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(Anglican & URC)

Welcome



LOCKDOWN CHALLENGE: using the word 'lockdown', or 'easing', or both, try writing an acrostic poem: it could be just one word per line, or something more elaborate. (Each line starts with the next letter of the word chosen - eg Lockdown is/Ordered by/Covid/Keep on/Doing/Our/Wonderful things for the/Nation.) Do send your poems to Grapevine: you may see them in print!

Sent in by Pam Dainton

MAUREEN McBANE writes: I was moved to see a reconstructed facial image of someone whose body had lain undiscovered for a year or more near Cirencester until two years ago. Still not identified. I was also touched that efforts are still ongoing to achieve that end. How sad that someone could slip away seemingly unnoticed and unmissed.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Since we cannot give out cards in church during the service, it has been suggested that we all help each other to celebrate our Birthdays and Anniversaries, especially during this time of lockdown. Please let me know of any names and dates of friends from within the church so that I can include them in future issues of Grapevine—you can even send me your own name and date so that you won't be missed out.

Brian

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Arrangements for Thanksgiving for the Birth of a Child, Baptism, Confirmation, Banns of Marriage, etc., should be made with any one of the Clergy.

If you are aware of anyone who is ill, in hospital, or in need of a pastoral visit please contact Clergy, Elders or Readers.

Safeguarding Officer: Debbie Cypher

If you have anything for the Grapevine please send it to

Edna Willox (grapevine@tcivh.org.uk Tel 510773) by early Wednesday evening

Website: www.tciwh.org.uk

THE GRAPEVINE 5th July 2020 FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

A Message from Revd Gary

In our gospel reading we hear Jesus condemn the attitude of his generation. Whatever he said or did, they took the opposite view. They were cynical and sceptical because he challenged their comfortable, secure and self-centred lives. Following Jesus Christ is a challenge for us also as his teachings also move us into uncomfortable places, and may require us to change the way we live.

This Sunday

There will be a 10am Holy Communion live-stream service led by Revd Nick from St. Christopher's.

This will be available on our social media pages and website: www.tciwh.org.uk

Readings: Romans 7.15-25a; Matthew 11.16-19, 25-end

Devotional Bible readings for the coming week

A good way to stay connected is to read the Bible and see what scripture is saying to you each day, and what you might want to pray about.

There is also a live-stream service of Morning Prayer, led by Revd Gary or Revd Nick, weekdays at 9am here: www.stpetersleck.org (scroll to the bottom of the page).

Monday

*Psalm 80
Judges 13.1-24
Luke 17.20-end*

Tuesday

*Psalm 89.1-18
Judges 14
Luke 18.1-14*

Wednesday

*Psalm 119.105-128
Judges 15.1-16.23
Luke 18.15-30*

Thursday

*Psalm 92
Judges 16.4-end
Luke 18.31-end*

Friday

*Psalm 88
Judges 17
Luke 9.1-10*

Saturday

*Psalm 97
Judges 18.1-20,27-end
Luke 19.11-27*

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MORNING PRAYER This is being led by either Revd Gary or Revd Nick each weekday at 9am. Do join in and post your prayers on-line each day as we gather together to read, reflect and pray. You can join in via:

www.stpetersleck.org or on Facebook: www.facebook.com/pipandjims

SUMMER LIVE STREAM SERVICES The South Cheltenham Team have produced a schedule of services for the coming month:

DATE	SUNDAY	SERVICE	LEADER
5th July	Trinity 4	10am - Holy Communion	Rev Nick
12th July	Trinity 5	10am - Holy Communion	Rev Nick
19th July	Trinity 6	10am - Holy Communion	Rev Gary

All services can be accessed from one of the following:

TCIWH website: www.tciwh.org.uk

St. Peter's website: www.stpetersleck.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/pipandjims

RE-OPENING ST. CHRISTOPHER'S FOR PRAYER

St. Christopher's has now reopened to visit for prayer on a Monday, from 2-4pm, each week, to a max. of 6 persons at any one time (this will be stewarded). A further risk assessment will now be conducted regarding when we might start to hold services of worship again. Watch this space! **Revd Gary.**

FREE WASHING MACHINE

Jo Pestell has an (all but) brand new washing machine which needs a new home. Please let me know on 01242 511522 if you are in need of one? I may even deliver and plumb it in for you! **Revd Gary.**

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PLEASE PRAY FOR the arrangements for easing of lockdown, and for those areas where this isn't happening.

PLEASE ALSO PRAY FOR those suffering as a result of the lockdown; those who are sick in body, mind or spirit that they might find relief; those who have died, and those who mourn the loss of loved ones that they might find comfort.

Weekly Prayer Focus

5th	Young people's groups	9th	Youth worker
6th	Maintenance & Office staff	10th	Messy Church
7th	Housebound & lonely	11th	All with mental health
8th	St. Andrew's, Ramallah	12th	Playgroup

THE COLLECT for the 4th Sunday after Trinity

Gracious Father, by the obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world: draw us into harmony with your will, that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES in July

Sienna Hemmingway 2nd

Max Sam Nelson-Macmillan 3rd

Please pray for those Baptised in St. Christopher's as they continue on their journey in faith.