PARISH NOTICES

also see www.chidhamandhambrook.info

All church meetings and events are cancelled unless you hear to the contrary

The Foodbank

At this stressful time, the local foodbank especially needs your donations. You can make a donation at https://www.trusselltrust.org/get-involved/ways-to-give/

Alternatively, if you would like to give food, they particularly need Tinned Vegetables, Instant Mash/tinned Potatoes, Tinned Meat, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Rice Pudding/custard, Cleaning Products, Toilet Rolls.

Please leave your donations at your Supermarket - Waitrose, Tesco, Sainsbury's have facilities.

Keeping gravestones tidy: Denise Bowerman has kindly offered, on request, to tidy up gravestones or memorial stones in Chidham churchyards for people who cannot visit at the present time. If you would like Denise' help, please 'phone her on 576981.

live streamed Cathedral service 10am Sunday

Cathedral News: https://www.chichestercathedral.org.uk/news

and keep in touch with the Cathedral peregrines - three boys and a girl just fledged! https://chichesterperegrinesblog.co.uk/
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pzv8KHdwsr0

For Covid support information also go to https://www.chidhamandhambrook.info/ or https://www.chichester.gov.uk/coronavirus

If you have something for the pewslip, contact Stephen Johnson Tel 572059 or email pskjohnson2000@gmail.com

In June, we remember Yvonne Marjorie Millen, James Hunter Cameron, Douglas Edward Hands, Arthur Edgar Cooper

The readings for Sunday July 5th

Fourth Sunday after Trinity

First Reading Genesis 24.34-38.42-49.58-67

Psalm 45

Second Reading Romans 7.15-25a

Gospel Reading Matthew 11.16-19, 25-end.

THE PARISH OF CHIDHAM

June 28th, 2020



Third Sunday after Trinity

The Weekly Pew Slip

There will be no Church services until further notice

(Coronavirus precautions)

St Mary's Church is closed except on Wednesday and Saturday from 10am to 12noon for private prayer. Please maintain social distancing, use the hand sanitiser provided and the one way system for entry and exit.

We hope you would like to follow the weekly prayers and Bible readings

Hymns: Here are some links to some hymns for today

- Awake, awake fling off the night https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=83eOE-K2Xgs
- 152 Dear Lord and Father of mankind https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=faNij71hh7o
- 467 Lord of all hopefulness https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9-D aT8CXyc
- 38 And now, O Father, mindful of the love https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bTBkw994IR8
- 798 We have a Gospel to proclaim https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B2FX0-kS7wA

A contribution from the Occasional Choir

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2ZDPcXOl7Mw

Deidre wanted to do her bit

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R9puAXwjTjg

The Parish is currently in Vacancy

During the Vacancy please contact the Churchwarden, Willem van Niekerk, 1 Caspian Close, Fishbourne, PO18 8AY Tel 07960305427

> Church Warden :Willem van Niekerk Church Warden and Treasurer : Carol Vigor

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Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; 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

First Reading Genesis 22.1-14

God tested Abraham. He said to him, "Abraham!" "Here I am," he replied. Then God said, "Take your son, your only son, Isaac, whom you love, and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains I will tell you about." Early the next morning Abraham got up and saddled his donkey. He took with him two of his servants and his son Isaac. When he had cut enough wood for the burnt offering, he set out for the place God had told him about. On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place in the distance. He said to his servants, "Stay here with the donkey while I and the boy go over there. We will worship and then we will come back to you." Abraham took the wood for the burnt offering and placed it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. As the two of them went on together, Isaac spoke up and said to his father Abraham, "Father?" "Yes, my son?" Abraham replied. "The fire and wood are here," Isaac said, "but where is the lamb for the burnt offering?" Abraham answered, "God himself will provide the lamb for the burnt offering, my son." And the two of them went on together. When they reached the place God had told him about, Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. He bound his son Isaac and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then he reached out his hand and took the knife to slay his son. But the angel of the LORD called out to him from heaven, "Abraham! Abraham!" "Here I am," he replied. "Do not lay a hand on the boy," he said. "Do not do anything to him. Now I know that you fear God, because you have not withheld from me your son, your only son." Abraham looked up and there in a thicket he saw a ram caught by its horns. He went over and took the ram and sacrificed it as a burnt offering instead of his son. So Abraham called that place The LORD Will Provide. And to this day it is said, "On the mountain of the LORD it will be provided."

Psalm Psalm 13

How long will you forget me, O Lord; for ever? How long will you hide

your face from me?

How long shall I have anguish in my soul and grief in my heart, day after day? How long shall my enemy triumph over me? Look upon me and answer, O Lord my God; lighten my eyes, lest I sleep in death;

Lest my enemy say, 'I have prevailed against him,' and my foes rejoice that I have fallen.

But I put my trust in your steadfast love; my heart will rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord, for he has dealt so bountifully with me.

Second Reading Romans 6.12-23

Do not offer the parts of your body to sin, as instruments of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God, as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer the parts of your body to him as instruments of righteousness. For sin shall not be your master, because you are not under law, but under grace. What then? Shall we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Don't you know that when you offer yourselves to someone to obey him as slaves, you are slaves to the one whom you obey – whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that, though you used to be slaves to sin, you wholeheartedly obeyed the form of teaching to which you were entrusted. You have been set free from sin and have become slaves to righteousness. I put this in human terms because you are weak in your natural selves. Just as you used to offer the parts of your body in slavery to impurity and to everincreasing wickedness, so now offer them in slavery to righteousness leading to holiness. When you were slaves to sin, you were free from the control of righteousness. What benefit did you reap at that time from the things you are now ashamed of? Those things result in death! But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves to God, the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gospel Reading Matthew 10.40-42

Jesus said: "He who receives you receives me, and he who receives me receives the one who sent me. Anyone who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and anyone who receives a righteous man because he is a righteous man will receive a righteous man's reward. And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is my disciple, I tell you the truth, he will certainly not lose his reward."