

NEWSLETTER

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The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

“O Lord of hosts, happy is everyone who trusts in you,” writes the psalmist. As we open our hearts in praise and thanksgiving, we ask God to renew our trust, faith and love.

Today's Readings

First Reading Joshua 24:1-2a. 14-18

Joshua gathers the elders of the tribes of Israel, affirms his own commitment to God's service, and invites them to rededicate themselves to the God who brought them from the land of Egypt. They agree.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who called your Church to bear witness that you were in Christ reconciling the world to yourself: help us to proclaim the good news of your love, that all who hear it may be drawn to you; through him who was lifted up on the cross, and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Second Reading Ephesians 6:10-20

Paul, “an ambassador in chains” for the Gospel, urges his readers to put on the armour of God against the powers of evil.

Gospel John 6:56-69

Jesus' teaching disturbs his disciples and he challenges their unbelief. Peter asks, to whom else should the Twelve turn, since Jesus has the words of eternal life?

St Catherine's: 10.30 am Choral Eucharist with Rev'd Emma

Today's Hymns: 467, 97, 411, 169

St John's: 9.00 am Sung Eucharist with Fr Mark; 12.30 pm Baptism

Today's Hymns: 511, 67, 716

St Luke's: 10:30 am Sung Mass with Canon Wilcox

Today's Hymns: 511, 674, 716

Psalm response: I sought the Lord and he answered me

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia give thanks to the Risen Lord, Alleluia Alleluia give praise to His name

There are no other services in the Benefice today. Normal services resume next week, from 1st September.

Psalm 34: 15 -22

15 The eyes of the Lord are / over • the / righteous: and his ears are / open / unto • their / prayers.
 16 The countenance of the Lord is against / them that • do / evil: to root out the remembrance / of them / from the / earth.
 17 The righteous cry, and the / Lord / heareth them: and delivereth them / out of / all their / troubles.
 18 The Lord is nigh unto them that are / broken • in / heart: and will save / such • as be / bruised in / spirit.
 19 Great are the / troubles • of the / righteous: but the Lord de-/livereth • him / out of / all.
 20 He keepeth / all his / bones: so that not / one of / them is / broken.
 21 But misfortune shall / slay • the un-/godly: and they that hate the / righteous / shall be / desolate.
 22 The Lord delivereth the / souls of • his / servants: and all they that put their trust in / him shall / not be / desolate.

Next week's readings: Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-9; Psalm 15; James 1: 17-27; Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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St Catherine's Notes:

Hall Bookings: Please note a change of email contact for booking St Catherine's Hall. Bev can be contacted on hall.stcatherines@beneficeofcanton.org.uk The previous gmail address is no longer active.

Mothers' Union Eucharist: Monday 3rd September St. Catherine's Church 2pm with Rev. Emma

Sunday Club re-opens on Sunday 9 September

No Midweek service this week

St John's Notes:

Ty Bronna: We are collecting washing up liquid throughout August. Please leave in the box in church.

Harvest Supper: Friday 28th September 6.30 for 7.00 pm. Tickets will be available soon.

Advance notice: Christmas Tree festival: Thursday 6th – Sunday 9th December. More details to follow.

Llandaff Deanery Mothers' Union: Coffee Morning and Bon Marche Fashion Show in St. John's Church on Saturday 15th September. Coffee 9.30 - 10.30 am; Fashion Show 10-30 - 11.30am. Various stalls Tickets £4.

No Midweek Service this week

St Luke's Notes:

Mass: Saturday 1st September 10.30 am

Recently Departed:

Diocesan and Anglican Prayer Cycle

Sun Aug 26 th	THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY St. Andrews Major & Michaelston-le-Pit: Andrew James (PinC) <i>The Anglican Church of Southern Africa</i>
Mon Aug 27 th	Sully - Dinas Powys, Sully & Wenvoe Group: Jonathan Ormrod (PinC) <i>Gloucester</i>
Tues Aug 28 th	Wenvoe & St. Lythans - Dinas Powys, Sully & Wenvoe Group: Jonathan Ormrod (PinC) <i>Gombe</i>
Weds Aug 29 th	Prison Chaplains: Nicholas Sandford (Cardiff); Dawn Tilt (Parc) <i>Grahamstown - (Southern Africa)</i>
Thurs Aug 30 th	<u>Archdeaconary of Margam: Archdeacon Designate:</u> Canon Michael Komor <i>Melanesia</i>
Fri Aug 31 st	Deanery of Bridgend <i>Guatemala</i>
Sat Sept 1 st	The Ministry Area of Bridgend: <i>Guildford</i>

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