

Sunday 18th October: Luke the Evangelist

Acts 16.6-12a; 2 Timothy 4.5-17; Luke 10.1-9

8.00am Holy Communion. President: Mike Trotman

10.00am Parish Eucharist. President: Pat Southgate

Monday 19th October

10.00am Pray for the Week

Tuesday 20th October

9.00am Eucharist

Wednesday 21st October

10.45am Eucharist

Sunday 25th October: Last Sunday after Trinity

Leviticus 19.1-2, 15-18; 1 Thessalonians 2.1-8; Matthew 22.34-end

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Annual Parochial Church Meetings

Collect: Almighty God, you called Luke the physician, whose praise is in the gospel, to be an evangelist and physician of the soul: by the grace of the Spirit and through the wholesome medicine of the gospel, give your Church the same love and power to heal; 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.**

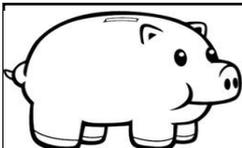
The Annual Parochial Church Meetings will take place next Sunday 25th October following the 10 am service. **Please pick up a copy of the Annual Report in church today.**

We are looking for:

- 4 Churchwardens
- 4 Deanery synod members
- 4 PCC members

Forms will be in church or contact me if you need a form.

Sarah Way, PCC Secretary.



Mission Money Box

If you haven't remembered to bring back your Mission Money box, please bring it back as soon as you can.

Please make sure that the box is labelled with your name and with the name of the charity you wish to support. Thank you.

If you returned your money box and would like it back again, please collect it from Wendy at the back of church

Would you like to lead the Intercessions during the 10am service on a Sunday? Training will be given. If you're interested please speak to the Rector.

“Praying and Fasting for Climate Justice on the First Day of Each Month”

Please, come to St Peter's at 12.00 p.m. on Sunday, 1st November, to take part in our prayer group, sitting in a “social distancing” circle in The Holy Name Chapel after the 10.00 a.m. Eucharist.

As always, we'll bring to mind and pray for those around God's world whose lives are being wrecked by bereavement, loss of homes and livelihood, all caused by the destructive effects of climate change: flooding, drought, uncontrollable fires, cyclones, tsunamis, and rising sea levels.

We'll pray especially for those so badly affected on 3rd October by Storm Alex which hit the border between France and Italy. At least 7 people were killed and 20 went missing when the area was flooded by a year's rainfall in 12 hours, causing landslides and the destruction of homes and roads.

As well as the terrifying and ongoing fires in California and Oregon, the USA has been hit by the 10th violent storm this year in areas bordering The Gulf of Mexico with all the terrifying fear and damage such storms inflict.

The Coronavirus pandemic continues to so dominate the news we don't hear about many around the world who are suffering from the effects of climate change.

There continues to be many who need our prayers, including the people in Japan devastated on 8th July by torrential rain which killed 55 people and forced 3 million to leave their homes; those in May hit by flooding and landslides in El Salvador; and those hit by typhoons and cyclones in The Philippines and Bangladesh and East India, all of whom are also coping with the Coronavirus pandemic.

Please, tell us about people you've heard about in the news whose lives have been, or are being devastated by climate disasters

We'll be praying also for our national and international leaders who have the power to make decisions to reduce the human causes of climate change; and for ourselves that we'll be guided by God to care for the wonderful gift of creation; and do all we can ourselves to reduce the human causes of global warming.