

News Sheet for Sunday 21st September – The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

LINK FOR THE LIVESTREAM SERVICE - <https://cofewrecclisham.org.uk/streamed-services/>

Please click on the link from ten minutes beforehand and there will be the livestream link to take you to the service

Thank you to everyone involved in leading our worship today - and to Wendy Wakeford for offering hospitality, and to Wendy Coxell for flowers this week – very much appreciated...

THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICE – 21st September - Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

8am - Holy Communion – led by Rev Julian Hubbard

10am – Third Sunday Service - No Communion, led by the Worship Team

Refreshments in the Leverton Hall after the Service

Lectionary: Amos 8.4-7; Psalm 113; 1 Timothy 2.1-7; Luke 16.1-13

The Collect for the Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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.

PRAYERS FOR:

Tim Sturt, Christine Paine, Gerald Martin, Andrew Jones and for all who are poorly, and give thanks for the healing and ongoing wellbeing of all recovering and on the mend from illness...

We remember all those dear to us whose years' mind falls around this time

(please let Chris know if you would like someone remembered by name ...)

Please also pray for the life and work of our Church, that we might be part of God's revival, and loving and transforming grace here in our place...

We may be without a Vicar in post, we but are doing our very best to have as many of our usual Service and Social events as we can. Here are some dates for your diary!

OCTOBER – 5th Harvest Sunday

NOVEMBER – 2nd Service of Thanksgiving for the Departed 3pm

9th Remembrance Service; 23rd Messy Church pm

DECEMBER – 6th Wassail; 21st Carol Service

***** SATURDAY OCTOBER 4TH 7pm IN LEVERTON HALL *****

QUIZ EVENING TO CELEBRATE HARVEST

£3/person – bring your own tippie & nibbles

Sign-up sheet in church/contact Gerald Blues 07831 352331

HARVEST HAMPER RAFFLE – Tickets will be on sale from today and the lucky winning ticket will be drawn at the Harvest Quiz on October 4th. All proceeds to our Charities, Step by Step and Seeds for Development.

PRAYING TOGETHER: 'A future and a hope' – prayer for our church and community.

Join us to pray more specifically for God's plans for the future of St Peter's, in the side chapel, after the Service, TODAY September 21st. Proposed dates over the coming months are October 12th, November 16th & 30th and December 14th. We will allow 20 minutes to get a coffee on the mornings when refreshments are served. **If you have any questions, please speak to Kathryn or Carol.**

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and be not wise in your own sight.

In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths. (Prov 3:5-6)

CELTIC MORNING PRAYER ON WEDNESDAYS VIA ZOOM AT 9.30am This is thirty minutes of short readings, reflection and prayer of a contemplative nature. There are booklets available if you would like to Sample before taking part! If you are interested in joining, then please contact Kathryn on

kathrynbeehive@gmail.com

THE YOUTH CAFE officially starts on Wednesday 17th September at the Leverton Hall 3:15pm-4:45pm. The Youth Cafe provides a safe, supportive and welcoming space for young people to socialise, have fun, and get free refreshments.

FARNHAM BRASS BAND 50TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT –

Saturday 11th October 2pm @ Medici Theatre, Weydon School, Weydon Lane. Adults £5, under 18's free

NOTICE SHEET – please let **Chris Wilkes** know of any notices you would like included – **by Thursday lunchtime if possible**. Email: parishadmin@cofewrecclesham.org.uk – Tel/text: 07902 768597

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERVICE – 28th September

8am - Holy Communion

10am - Parish Communion, followed by refreshments

FARNHAM ASSIST – details available by the notice boards – Farnham Assist reach out to older people who live alone or who are carers

CALLING all singers.... Do you like to sing? Come and join our informal choir. No experience needed, you don't need to read music or commit to regular Sundays. We will meet at 9.30 before the service to run through the hymns with David - just turn up. For more information, please contact me on 07548830018 or email carolzeiher@sky.com.

WRECCLESHAM OVER 60'S – On 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month @ 1.30pm – a lovely group meet at the Leverton Hall – please pick up a leaflet for information....

FARNHAM FOODBANK BASKET IS LOCATED ON THE LEFT-HAND SIDE OF THE CHURCH BY THE DOOR

Please only donate long-life goods – fresh and perishable goods cannot be accepted – thank you for all that you contribute. Lizzy Hendry kindly takes the food to the Foodbank for us.

Contact: mail: info@farnham.foodbank.org.uk or call 07901 58153 visit website farnham.foodbank.org.uk

DIOCESE NEWS - If you would like news and info from the Diocese, please sign up to their [weekly parish brief](#).

Bible Readings for the Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

First Reading: Amos 8.4-7

4Hear this, you that trample on the needy, and bring to ruin the poor of the land, saying, 'When will the new moon be over so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath, so that we may offer wheat for sale? We will make the ephah small and the shekel great, and practise deceit with false balances, buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat.' 7The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

Second Reading: 1Timothy 2.1-7

My dearly beloved, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all - this was attested at the right time. 7For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Gospel: Luke 16.1-13

Jesus said to the disciples, 'There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. So he summoned him and said to him, "What is this that I hear about you? Give me an account of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer." Then the manager said to himself, "What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes." So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, "How much do you owe my master?" He answered, "A hundred jugs of olive oil." He said to him, "Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty." Then he asked another, "And how much do you owe?" He replied, "A hundred containers of wheat." He said to him, "Take your bill and make it eighty." And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes. Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.'