

Welcome: Sunday 28th July 2024

This Sunday					
10:30am	Holy Communion in Church Worship Together Live in Church and Online Messy Together				
Sunday 4th August					
8:00am	No Service				

### **Opening Prayer**

Sovereign God, breathe new life into our hearts this day. Fire us with renewed confidence and enthusiasm. Fill us with resurrection power. And grant that we might meet and walk with Christ, Offering him our joyful, faithful service, This and every day. AMEN.

Reading: Ephesians 4:1-16

### Verse of the week:

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. 1 Peter 2:9

## Thought for the Day:

<u>Diverse Leadership</u> An effective, healthy and growing Church needs the active membership contribution of varied gifts and skills. Fundamental to these is unity of purpose through personal commitment to Jesus as Lord over the fellowship. This then allows for diversity of gifts and skills, now focused to pleasing the Lord. Everyone has abilities to contribute to God's family. Everyone matters. However, in addition to many 'general' gifts, God gives particular and necessary leadership gifts; in developing the whole church (Apostolic); Godly insight in people and situations (Prophetic), sharing the Gospel effectively (Evangelistic); ability to lead and nurture God's people (Pastoral); and to teach and train (Teachers). Those with these varied gifts are not supposed to <u>do</u> all the work of the Church – impossible! But to help develop a balanced, thriving and fruitful church family that worships effectively, grows, meets fellowship needs and reaches out into the local community.

### **Weekly Update**

Please continue to pray for Pat W, Pam S, Tom and Viv H, David B and Pete B. Pray for those waiting for appointments, test results and operations and those supporting people in difficult situations at work or home, those struggling with mental health and their carers.

Please continue to pray each day for the life of the Church.

Help for Holiday Club: We're looking for donations of biscuits, fruit, squash and/or other snack items for the Holiday Club week. This will be for children at snack time. If you think you can help us with this, please speak to Eden or send an email to youthworker-ep@holytrinityboston.org.uk

**Praying During The Vacancy**: Please take an updated bookmark (they are on yellow card!) from the pews with some prayer pointers as we pray in this time of vacancy.

A bus trip to Sandringham is open to ALL - young or older and not JUST THE LADIES. It has been arranged for Tuesday 27th August. Tickets £20 each. Please sign up on the noticeboard or let Sue Pickwell know your interest. Full details are on the noticeboard.

**Discipleship Explored** will begin on Thursday 19th September 2024 at 7:15pm.

'The Bereavement Journey' will be running this year on Wednesdays between 11th September and 30th October weekly at 7.15 for 7.30 until 9.30pm (except 4th October) in the church lounge. It is free to attend. This is a nationally-run course for those experiencing loss and grief. The structure is based around small groups and videos and is not a form of counselling, but support can be given to obtain counselling. Please contact Alison Tulloch on 07903 286899/01790 286899 for more information or to reserve your place.

# "If my people . . will humble themselves and Pray" - Praying for Trinity

PCC has decided to include a structured time, during Morning Service on 28th July, for the Church Family to pray. Pens and paper will also be available for written or drawn prayers, so that everyone can be involved. Please try to make this a special commitment. Making successful appointments cannot be assumed. Why should the Lord send someone if we don't ask him (and keep asking)? Scripture abounds with examples of the Lord hearing and blessing in response to people who "will humble themselves and pray" [2Chronicles 7:14]. As God's people, we should be involved in God's business.

#### The Team

Vicar Position currently vacant

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Worker

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Safeguarding Officer Carol Acheson 07857 202016

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Where possible please contact the church office by phone or email 01205 310221 churchoffice@holytrinityboston.org.uk

### This week's prayer pointers

### **Week 4: Church Publications**

Trinity News; Bookstall; Church Website and Email Updates. Live streamed and recorded Services and Facebook posts Mission Focus: RoadHog



What's happening at Trinity						
29th July Monday	30th July Tuesday	31st July Wednesday	1st August Thursday	2nd August Friday	3rd August Saturday	
	7:00pm Fabric and Finance Committee New Wine ends	Return from New Wine	11:30am Trinity Cafe			
5th August Monday	6th August Tuesday	7th August Wednesday	8th August Thursday	9th August Friday	10th August Saturday	
			11:30am Trinity Cafe			
12th August Monday	13th August Tuesday	14th August Wednesday	15th August Thursday	16th August Friday	17th August Saturday	
			11:30am Trinity Cafe		8:30am to 9:30am Mission Partner Prayer Breakfast	

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



Please save the date in your diary for a

# BRING & SHARE LUNCH Sunday 18th August

