

Today 17th Sunday after Trinity

10am Parish Communion

Leading: Rev'd Mark Lord-Lear & Ceri Lee

Welcoming: Jean Page

Reading: Diana Lord-Lear

Praying: Wendy Brimicombe

Playing: Pam West

12pm Bring and Share Lunch

*A Farewell and Celebration
of Rev'd Mark and Diana's time at
Kenton-with-Mamhead, on Mark's
last Sunday with us as our Parish Priest.*

The Week Ahead at All Saints'

Tuesday 25th 6.45-8.45pm Chat Café

Next Sunday

30th September, 18th Sunday after Trinity

****NO SERVICE AT ALL SAINTS' ****

10am Five Red Churches Mission Community
Communion Service at St Andrew's, Kenn

Collect for today

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are
restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love
into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring
us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see
you face to face; 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. Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede
and follow us, and make us continually to be given to
all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Psalm 8 *Divine Majesty and Human Dignity*

¹ O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in
all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

² Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have
founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the
enemy and the avenger.

³ When I look at your heavens, the work of your
fingers, **the moon and the stars that you have
established;** ⁴ **what are human beings that you are
mindful of them,** mortals that you care for them?

⁵ **Yet you have made them a little lower than God,
and crowned them with glory and honour.**

⁶ You have given them dominion over the works of
your hands; **you have put all things under their feet,**

⁷ all sheep and oxen,

and also the beasts of the field,

⁸ the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

⁹ **O Lord, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

New Testament reading for today

2 Corinthians 3.7-18 (*Good News translation*)

⁷The Law was carved in letters on stone tablets, and
God's glory appeared when it was given. Even though
the brightness on Moses' face was fading, it was so
strong that the people of Israel could not keep their
eyes fixed on him. If the Law, which brings death
when it is in force, came with such glory, ⁸ how much
greater is the glory that belongs to the activity of the
Spirit! ⁹ The system which brings condemnation was
glorious; how much more glorious is the activity
which brings salvation! ¹⁰ We may say that because of
the far brighter glory now the glory that was so bright
in the past is gone. ¹¹ For if there was glory in that
which lasted for a while, how much more glory is there
in that which lasts forever! ¹² Because we have this
hope, we are very bold.

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New Testament reading, continued.....

¹³ We are not like Moses, who had to put a veil over
his face so that the people of Israel would not see the
brightness fade and disappear. ¹⁴ Their minds, indeed,
were closed; The veil is removed only when a person
is joined to Christ. ¹⁵ Even today, whenever they read
the Law of Moses, the veil still covers their
minds. ¹⁶ But it can be removed, as the scripture says
about Moses: "His veil was removed when he turned
to the Lord." ¹⁷ Now, "the Lord" in this passage is the
Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is present,
there is freedom. ¹⁸ All of us, then, reflect the glory of
the Lord with uncovered faces; and that same glory,
coming from the Lord, who is the Spirit, transforms us
into his likeness in an ever greater degree of glory.

Today's Gospel reading

John 19.1-11a

¹Then Pilate took Jesus and had him flogged. ²And
the soldiers wove a crown of thorns and put it on his
head, and they dressed him in a purple robe. ³They
kept coming up to him, saying, 'Hail, King of the Jews!'
and striking him on the face. ⁴Pilate went out again
and said to them, 'Look, I am bringing him out to you
to let you know that I find no case against him.' ⁵So
Jesus came out, wearing the crown of thorns and the
purple robe. Pilate said to them, 'Here is the man!'
⁶When the chief priests and the police saw him, they
shouted, 'Crucify him! Crucify him!' Pilate said to
them, 'Take him yourselves and crucify him; I find no
case against him.' ⁷The Jews answered him, 'We
have a law, and according to that law he ought to die
because he has claimed to be the Son of God.'
⁸Now when Pilate heard this, he was more afraid than
ever. ⁹He entered his headquarters again and asked
Jesus, 'Where are you from?' But Jesus gave him no
answer. ¹⁰Pilate therefore said to him, 'Do you refuse
to speak to me? Do you not know that I have power to
release you, and power to crucify you?' ¹¹Jesus
answered him, 'You would have no power over me
unless it had been given you from above.'

