

Sunday 11th November, 2018

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The deadline for notices in the pew leaflet is midday Wednesdays.

The prayer lists for the sick from this week will be focussed on individual churches. Please note that when adding names to the list you must have the person's permission. Requests for names to be added to the prayer list need to be at the parish office no later than Wednesday lunchtime.

The list will run for three weeks and then the name will be removed. One can always ask for the name to be put back. This is to assist us in managing the list which seems to have grown incredibly long in recent weeks.

On the last Tuesday of the month the whole list for that month will be offered at the midday eucharist in the Parish Church.

Canon Graham

The Parish Office will be closed all day on Tuesday 20th November.

Adult confirmation preparation starts Oct 27th 10am at the Vicarage and continues on... 10th, 17th, 24th November and 8th, 15th December.

The archive material from the 1914-18 timeline is now available to view in the Parish Church. A set of binders, provided by the Friends of Cirencester Parish Church, can be found on the stewards' desk. It makes very interesting reading to look back on this chronicle of events - internationally and locally - over the period of the war.

Sunday Nov 11 at 5.30pm In place of Evensong there will be a Community Service in the Parish Church at 5.30pm to which all are welcome. The RAU Choir will be singing as the service starts. Cantores Chamber Choir will sing movements from Morten Lauridsen's *Lux Aeterna*, and there will be a series of readings which reflect on aspects of the Great War. The service will include a Roll Call of the Fallen of Cirencester. If you have a relative lost in the Great War, do come to hear their name called. During the service all will be invited to light a candle to commemorate the Fallen.

Rev Katie

Ciren Belles next meeting will be on Thursday 15 November, upstairs at Somewhere Else. Arrive from 7.30pm for an 8pm start. Our speaker this month will be Jane Davidson, Independent Financial Advisor. Ciren Belles is a friendship group which seeks to bring together women of all ages and backgrounds.

Mothers' Union members are holding a coffee morning in the Parish Church on Friday 16th November from 10 o'clock to 12 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

In Tune with Heaven: Cirencester Parish Church, Saturday November 17th at 7.30pm. Highly acclaimed Cotswold Chamber Choir Cantores presents a varied programme of sacred music accompanied by organist Neil Fortin. Works by Guerrero, Weelkes, Rheinberger, Randall Thompson, Herbert Sumsion, Benjamin

Britten and Paul Mealor. Details on our website www.canores.net Tickets (£15) via our website. Andrew on 07800737078 and on the door. Concessions available.

Restore@4: You are welcome to Restore@4 in HTW on Sunday 18th Nov at 4pm. A time of relaxed worship, teaching and prayer to *restore our souls!*

The Cirencester with Fairford MU Deanery will be holding a pre-Advent Service at 12 noon in St. Mary's Church, Tetbury, on the 20th of November, followed by a Bring and Share lunch (savouries only, please). All are welcome.

Rosemary Roberts

Parish Nursing: A vision for Cirencester and surrounding villages and beyond, meeting with our Parish Nursing Co-ordinator 7.30pm on Tuesday 20th November at the Parish Centre, Gosditch Street, Cirencester. GL7 2AG.

MacMillan Cancer Support Christmas Fayre is on Saturday 24 November at the Parish Church, we have a lot of new stalls with great unusual Christmas Gifts you won't find on the high street, we will be there with our gift stall and also serving tea/coffee, soups, mince pies etc. By popular demand Olaf will be back this year for the children and our face painters.

Mothers' Union: Our Christmas meal this year is on Wednesday December 19th in Watermoor Church Hall 7 for 7.30pm, price £19. At great expense we have managed to book 'Cupcake & Crumble' for our after dinner entertainment! Menu choices are available from Kathie Cottey at Watermoor Church or 01285 654038 or pcottey@talktalk.net

Kathie

Church shop: We are now selling the church diaries for 2019 for £1 each. The Church Christmas Cards with a snow scene taken from the churchyard; packs of 5 for £2.60, Parish Church paperweights, £15 each and Parish Church key rings £5 each. All worth having a look at next time you pass the shop. *Bron & Caroline*

Parish Church Stewards: We are again asking for help with Stewarding in the Parish Church, the slots are 1 1/2 hours each, if you would like to join the team on a regular basis or even for odd dates, please do let me know. There will be a Stewards' 'Tea with the Vicar' on Saturday 24th November at 2.30pm in the Abbey Room, Parish Centre. Please come along to find out more about the Stewarding role and how you could help. If you would like to attend please RSVP by 16th November to Sarah on 01285 659317 option 1 or office@cirenparish.co.uk Many thanks.

