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St Michael and all angels



*Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the day of battle,
be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.*

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray.

*And do thou, Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God,
thrust down to hell Satan and all wicked spirits*

who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

*○ Prince Most Glorious, Michael the Archangel, keep us in remembrance:
here and everywhere, always entreat the Son of God for us. Amen.*

We are being very careful what we put in this season's edition – a line from the last one became the text for a sermon. Pressure... Embracing a spirit of post-pandemic renewal, a few little changes may appear in the layout of our Sunday worship leaflet. Anyone who spots what they are may get a small prize. **Please remember to take this leaflet and other sheets home with you.** The readings, collect and prayer after communion are available in Farsi each week. All other liturgical materials for the Eucharist will soon be available in Farsi versions on the website. Please check! Thanks to Nima for helping to upgrade the readings sheet.

During the emergence out of lockdown, various spaces have been rethought and revamped a little bit. Many thanks to Jan, Kaveh, Sajjad, Zanyar and Asghar for helping to move things about and create order.

The upper chapel has a sense of quiet and calm – the chairs, rug and harpsichord create a singular space. Quiet Days and the discussion groups use this space.

Our education and workshop space at the top of the stairs, with English language materials and a space for study. We have furniture and household goods, and items for babies and young children in our storage areas.

We hope that the Foodbank will soon return to us on Saturday mornings: they will need volunteers.

This Sunday marks the return of provision for children. If you would like to volunteer to be a leader or helper with Children's Church on the SECOND Sunday of each month (usually) then please speak to Lynda Newton or Hilary Peate.

There will be a meeting for sidespeople in the near future – check the notices!

Details of services during these coming weeks are below. We may have a visit from the new Area Dean, the Revd Nick Watson at some point as well.

If you don't give to church via standing order, at the moment, the collection box is on the table by the door as you come in. Please look at signing up for EasyFundraising if you are shopping online – an easy way to raise funds painlessly for church. Especially if you are booking a holiday of any sort....

Sunday September 19th 2021 **Trinity 16 Proper 20**

President: The Revd Jane Walker **Preacher: The Revd Richard Young**

Readings	Hymns
Jeremiah 11.18-20	O Lord our God arise
Psalms 54	Gospel Acclamation
James 3.13 -4.3,7-8a	All hail the power of Jesus' name
Mark 9.30-37	Immortal, invisible God only wise

Other music: Sing of the Lord's goodness

Sunday September 26th **Trinity 17 Proper 21**

President: The Revd Richard Young **Preacher: The Revd Jane Walker**

Readings	Hymns
Numbers 11. 4-6,10-14,24-29	Lord thy word abideth
Psalms 19.7-end	Gospel Acclamation
James 5.13-end	Lord enthroned in heavenly splendour
Mark 9.38-end	The kingdom of God is justice and joy

Other music:

Sunday October 3rd **Trinity 18 Proper 22**

President: The Revd Canon Michael Ainsworth **Preacher: The Revd Richard Young**

Readings	Hymns
Genesis 2.18-24	We plough the fields and scatter
Psalms 8	Gospel Acclamation
Hebrews 1.1-4, 2.5-12	Eternal ruler of the ceaseless round
Mark 10.2-16	How great thou art

Other music: My eyes for beauty pine; Laudato sii

Sunday October 10th **Trinity 19 Proper 23**

President: The Revd Jane Walker **Preacher: The Revd Canon Michael Ainsworth**

Readings	Hymns
Amos 5.6-7,10-15	Judge eternal throned in splendour
Psalms 90.12-end	Gospel Acclamation
Hebrews 4.12-end	Safe in the shadow of the Lord
Mark 10.17-31	Strengthen for service Lord

Other music: Restless is the heart

Thursday 15th October 6.15 – 7.15: Contemplative Conversation

A time of thoughtful discussion and silence before the Thursday evening Eucharist.

Sunday October 17th

Trinity 20 Proper 24

President: The Revd Richard Young **Preacher: The Revd Canon Alma Servant**

Readings	Hymns
Isaiah 53.4-end	O worship the king
Psalms 91.9-end	Gospel Acclamation
Hebrews 5.1-10	All for Jesus
Mark 10.35-45	Now thank we all our God

Other music: Solo: to be decided

Sunday October 24th

The Last Sunday after Trinity: Bible Sunday

President: The Revd Canon Michael Ainsworth **Preacher: The Revd Jane Walker**

Readings	Hymns
Isaiah 55.1-11	Christ whose glory fills the skies
Psalms 42	Gospel Acclamation
2 Timothy 3.14 – 4.5	Alleluia, sing to Jesus
John 5.36b-end	God has given us a book full of stories

Other music: When quiet in my house I sit

There will be a Quiet Day On Saturday October 9th from 10am to 3pm.

Thinking further ahead:

1872- 2022: our 150th anniversary as a church.

A year for celebration and witness!

Ideas and plans to follow....

