PLUS ONE COMPLIMENTARY BEER WINE OR SOFT DRINK (ALCOHOL FREE BEER AVAILABLE) WITH COMPLIMENTARY TEA A COFFEE £13.00

Taste of Portugal 7.00pm for 7.15 start
payment by cash would be preferred



What's happening at Trinity

8 th May Monday	9 th May Tuesday	10 th May Wednesday	11 th May Thursday	12 th May Friday	13 th May Saturday
Small Group 7:15pm Tollfield Rd	1:30pm Open the Book Small Groups 1:30pm Careys' 2;30pm The Lounge 7:15pm PCC	9:00am Trinity Tots 3:00pm Milk Shake Shack 7:15pm Men's Event 7:30pm Deanery Council	Small Group 10:00am Penny C 11:30am Trinity Café 7:15pm Alpha	12 noon The Funeral of John and Chrissie Clarke 7:30pm Clubnite	
15 th May Monday	16 th May Tuesday	17 th May Wednesday	18 th May Thursday	19 th May Friday	20 th May Saturday
1:00pm Community Lunch Small Groups 7:00pm Pilgrims' IT 7:15pm Tollfield Rd 7:30pm Vicarage	Small Group 1:30pm Careys' 1:30pm Open the Book 7:30pm Fabric and Finance	9:00am Trinity Tots 2:00pm Willoughby Grange 3:00pm Milk Shake Shack Small Group 7:30pm Leggotts'	11:00am Holy Communion 11:30am Trinity Café 7:00pm Ascension Day Service	7:30pm Clubnite	8:30am Mission Partner Breakfast
22 nd May Monday	23 rd May Tuesday	24 th May Wednesday	25 th May Thursday	26 th May Friday	27 th May Saturday
Small Groups 2:30pm The Lounge 7:30pm Vicarage	10:30am Prayer meeting via zoom. 1:30pm Open the Book Small Groups 1:30pm Careys' 7:30pm Prayer meeting in church	9:00am Trinity Tots 2:00pm Skirbeck Court 3:00pm Milk Shake Shack 7:30pm Deanery Synod Kirton	Small Group 10:00am Penny C 11:30am Trinity Café		2:00pm Ladies Fellowship

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