Lighting the Darkness: We are all very grateful at Holy Trinity for our new lighting! So it would seem good to take the opportunity to help those who live in situations where they don't have regular access to electricity. Tearfund have a petition asking the UK government's representative to call on the World Bank to invest in local, clean and renewable energy - shifting the balance of funding away from polluting fossil fuels. If you would like to sign the petition please take a leaflet after the service this morning, and return the completed form to the address given by the end of this month. Thank you!

Jill Wilkinson

This Sunday's Services (11th November)

Remembrance Sunday

3rd Sunday before Advent

BCP Collect, Epistle and Gospel for the 23rd Sunday after Trinity on page 195

Parish Church

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Julian Wilson
9.30am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Graham Morris with Revd Julian Wilson
10.55am	Remembrance Service	Revd Canon Graham Morris
5.30pm	Community Service	Revd Katie Richardson with Revd Canon Graham Morris

Holy Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Penny Light
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert

St. Lawrence

10:30am	Eucharist	Revd Penny Light
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Next Sunday's Services (18th November)

2nd Sunday before Advent

BCP Collect, Epistle and Gospel for 24th Sunday after Trinity on page 72

Parish Church

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Canon Graham Morris
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Karen Schmidt
6:00pm	Evensong	Revd Canon Graham Morris with Revd Julian Wilson

Holy Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Paul Springate
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert with Revd Julian Wilson

St. Lawrence

10:30am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Graham Morris
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Readings for next Sunday 18th November

1st Sunday before Advent

Daniel 12. 1 - 3

Hebrews 10. 11 – 14, (15 – 18) 19 - 25

Mark 13. 1 - 8

Weekly Services at St John Baptist (Parish Church)

Morning Prayer – 9:00 am. Eucharist – 12 noon
(in different chapels throughout the week, please see diary below)

Evening Prayer – 4:00 pm

Dates for the next week

Monday 12th November:

9:30am Organ Practice (Parish Church)
10:30am Prayers for the Persecuted Church (Holy Trinity)
12:00pm Eucharist (Trinity Chapel, Parish Church)
7:00pm Cirencester Male Voice Choir (Parish Church)

Tuesday 13th November: Charles Simeon, Priest, Evangelical Divine, 1836.

12:00pm Eucharist (Catherine Chapel, Parish Church)
4:30pm Anthony Hammond recording Session (Parish Church)
6:30pm Bell Ringing Practice (Holy Trinity)

Wednesday 14th Samuel Seabury, First Anglican Bishop of North America, 1796

9:00am Drop in (St Lawrence)
9:30am Organ Practice (Parish Church)
12:00pm Eucharist (Lady Chapel, Parish Church)
1:30pm Funeral of the late Phyliss Jefferies (Parish Church)
6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal (Parish Church)
7:00pm Eucharist (Holy Trinity)
7:00pm Cantores Rehearsal (Parish Church)

Thursday 15th November: Machutus, Bishop

12:00pm Eucharist (Catherine Chapel, Parish Church)
2.00pm Little Angels (Parish Church)
6:00pm Sing it (The Town Hall)
7:30pm Parish Choir Practice (Parish Church)

Friday 16th November: Margaret, Queen of Scotland, Philanthropist, Reformer of the Church, 1093. Edmund Rich of Abingdon, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1240.

10:00am Mothers' Union Coffee Morning (Parish Church)
12:00pm Eucharist (High Altar, Parish Church)

Saturday 17th November: Hugh, Bishop of Lincoln, 1200

9:30am Organ Practice – Clist -Woodward (Parish Church)
12:00pm Eucharist (Trinity Chapel, Parish Church)
1:30pm Wedding- Rowan/Moss (Parish Church)
4:30pm Cantores Set Up (Parish Church)
7:00pm Cantores Concert (Parish Church)

Sunday 18th November:

4:00pm Restore @ 4 (Holy Trinity)