



Christ Church Worthing

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

29th July 2018

**10.30am Holy Communion
led by Revd David Renshaw**

Please note that some may prefer to have a quiet time of prayer during the peace and sit with their head bowed rather than shaking hands

There is prayer in the organ vestry every Sunday at 10 am for 15 minutes before the service and you are welcome to join at any time.

TODAY:

Epistle: Ephesians 3: 14 – end read by Gwen Macphail

Gospel: John 6: 1 – 21 read by John Nobbs

and

Intercessions led by Val Grubb

The organ Voluntary following our Service today will be:

Obra de 7 Tom sobre o Seculorum,

anonymous MS964 late 17th century, Braga, Portugal.

SERVICES IN AUGUST

5th August 10.30am Holy Communion

with Revd Alex Grubb and Canon Muriel Pargeter

5th August 6pm BCP Evensong with Revd David Renshaw

9th August 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion

with Revd David Renshaw

12th August 10.30am Morning Prayer

with Revd David Renshaw

19th August 10.30am Holy Communion

with Revd David Renshaw and Canon Muriel Pargeter

19th August 6pm BCP Evensong with Revd Roger Walker

23rd August 12.30pm BCP Holy Communion

with Revd David Renshaw

26th August 10.30am Morning Prayer with Derek Hansen

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Opening Hymn

Called by Christ to be disciples
Every day in every place,
We are not to hide as hermits
But spread the way of grace,
Citizens of heaven's kingdom,
Though this world is where we live,
As we serve a faithful master,
Faithful service may we give.

Richly varied are our pathways,
Many callings we pursue;
May we use our gifts and talents
Always, Lord, to honour you;
So in government or commerce,
College, hospice, farm or home
Whether volunteers or earning,
May we see your kingdom come.

Hard decisions may confront us,
Urging us to compromise;
Still obedience is our watch-word
Father, make us strong and wise!
Secular is turned to sacred,
Made a precious offering,
As our daily lives are fashioned
In submission to our King.

By kind permission of Martin Leckebusch

Worship Songs

Purify my heart,
let me be as gold and precious silver.
Purify my heart,
let me be as gold, pure gold.
*Refiner's fire,
my heart's one desire
is to be holy,
set apart for you, Lord.
I choose to be holy,
set apart for you, my master,
ready to do your will.*
Purify my heart,
cleanse me from within and make me holy.
Purify my heart,
cleanse me from my sin, deep within.

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Song 2

One shall tell another,
and he shall tell his friend,
husbands, wives and children
shall come following on.
From house to house in families
shall more be gathered in,
and lights will shine in every street,
so warm and welcoming.
*Come on in and taste the new wine,
the wine of the kingdom,
the wine of the kingdom of God.
Here is healing and forgiveness,
the wine of the kingdom,
the wine of the kingdom of God.*

Compassion of the Father
is ready now to flow,
through acts of love and mercy
we must let it show.
He turns now from his anger
to show a smiling face,
and longs that all should stand beneath
the fountain of his grace. *Refrain*

He longs to do much more than
our faith has yet allowed,
to thrill us and surprise us
with his sovereign power.
Where darkness has been darkest
the brightest light will shine;
his invitation comes to us,
it's yours and it is mine. *Refrain*

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Prayer to be said with the intercessions:

A prayer of General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful; and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

Offertory Hymn [202]

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert and art and evermore shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see;
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
all thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky, and sea;
Holy, holy, holy; merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

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Final Hymn [250] *Choir using hymn book omit vs 4 & 6*

All creatures of our God and king,
lift up your voice and with us sing
Alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
thou silver moon with softer gleam,
O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
ye clouds that sail in heaven along,
O praise him, alleluia!

Thou rising morn in praise rejoice,
ye lights of evening find a voice;

*O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Thou flowing water pure and clear
make music for thy Lord to hear,
Alleluia, alleluia!

Thou fire so masterful and bright
that givest us both warmth and light, *Refrain*

All ye that are of tender heart
forgiving others take your part
O sing ye, alleluia!

Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
praise God and on him cast your care; *Refrain*

Let all things their creator bless
and worship him in humbleness;
O praise him, alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One: *Refrain*

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(based on St. Francis of Assisi)*



Please stay for coffee and a chat after the service!

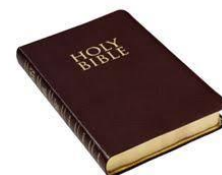
Open Church



Many thanks to all who come along to support our 'Open Church' days throughout the week, and especially to our fundraising Mission coffee mornings each Wednesday, when we welcome donations for the many missions we support.



All those whom we know who are sick, troubled, grieving or lonely, our neighbouring church St Andrew's in vacancy, and for church family members and residents in local Nursing & Care Homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.



