



5 September 2021
Trinity 14 Proper 18

Welcome to our worship, especially if you are here for the first time.

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Within the Church we believe that we are called to be responsible to and for one another, respecting the more vulnerable. There is likely to be a range of feeling about risk. All we ask is that you remain aware that your freedom can limit others' freedom.

Gradual easing...

If you have COVID symptoms please come again when you have recovered.

We will maintain groups of seats and individual seats where possible. Where not possible we will provide people with cards to put next to them when sat down, asking people to leave the seats next to them free.

There is no legal requirement to wear a face covering – although for others' benefit you may choose to do so. We will ask you to do so in confined spaces like vestries. You may wish to wear a face covering when coming to receive communion. The President distributing the bread and wine will wear a face covering to protect you. Where possible we will sing. We will continue to share the peace as we have by turning and/or waving to our neighbours.

Bread and wine will be distributed. The wafer will have a little wine added to it, dried and quarantined for 48 hours. Refreshments will be served after the service.

Sunday 5 September

8am Said Eucharist at St Andrew's: Canon Paul Gully

9.30am Family Eucharist at Resurrection: Canon Paul Gully, Reader: Sheena Day, Intercessor: Marina Horner

Hymns: 551,53,73

11.15am Family Eucharist at St Andrew's: Canon Paul Gully, Reader: Helen Jempson, Intercessor: Amber VP

Hymns: 646,67,712

Wednesday 8 September

10am Said Eucharist at St Andrew's: The Revd Linda Denness

7pm Said Eucharist at Resurrection: The Revd Linda Denness

Collect for Trinity 14

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

James 2.1-10(11-13)14-17

My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favouritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? 2For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, 3and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, 'Have a seat here, please', while to the one who is poor you say, 'Stand there', or, 'Sit at my feet', 4have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? 5Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? 6But you have dishonoured the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? 7Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over you?

8 You do well if you really fulfil the royal law according to the scripture, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' 9But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. 10For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. 11For the one who said, 'You shall not commit adultery', also said, 'You shall not murder.' Now if you do not commit adultery but if you murder, you have become a transgressor of the law. 12So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. 13For judgement will be without mercy to anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgement.

14 What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? 15If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, 16and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill', and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? 17So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

Mark 7.24-37

24 From there he set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, 25but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. 26Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. 27He said to her, 'Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.' 28But she answered him, 'Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs.' 29Then he said to her, 'For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter.' 30So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone.

31 Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of

the Decapolis. 32They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. 33He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. 34Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, 'Ephphatha', that is, 'Be opened.' 35And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. 36Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. 37They were astounded beyond measure, saying, 'He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak.'

Post Communion Prayer for Trinity 14

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord

Messy Church - you may have read last week that we are aiming to begin again on **18 September** and planning has begun. Now is the time to join in and enjoy the Messy experience. Come and join us- no previous knowledge needed, just a willingness to talk to families (and no it is not only children, grown ups are important too) and welcome them in the friendly Resurrection way. Elaine Beeby

Harvest Flowers Autumn is fast approaching and if you would like to donate to the fund for Harvest flowers there will be a plate at the back of St. Andrew's for this. Thank you in advance. Ruth

Prayers and Readings: I am putting together the next rota. If you would like to help with prayers or readings at our services, please let us know (Kathryn Gunns for St Andrew's, Elaine Beeby for Resurrection). We are especially short at St Andrew's having sadly lost a few regulars from the prayers rota. Kathryn kgunns@gmail.com

Care and Fellowship Group are inviting you to join us for a welcome back tea and cake on **Wednesday 15 September 2pm in the Resurrection Church hall** Thank you Di Allen tele. 023 9248 1528

Love in a box- sorry to mention Christmas but there is an important reason! The leaflets will be here soon so please can you start to save your shoe boxes and goodies to go inside. If you have spare boxes please let me have them and I will link them with people who have goodies but no boxes! Thank you Amanda.

Coffee and Chat Online This is a weekly Zoom meeting **every Thursday at 11am**. All welcome. Please email Paul for the link if you would like to join the meeting. Contact Paul for the link.

Next Sunday 12 September Trinity 15 Proper 19

8am Said Eucharist at St Andrew's: tbc
10am Family Service at Resurrection: Simon Lemieux, Preacher: Amber VP, Reader: Paul Wells, Intercessor: Mark Emerton

The readings for 12 September are: James 3.1-12 and Mark 8.27-38. I really encourage you to read these before you come to worship. Paul

For your prayers this week 5-11 September

- Eternal God, May we trust in You. Help us to let the world know Your everlasting love.
- For Petersfield Deanery led by Chris Williams
- For our local conservation and environmental groups
- For residents of Dysart Avenue and East Cosham Road
- For Solent Junior School
- For those who are ill
- For those who have died recently, including Sheila Kightley
- Anniversaries: Gwendoline Evans, Molly Mead, Cyril Morris, Nellie Searle

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