

## THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN

*Registered Charity*

Trinity Sunday

June 16 2019

*Welcome to this ancient Parish Church. If you are a visitor or a new member of the congregation, you will find the order of service in the booklets. The hymns are not announced - they can be found on this sheet. The crèche is available throughout the service for toddlers and parents; Junior Church also takes place in the Chantry House. Tea & coffee are served in the Chantry House after the service: please join us and make yourself known.*

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**Entrance Hymn:** 148 The God of Abraham praise

**The Opening Prayer:**

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace,  
by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity  
and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity:  
keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**The First Reading:** Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

*The Gifts of Wisdom*

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?  
On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;  
beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out:  
'To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

*Wisdom's Part in Creation*

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago.  
Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth.  
When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water.  
Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—  
when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil.  
When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,  
when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep,  
when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command,  
when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker;  
and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always,  
rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

**The Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 8

**R/ Above the heavens your majesty be praised.**

O Lord our governor, how glorious is your name in all the world!  
Your majesty above the heavens is praised  
out of the mouths of babes at the breast.  
You have founded a stronghold against your foes,  
that you might still the enemy and the avenger. **R/**

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars that you have ordained,  
What is man, that you should be mindful of them;  
Mere humans, that you should seek them out? **R/**

You have made them little lower than the angels  
and crown them with glory and honour.  
You have given them dominion over the works of your hands  
and put all things under their feet, **R/**

All sheep and oxen, even the wild beasts of the field,  
The birds of the air, the fish of the sea  
and whatsoever moves in the paths of the sea.  
O Lord our governor, how glorious is your name in all the world! **R/**

**The Gospel Reading:** John 16:12-15

'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

**THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

**The Offertory Hymn:** **159** I bind unto myself today

**The Communion Hymn:** **278** Christ be with me

**The Anthem:** Hymn to the Trinity *Pyotr Tchaikovsky*

Blessed angel spirits offer praise undying,  
ever crying: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth.  
Saints and martyrs praise thy name, Trinity life-giving,  
earthborn sorrow leaving before thy throne.  
Ever crying: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth.  
Father omnipotent, mighty in glory,  
Christ thy son our saviour, who died that we might live,  
Holy Spirit, mystic dove dwelling with us evermore;  
we praise thee, blessed Trinity.  
With the angels' sacred hymn all thy might proclaiming,  
with the mystic cherubim in songs of praise we join.  
Holy, holy, holy,  
join we all in songs of praise for ever:  
Hallelujah, Lord God of Sabaoth.

**The Final Hymn:** **146** Holy, Holy, Holy!

**Organ Voluntary:** Prelude in E flat Major BWV 552 *J.S. Bach*

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**Today's Sung Eucharist:**

Sidesmen	Michael Christmas and Dorothy Marshall
Lesson	Athley Cowling
Intercessions	Terry Grouk
Servers	Sheila Croton and Louis Bell
Acolytes	Sue Hockley and Peter Fernandez
Chalice	Sue Hockley and Carol Brook-Partridge
Coffee	Pam Cole and Pauline Lester

**Please replace the kneelers on your pew before leaving. Thank you!**

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**Today**

2.00pm-5.00pm Chantry House Teas (CH)  
4.30pm Choral Evensong (SM)  
6.00pm Youth Club (CH)

**This Week**

Mon 17  
Tues 18  
Wed 19      Babies And Toddlers Session 10am (SM) BATS Eucharist 11am (SM)  
                 Mothers Union 2.30pm (CH)  
                 Aliquando Choir Practice 7.15pm (CH)  
Thurs 20      Eucharist 10.00am (SM)  
                 Funeral of Caroline Sinclair-Dean-Smith 1.00pm (SM)  
                 Choir Practice 7.15pm (SM)  
Fri 21        Praying Together 9.30am (CH)  
                 Eucharist 12noon (SM)  
Sat 22

*Morning Prayer will be said at 9am and Evening Prayer usually at 5pm at St Mary's on weekdays*

**Sunday June 23 ~ Corpus Christi**

8.00am Eucharist (SM)  
9.30am Sung Eucharist, Junior Church & Creche (SM)  
*Preacher, Julie Jones, Diocesan Parish Giving Advisor*  
Followed by a meeting open to all parishioners to discuss parish giving  
11.15am Sung Matins (BCP) (SN)  
2.00pm-5.00pm Chantry House Teas (CH)  
6.00pm Youth Club (CH)

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***Please pray for***

***The church:***

*The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)*  
*The Most Revd Nicholas Okoh - Metropolitan & Primate of all Nigeria*  
*& Bishop of Abuja*

***Our Bishops:***

*Bishop Colin confirming at Chinnor*

***The sick:***

*Nicola, Neil, Helen, Stella, Maria, Henry, Gill, Richard, Eddie, Melanie*

***Those whose year's minds falls this week:***

*John Sharp (16), Giles Every, Bridget Every (20)*

***The departed:***

*Caroline Sinclair-Dean-Smith, Joan Baran, Miriam Gilmour*

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**Notices for the week beginning 16 June**

Julie Jones, the Diocesan Parish Giving Advisor, will be visiting St Mary's to preach at 9.30am on 23 June. The service will be followed by a meeting open to all parishioners to discuss parish giving.

The Regatta Café will be open again this year in aid of the Children's Society. If you are able to help please contact Jenny Lloyd or the parish office. Many thanks

Fr Jeremy and Maura would like to invite the congregation to a Regatta party in the Rectory garden on Friday 5 July from 6pm.

Chantry House Teas have started for the summer. Leaders and helpers are needed please for every Sunday and Bank Holiday Monday afternoon, 2-5pm. Please sign up on the rota in the Chantry House. It is good fun and all are welcome.

The Henley Food Bank Box can be found by the crèche. Please bring donations on Sunday mornings - toiletry items, tinned veg, tinned fruit, savoury biscuits, tinned meat, long lasting milk, cereal, crisps, biscuits, squash, pasta sauce.

***Parish Office ~ Mon, Tues 9.30am-12.30pm : Wed, Fri, 9.30am-4.30pm  
tel: 577340 email: office.hwr@lineone.net rector.hwr@btinternet.com  
Fr Jeremy is always happy to talk to parishioners about any subject, please call the parish office to make an appointment. Saturday is the his day off and Friday is his study day.  
Fr Jeremy would appreciate being spared calls on these days except in an emergency.***