

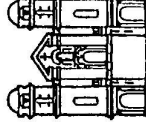
## Sunday Next – Trinity 9

08.30 Holy Communion Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar  
10.30 Sung Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: The Vicar  
Readings: 1 Kings 19 : 4 – 8 and John 6 : 35, 41 – 51  
18.30 Evensong Preacher: The Vicar

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This Week at the Church of  
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### BISHOPS' INSTRUCTIONS IN RELATION TO THE 'FLU' PANDEMIC

We have been asked by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York to make changes in the way we administer Communion. This is because of the swine 'flu' outbreak. The Archbishops are acting on advice from the Department of Health, that wishes the Churches to take precautions to limit the spread of disease by not sharing common vessels for food and drink.

The change that is being recommended by the Archbishops is that, for the time being, we discontinue using the shared or common cup at Communion. This would mean that the congregation would only receive the bread at Communion, although the priest (or presiding minister) will receive both bread and wine.

The Archbishops have also recommended the use of alcohol-based hand gel before the Eucharistic Prayer by those administering Communion, and we will be adopting this practice.

I realise that a change in the way that we administer Communion is slightly uncomfortable for all of us. Please be assured that the Church of England has always believed that, in case of necessity, Communion may be administered in one kind only. The validity of the Sacrament is in no way affected by this temporary change.

We continue to pray for those who are affected by this outbreak of 'flu', and especially for our health workers, who are doing all they can to treat them.

### GIFT DAY and DISABLED ACCESS OPENING CEREMONY

Last week's Gift Day yielded a total to date of £3,578.60, including £397.60 reclaimed tax from Gift Aided donations. More has been received since, also Gift Aided. Thank you to everyone whose gifts have boosted the Fabric Fund.

**THIRSTING AFTER RIGHTEOUSNESS** William Woolley invites his friends to join him in the Old Horse after the services today to help him to forget that he was 60 on Friday! He has assembled a collection of photographs and press cuttings from his early years at St James the Greater, which will be displayed in the Large Hall after the 10.30 service and at the back of the Church after Evensong.

**SAVE LAUNDE ABBEY APPEAL RECITAL in Church at 19.00 on Saturday 8 August, followed by a Pimms Reception in the Large Hall.**  
**Cost: £8 (£4 for children under 16). Tickets available from the Church Office or members of the Charitable Giving Committee.**

## 2 AUGUST 2009 – EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

*If you wear a hearing-aid, please switch to T to benefit from the inductive loop*  
**Large-print hymn books are available from sidesmen**  
*The high altar may be approached via the side steps, which have handrails*  
**Please inform a Churchwarden if you wish to receive Communion in your seat**

### Collect

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,  
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern  
both our hearts and bodies  
in the ways of your laws  
and the works of your commandments;  
that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever,  
we may be preserved in body and soul;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### 08.30

#### Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer, Pages 237-241, 244, 251-259  
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby  
Churchwarden: Alan McWhirr

### 10.30

#### Sung Eucharist

Common Worship, Order 1  
**see service sheet and music card**  
Celebrant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar  
Assisted by: Gillean Russell  
Guest Organist: Martyn Noble  
Churchwardens: Robin Bickerstaffe and Owen Jones  
Sidesmen: George Daley, Graham and Claire Prowse, and David Pugh  
Servers: William Woolley, Janet Burton and Teri White  
Setting: A New People's Mass – Gregory Murray

**HYMN 446**  
**READING**  
**HYMN 271**  
**GOSPEL**  
**SERMON**  
**INTERCESSIONS**  
**HYMN 263**  
**HYMN 214**  
**VOLUNTARY**

**Christians, lift up your hearts**  
Exodus 16 : 2 – 4, 9 – 15 read by Owen Jones  
**Bread of heaven, on thee we feed ...**  
John 6 : 24 - 35  
The Vicar  
Gillian Russell  
**Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour ...**  
**Guide me, O thou great redeemer ...**

*Everyone is invited to the Hall for refreshments after the service*

## 18.30

### Choral Evensong

#### *Anticipating the Transfiguration*

*see service card and music sheet*

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Glynn Richerby, Vicar

Guest Organist: Nicholas Race

Churchwardens: Angela Hefford and Ken Lumb

Sidesmen: Colin Stray and Maggie Weller

Servers: John Goadby, April Burton and Mandy Stephensen

**HYMN 318**

'Tis good, Lord to be here ...

**CONFESSION Almighty and most merciful Father...**

*see separate music*

**PSALM 121** Exodus 34 : 29 – end read by Colin Stray

**FIRST LESSON**

**MAGNIFICAT** *see separate music*

**SECOND LESSON** 2 Corinthians 3 read by Angela Stray

**NUNC DIMITTIS**

*see separate music*

**THE CREED** I believe in God ...

**ORGAN INTERLUDE**

**PRAYERS** The Reverend Gillian Boorne

**HYMN 245**

**SERMON** **Jesus, these eyes have never seen ...**

**HYMN 441 (t 82)**

**BLESSING** The Vicar

**DISMISSAL Plainsong**

**Christ upon the mountain peak ...**  
The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**  
Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

**VOLUNTARY**

## OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

**The Men and Boys' Choir**  
singing for the services at Salisbury Cathedral

**All prevented from worshipping with us, remembering this week**  
Vivian and Margaret Edwards : Winnie Walker : Syd Wheeler  
**Unwell**

Brian Allen : Oliver Evans (Henry's grandson) in hospital  
June Fletcher, after radiotherapy : Arthur Garrett : Alec Harrison  
Tom Hoyes (Doris Makepeace's friend) Monica Nash  
Ron Rees (Morgan's grandfather)

Reverend Russell Naylor (William Woolley's friend)

Paul Long (Elizabeth Bentley's cousin) after a stroke

Theo Vorfaj (Elizabeth Bentley's grandson) awaiting an ear operation  
**Recovering**

Barry Butler (break from chemotherapy) : Joy Cross : George Daley

Adrian Dean : Roger Dean (Paul's brother) home from hospital : Lynn Griffith

*The chancel steps flowers this week have been kindly given by David and Sarah Clark, in grateful memory of Bernard and Kathleen Clark, and George Hayter*

## The Rest of the Week

**Daily**

08.30

**Morning Prayer in the Lady Chapel**

*Vicar's day off*

**Monday 3rd**

**Tuesday 4th**

07.15

*Jean-Baptiste Vianney, Curé d'Ars*

**Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

**Wednesday 5th Oswald of Northumbria**

14.15

Good Companions' Holy Communion in the Large Hall

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

*The Transfiguration of our Lord*

**Thursday 6th**

10.15

**Holy Communion** Common Worship, Order 1 (traditional)

Celebrant: Canon Glynn Richerby

Coffee Drop-in in the Undercroft

At Home with Hilary Simpson at 24 Holmfield Road (1<sup>st</sup> in month)

*John Mason Neale*

**Friday 7th**

**Saturday 8th**

19.30

Violin and Piano Recital in aid of the Save Launde Abbey Appeal

*See over for further details*

**GOING ON HOLIDAY?** Please spare a thought for the Church Bazaar in November and bring back a souvenir (or several!) to offer for sale on the Holiday Stall. Further details of all the stalls and stallholders will appear in the autumn.