'BIBLE FOCUS - THE ISSUES OF TODAY'

The 'Home Group' within the church for those who do not attend one or who wish to join an additional one is held on the **FIRST** Tuesday of each month at 2.30pm to 3.30pm.

Christ Church Staycation is back - THIS WEEK!



Last year, many came along to enjoy three afternoons of a mini holiday. This is for everyone to enjoy and join in, especially if you don't have the chance of a holiday away, and even if you do, everyone is more than welcome. There is no charge.

So, come and join in with our time of **"Fun with Friends"** to be held in the church from **Tuesday 31st July, Wednesday 1st and Thursday 2nd August from 2pm to 4pm**, ending with tea, coffee and cakes. Look forward to seeing you all there!

PRINT CARTRIDGES AND TONERS- The new supplier for the church office stationery etc. also recycles print toners and cartridges. They are supplying us with a box to collect them, so please bring in your old used cartridges and toners, and give them to Janine or Ann. Thank you!

CHRIST CHURCH ANNUAL FAIR
SATURDAY, 15th SEPTEMBER
from 10.30am to 2.30pm
A Message from Dorothy & Joan

Now is the time to start collecting items to sell at the fair. If you can help, any of the following would be very gratefully received:

Bags of wrapped sweets (any variety) for the 'Guess the number of sweets in the jar'.

Wrapped bottles to the value of no less than £1 for the "Bottle Bonanza"

SMALL wrapped items of about 50p, e.g. Miniature bottles of hand cream, notebooks, pens etc. for our interesting variation on a Lucky Dip.

We also need **Raffle prizes**, so if you can donate anything suitable, please let Joan or Dorothy know. We have room to store any items, so feel free to bring them along.

[Please check on the sell-by date if it's consumable.]

Many thanks.

ALSO.... Helpers needed!

Please see the list at the back of the church for those willing to run a stall at the fair, or help with serving of refreshments, tidying up etc. If you are able to help, please put your name on the list, next to what you would like to do!

Calling all choir singers!



On Friday, 5th October, Christ Church is welcoming the High Sheriff of West Sussex, Caroline Nicholls for her 'Judges Service'. This is normally held at the Cathedral, so we are honoured to be asked to host it this year. Caroline has requested that we have a choir, and so obviously, those members of the choir who can come will be there, but would very much welcome a few more singers to support them. If you, or any friends or family are used to singing Psalms, Canticles etc. and would like to join us, please talk with John Collins, as soon as possible, or ask them to contact the parish admin team on 01903 237713 or 07818 683430



Harvest Festival Sunday 7th October

The ladies are planning the decoration of the church for the Harvest festival, and also the Judges service on the Friday before.

Would anyone who would like to help with flowers or other decorations please talk to Sue Caple, as soon as possible, as we are planning a meeting to discuss the plans. Thank you!

Message in a Bottle is a small piece of kit **THAT SAVES LIVES**

Known as a MIAB [**M**essage **I**n **A** **B**ottle], it is a simple idea that enables **ANYONE** to have their personal and/or medical details kept in a small secured container that would be of immense benefit to the emergency services in the case of an emergency. The trick is to **KEEP IT IN YOUR FRIDGE.**

Now the good news! **IT'S FREE!** We have plenty of these at the church, so just ask one of the churchwardens, or one of the administration team for an MIAB- it comes complete with blank labels, and instructions what to do.

MIAB does not replace the Medic Alert/SOS Talisman.

MIAB is supported by the Ambulance Service, the Police, Fire and Rescue, Doctors and NHS Primary trusts. It is sponsored by your local Lions Club.

It is **FREE** and **COULD SAVE YOUR LIFE.**

This is not only for people with medical conditions, but for anyone who lives alone or who has home responsibilities e.g. a pet, or is a carer / key holder for someone.



Window on the Pier

If you care to take a walk along Worthing's pier, you will see several colourful windows, along the centre dividing panel, each one representing a group, organisation or church etc. from Worthing.

'Windows on the Pier' is a Worthing Journal initiative. Editor Paul Holden's aspiration is to create a cathedral-like gallery of stunning multi-coloured glass on Worthing Pier in Sussex that represents local societies, people and projects. There are literally hundreds of windows so once complete it will be quite a spectacle and something Worthing can be proud of!

The pier is actually in the parish of Christ Church, and the PCC have agreed to pay for a window to be erected for Christ Church. An artist who specialises in stained glass has been commissioned to produce some sample pictures, so you, the congregation, and the PCC can choose what we finally ask to be placed on the pier.

The total cost is £500. If anybody would like to donate anything towards this, please place your donation in a Gift Aid envelope marked 'WINDOW', or speak to the treasurer, Ken Hobbs.