

CHRIST CHURCH WORTHING

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET

The Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity

28th October 2018

10.30am Morning Prayer led by Canon Muriel Pargeter and Revd David Renshaw

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

TODAY:

1st Reading: Jeremiah 31: 7 - 9 read by Pat Best 2nd Reading: Mark 10: 46 - end and Intercessions led by Steven Langdell

The Organ Voluntary following our service today will be: Sonata 6 in F by William Herschel 1738-1822 Halifax and Bath. Better known as the Court Astronomer who discovered Uranus, Herschel was also a prolific composer of chamber and organ music.

SERVICES IN NOVEMBER

4th November 10.30am Holy Communion

with The Revd David Renshaw

4th November 6pm BCP Evensong

with The Revd Roger Walker

8th November 10.30am BCP Holy Communion

with The Revd Alex Grubb



11th November 10.30am Morning Prayer & Remembrance Service with Derek Hansen

18th November 10.30am Holy Communion

with The Revd David Renshaw

18th November 6pm BCP Evensong

with The Revd Roger Walker

22nd November 10.30am BCP Holy Communion

with The Revd George Butterworth

25th November 10.30am Morning Prayer

and Celebration of Life Service

with Canon Muriel Pargeter and The Revd David Renshaw

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Opening Hymn [112]

My song is love unknown, my Saviour's love for me; love to the loveless shown that they might lovely be: O who am I, that for my sake my Lord should take frail flesh and die?

He came from his blest throne salvation to bestow; but men made strange, and none the longed-for Christ would know: But O, my friend, my friend indeed, who at my need his life did spend.

Sometimes they strew his way and his sweet praises sing, resounding all the day hosannas to their King:
Then 'Crucify!' is all their breath, and for his death they thirst and cry.

Why, what hath my Lord done? what makes this rage and spite? He made the lame to run, he gave the blind their sight: Sweet injuries! yet they at these themselves displease, and 'gainst him rise.

They rise and needs will have my dear Lord made away; a murderer they save, the Prince of Life they slay! Yet cheerful he to suffering goes, that he his foes, from thence might free.

In life, no house, no home my Lord on earth might have; in death, no friendly tomb but what a stranger gave What may I say? Heaven was his home but mine the tomb wherein he lay.

Here might I stay and sing no story so divine; never was love, dear King, never was grief like thine! This is my Friend in whose sweet praise I all my days could gladly spend.

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HYMN [515]

Lord thy word abideth and our footsteps guideth; who its truth believeth light and joy receiveth.

When our foes are near us, then thy word doth cheer us, word of consolation, message of salvation.

When the storms are o'er us, and dark clouds before us, then its light directeth, and our way protecteth.

Who can tell the pleasure, who recount the treasure by thy word imparted to the simple-hearted.

Word of mercy, giving succour to the living; word of life, supplying comfort to the dying.

O that we discerning its most holy learning, Lord, may love and fear thee, evermore be near thee!

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Worship Songs

Such love, pure as the whitest snow; such love weeps for the shame I know; such love, paying the debt I owe; O Jesus, such love.

Such love, stilling my restlessness; such love, filling my emptiness; such love, showing me holiness; O Jesus, such love.

Such love springs from eternity; such love, streaming through history; such love, fountain of life to me; O Jesus, such love.

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Song 2

In Christ alone my hope is found, he is my light, my strength, my song; this cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease! My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones he came to save: till on the cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied for ev'ry sin on him was laid: here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain:
then bursting forth in glorious day
up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory
sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
for I am his and he is mine —
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the pow'r of Christ in me; from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from his hand; till he returns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

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Offertory Hymn [435]

Glorious things of thee are spoken Zion city of our God he whose word cannot be broken formed thee for his own abode On the Rock of ages founded what can shake thy sure repose With salvation's walls surrounded thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

See the streams of living waters springing from eternal love well supply thy sons and daughters and all fear of want remove. Who can faint while such a river ever flows their thirst to assuage: grace which like the Lord the giver never fails from age to age?

Round each habitation hovering, see the cloud and fire appear for a glory and a covering, showing that the Lord is near. Thus they march, the pillar leading, light by night and shade by day; daily on the manna feeding which he gives them when they pray.

Saviour if of Zion's city
I through grace a member am
let the world deride or pity
I will glory in thy name
Fading is the worldling's pleasure
all his boasted pomp and show
solid joys and lasting treasure
none but Zion's children know.

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Isaiah 33. 20-21



Please stay for coffee and a chat after the service



All those whom we know who are lonely, sick, troubled or grieving: our neighbouring church St Andrew's, currently in vacancy; and church family members and residents in local nursing & care homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!



10th November, 10.30am to 12 noon

CHRISTMAS MINI MARKET. Seasonal edible goodies, Christmas cards, Crafts and Gifts and lots more!

Message from Dorothy – We would appreciate offers of

home-made cakes, mince pies, chutneys, preserves and any other Christmas edibles. Please let Joan or Gwen know if you are able to provide any of these. There will be a sign-up sheet nearer the time for helpers. The church will be open for setting-up stalls on Friday, 9th November from 10-12 noon.

13th November, 12.30 to 1.30pm

Richard Bowen will give a Guitar Recital. Entry is free, donations on exit welcomed for Christ Church re-ordering.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL. We will be putting up our annual display of trees all day on Tuesday 4th, and during the afternoon of Thursday 6th December. If you would like to provide and decorate a tree for a charity which you support, please let Ken Hobbs know in good time.





Wednesday, 5th December

Heene School Choir join us for their annual Carol Singing for the Bible Society Coffee Morning: 10.30am to 12 noon.



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.

Keeping in touch!

Christ Church operates a taxi service for those who find it difficult to get to church on a Sunday, or through the week. If you would like to use the service, please talk with Joan, Sylvia or Lorraine. They can then give you the phone number and the password to book a cab. You do not then have to pay the driver. This is not dependent in any way on ability to pay, this is to help people get to church, without worrying if they have change, or need to call at the last minute etc. If people feel they would like to contribute towards the cost of the fares, they merely place their donation in a Gift Aid envelope, marked 'Taxi'.



If anyone feels that they would like to lead Intercessions occasionally at morning or evening services, please see Janine

TURNING TIDES

[Formerly Worthing Churches Homeless Projects]

I am appealing for help for the people in society that don't have the home comforts that we enjoy and maybe we take a bit for granted. Homeless people feel excluded from society, they are depressed, frightened, in danger at night, hungry and thirsty.

They are often without hope and sometimes driven to addictions to block out their thoughts.

TURNING TIDES can change all that, but they need help from us in just small ways.

TURNING TIDES is currently losing a lot of government funding. There have been funding changes to housing benefit and funds have been cut by county council. There is a basket and a new list of practical donations that they badly need at present, at the back of the church: - including toiletries, cleaning products, food, sweets, nuts, and crisps.

The full list can be found at the back of the church.

For more information, please ask *Judie Johnson*.

Thank you!!

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