News, Events and Notices

Welcoming, leading prayers and serving post-service refreshments

Sunday service rotas for October to December are being compiled. Additional volunteers for these duties would be welcome. Help, if needed, can be provided with prayer writing. Please speak to Judith for more info or to add your name to the list. Many hands make light work!

Harvest Festival and Lunch – 14th October

On **Sunday 14th October** there will be an **8.30am Holy Communion (BCP)** followed by the **Village Harvest Praise service at 10am**. Harvest gifts of non-perishable foodstuffs in tins and packets will be given to HiTS

(Homeless in Teignbridge Support) who organise and administer the Foodbank across the area.

Any perishable foodstuffs will be sold after the 10am service and the proceeds donated to the same organisation.

There will also be a **'Bring and Share' Lunch from 12.30pm**, put the date in your diary!



Does Science Need God?

A 'Christians in Science' event with Prof Roger Trigg, of the Ian Ramsey Centre for Science and Religion, University of Oxford. **Friday 2nd November, 7.30pm** at Upper Lecture Theatre, Sherwell Centre, Plymouth University. All welcome, free entry, bookstall, free parking on campus.

Thought for the Week *(by Paul David Tripp)*

"Personal ministry is not about always knowing what to say. It is not about fixing everything in sight that is broken. Personal ministry is about connecting people with Christ so that they are able to think as he would have them think, desire what he says is best, and do what he calls them to do even if their circumstances never get "fixed". It involves exposing hurt, lost, and confused people to God's glory, so that they give up their pursuit of their own glory and live for his."

And, this morning, we say 'thank you' to Rev'd Mark for leading us in this way for the last 4 years. We'll miss you!

Important Notice: Could this be you?

The roles at All Saints' of both **CHURCH WARDEN** and **CHURCH TREASURER** are each practical, pragmatic and vital responsibilities for an essential part of church life, underpinning the mission and ministry. Nick Cox has done a sterling job as Church Warden, with Judith Johnson, for the past few years and has now given notice of his intention to stand down next year. Similarly, Susan Sawer, has admirably served as Church Treasurer for a number of years and will be relinquishing this role at the end of 2018. Could you be the person to replace Susan from January 2019 or Nick from April 2019? To register your interest (without obligation!) or find out more please speak to Nick, Judith, Susan or Ceri.

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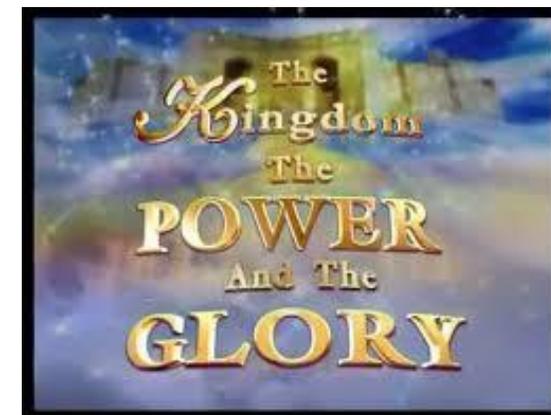
All Saints Kenton Weekly News



Sunday, 23rd September 2018

17th Sunday after Trinity

10am Parish Communion



Welcome to our service today, especially if you are visiting All Saints' for the first time this morning. We hope you will all feel at home with us, and experience the presence of God as we worship together.

Please join us for refreshments at the back of the church after the 10am service and take this sheet home with you to refer to during the week. You are also very welcome to share lunch today as we say farewell and thank you to Rev'd Mark and Diana for their much appreciated ministry and fellowship here over the past four years.