

**Chesterfield Parish Church  
Saint Mary & All Saints**



## **F** Faith and Perseverance

There are those who seem to think that they already have the fullness of faith.

We all continue to grow in faith, learning more day by day about the Lord we love.

***When Jesus asks whether the Son of Man will find faith on earth, he is offering a warning that we need to keep growing in faith.***

***I suspect those who think they've got there are those who least understand what faith really is.***

## **Trinity XVIII (20th October 2019)**

- 08.30 Said Mass
- 09.30 Matins (St Leonard's, Spital)
- 10.30 Choral Mass
- 18.30 Choral Evensong

### **ALSO THIS WEEK:**

#### ***Monday 21st October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### ***Tuesday 22nd October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### ***Wednesday 23rd October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Holy Communion (*BCP*)
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 19.30 Talk by Fr David, Saints\*

#### ***Thursday 24th October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Organ Recital
- 17.00 Evening Prayer
- 17.30 Mass

#### ***Friday 25th October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

#### ***Saturday 26th October***

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 19.30 Rockingham Brass Band\*

\* *Ticketed Events*

**Please remember to respect those who wish to prepare for Mass in quiet prayer; also those who wish to listen to the closing Organ Voluntary**

All are invited to share refreshments after Mass in the Saints Parish Centre across the churchyard.

## TRINITY XVIII - CHORAL MASS

**Processional Hymn** 408

**Setting** Blake in F

### **Collect Prayer**

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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**

### **A reading from the Book of the Prophet Jeremiah Jer 31.27-34**

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will sow the house of Israel and the house of Judah with the seed of humans and the seed of animals. And just as I have watched over them to pluck up and break down, to overthrow, destroy, and bring evil, so I will watch over them to build and to plant, says the Lord. In those days they shall no longer say: 'The parents have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge.' But all shall die for their own sins; the teeth of everyone who eats sour grapes shall be set on edge.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt - a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the Lord. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the Lord', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the Lord; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

**Gradual Hymn** 282

### **Hear the Gospel of Christ according to St Luke**

**Glory to you, O Lord** Luke 18.1-8

Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, 'In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, "Grant me justice against my opponent."

For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, “Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.” And the Lord said, ‘Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?’

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ**

**Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace**

**Offertory Hymn** 485

**Communion Motet** **The Lord bless you and keep you**  
*(John Rutter)*

**Postcommunion** 377

**Voluntary** **Postlude on a Ground** *(Herbert Murrill)*

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**CHORAL EVENSONG**

**Responses** Byrd

**Hymn** 391

**Psalms** 146 & 149

**First Lesson** Nehemiah 8.9-end

**Office Hymn** 150 *(t.ii)*

**Canticles** Morley (Fauxbourdons)

**Second Lesson** John 16.1-11

**Anthem** **The Secret of Christ** *(Richard Shephard)*

**Hymn** 452

**Offertory Hymn** 248 *(t.ii)*

**Voluntary** **Aria** *(Brian Solomons)*

## Prayer Intentions This Week:

### Today 20th October - Trinity XVIII

- Those trapped in modern slavery
- ◇ Church in the Province of the West Indies
- ✦ *Henry Francis King; Harry Bargh;*  
*Barbara Mary Benton; Vera Enid James*

### Monday 21st October

- Stanton-by-Dale with Dale Abbey & Risley
- ◇ Raiwind (Pakistan); Cuba (TEC); Kubwa (Nigeria)
- ✦ *Ronald Arthur Musson*

### Tuesday 22nd October

- Horsley Woodhouse, St Susanna
- ◇ Rajasthan (N India); Cuebiet (S Sudan)
- ✦ *Curtis Fowler; Nellie Hatton*

### Wednesday 23rd October

- Horsley, St Clement and Denby, St Mary
- ◇ Rayalaseema (S India); Cuernavaca (Mexico); Curitiba (Brazil)

### Thursday 24th October

- Codnor, St James
- ◇ Recife (Brazil); Cuttack (N India)
- ✦ *Doris Mellor*

### Friday 25th October - Crispin & Crispinian

- Heanor, St Lawrence
- ◇ Rejaf (S Sudan); Cyanguu (Rwanda); Kuching (S E Asia)
- ✦ *Mary Duce*

### Saturday 26th October - Alfred the Great

- Langley Mill, St Andrew and Aldercar, St John
- ◇ Remo (Nigeria); Cyprus & the Gulf (Jerusalem & Middle East); Kumasi (W Africa)
- ✦ *Catherine Denman; Eileen Ashley;*  
*Evelyn Parker*

- Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ◇ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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## Our prayers have been asked for:

Jane Hoskin; Charlese Cain; Carol Miles; John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Carol Kingham; Joan Lidgate; Teddy; June Frankland; Greta; John Herring; Michael Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean Madin; Jane Jackson; David Staves; Ian Mackenzie; Cynthia; Heather Lacey; Mark Drew; Fr Jerome Bertram

✦ *Gordon Capper, RIP*

## Wednesday 23rd October - Saints, 7.30pm

Talk ('Significant Dates in History') by Revd David Mouncer. Tickets from the Friends Committee or the Gift Shop.

## Lunchtime Organ Recital

The next recital is on Thursday 24th October, 12.15 - 1pm, with Keith Morgan. Free entry, with retiring collection.

## Saturday 26th October - 7.30pm

Rockingham Brass Band, in support of Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice.

## Reminder - Clocks Change Next Week!

Don't forget that the clocks go **back** one hour at 2.00am next Sunday, 27th October.

## Christmas Tree Festival - 16th Nov/1st Dec

If you haven't already done so, please see Gwen to sign up for the stewarding rota. Donations of biscuits, tea and coffee for refreshments would also be appreciated.

## Next Sunday - 27th October - Last After Trinity

08.30 Said Mass

09.30 Matins (St Leonard's, Spital)

10.30 Choral Mass

Readings: Joel 2.23-end  
Luke 18.9-14

18.30 Choral Evensong

Readings: Psalm 119.1-16  
Ecclesiastes 11 & 12  
2 Timothy 2.1-7

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