

Services and Meetings this week

Monday 14th June

8.45 Morning Prayer at St. Mary's

Tuesday 15th June

Wednesday 16th June - Benefice Office Closed

10 – 4pm Private Prayer at St. Mary's

10 – 4pm Private Prayer at St. Martin's

Thursday 17th June

Friday 18th June

8.45 Morning Prayer at St. Mary's

Saturday 19th June

Next Sunday 20th June – 3rd Sunday after Trinity

Principal Readings:

1st Reading: Job 38: 1-11

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 6: 1-13

Gospel: Mark 4: 35-41

9.30 Holy Communion at St. Mary's

9.30 Holy Communion at St. Martin's

11.15 Holy Communion at St. Kenelm's

4.00 Celebrate! Worship for all at St. Mary's

Clergy:

Revd Rachel Cook 01453 842 175 (usual day off Fri)

Revd Peter Marsh 01453 547 521 (not after 6.00pm)

Revd Morag Langley 07411 207720 (usual days off Tue)

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St Mary's Wotton

Pew Sheet Notices – if you would like anything to be added to the pew sheet notices, please ensure they are sent to the office by the end of Wednesday (for the coming Sunday). I will do my best to fit them in.

Cookie's Corner

Hello all!

We are excited to be reviewing the themes of all your feedback this week and next. Please do pray for us as we sift through and pray over where God is taking Tyndale in 2021 and beyond both as a Benefice and altogether in our own, individual parishes.

Exciting times.

God Bless

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Tyndale



Benefice

Wotton-under-Edge with Ozleworth

North Nibley

Alderley (including Tresham)

Services this Sunday, 13th June 2021

Second Sunday after Trinity

Services today:

9.30 Holy Communion at St. Mary's

4.00 Celebrate! Worship for all at St. Mary's

Collect:

Lord, you have taught us
that all our doings without love are nothing worth:
send your Holy Spirit
and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love,
the true bond of peace and of all virtues,
without which whoever lives is counted dead before you.
Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion Prayer:

Loving Father,
we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:
sustain us with your Spirit,
that we may serve you here on earth
until our joy is complete in heaven,
and we share in the eternal banquet
with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Principal Readings:

First Reading: *Ezekiel 17: 22-end*

Thus says the Lord God:

I myself will take a sprig

from the lofty top of a cedar;

I will set it out.

I will break off a tender one

from the topmost of its young twigs;

I myself will plant it

on a high and lofty mountain.

On the mountain height of Israel

I will plant it,

in order that it may produce boughs and bear fruit,

and become a noble cedar.

Under it every kind of bird will live;

in the shade of its branches will nest

winged creatures of every kind.

All the trees of the field shall know

that I am the Lord.

I bring low the high tree,

I make high the low tree;

I dry up the green tree

and make the dry tree flourish.

I the Lord have spoken;

I will accomplish it.

2nd Reading: *2 Corinthians 5: 6-10, 14-17*

So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord— for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgement seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil. For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.

From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Gospel: *Mark 4: 26-34*

He also said, 'The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.' He also said, 'With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.'

With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

For your prayers:

For those who have died and their families:

Chris Green whose funeral was on 9th June

Margaret Bloodworth who died on 5th June.

This month we pray for the leaders and congregation of The Holy Cross church.

Prayer Ministry

There is a group of people who will pray for you. To request prayer for yourself or others, please ring Morag on 07411 207720.

****Latest News about our church buildings****

St. Mary's opening times

Mondays	8.45am	Morning Prayer
Wednesdays	10 – 4pm	Private Prayer
Fridays	8.45am	Morning Prayer
Sundays	9.30am	Holy Communion
	4.00pm	Celebrate! Worship for all

St. Martin's opening times

Wednesdays	10 – 4pm	Private Prayer
Every other Sunday	9.30am	Holy Communion

(next service 20th June)

The weekly recorded services will continue - available on the church website www.northnibleychurch.uk

The churchyard, is open and provides a place for quiet reflection & prayer – with benches. Please do make use of it.

The Chapel of Ease opening times

1st Sunday of the month 11.15am Holy Communion

Next service 4th July 2021

St. Kenelm's opening times

3rd Sunday of the month 11.15am Holy Communion

20th June 2021

Covid restrictions and rules to be adhered to. Face coverings to be worn. Do not attend if you or one of your household has any COVID symptoms.

*******Notices*******

Irene Perks would like to say a heartfelt thank you to everyone who has sent well wishes and cards since her operation. She has really appreciated them.

Giving at our churches – Regular giving helps maintain our beautiful churches and their mission. We are unable to take a collection during our services due to COVID restrictions. The Collection plate will be at the back for retiring collections or please ask about joining our giving scheme.

Prayer Trail at St. Mary's - In conjunction with St Mary's opening for private prayer there is a prayer trail for adults & children round the churchyard based on Psalm 23. Collect trail leaflets from the holder on the main notice board opposite the Parish Room.

The Benefice Office is not accessible Mondays from 14th June. You are welcome to phone & leave a message or email, but the physical office will be closed, due to meetings that happen within the parish room.