

**The week ahead** - Morning Prayer each day at 09.00.

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 ~ Coffee Morning in the Narthex

16.30 ~ Scratch Orchestra in the Narthex

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>**

11.00 ~ Eucharist

19.30 ~ Bellringers Practice

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Parish Office CLOSED**

16.30 ~ Honiton Youth Orchestra in the Narthex

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

10.30 ~ Crafts and Cuppas in the Chapel

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

10.00 ~ Coffee Morning in the Narthex

**Birthdays:**

17 Julie SMITH

22 Val WILKINSON

**Year's Mind:**

17 Jackie ALLEN 2016

**FUTURE DIARY DATES:**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June at the Old Deanery  
Community Sponsorship of Refugees**

A free half-day event to hear about this work - one Syrian family has been settled in Ottery St Mary - will take place on Wednesday, 20th June at The Old Deanery, Exeter, opposite the Cathedral, from 10am - 12..30. Registration from 9.30am.

This meeting, organised by the diocese, is open to all, and MU is hoping that some members will be able to go along.

More information on the MU notice board.

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Choral Evensong at St Paul's  
6.30pm – All welcome**

Led by Andrew Millington, Stephen Tanner and The Heritage Singers

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July – Mothers' Union in the Chapel**

2.30pm Speaker: John Vinton – Refugees + Asylum Seekers

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Messy Church**

From 3.45pm in the Mackarness Hall

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Celebrate Together**

In the Narthex from 3pm.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE** - General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) came into effect on 25 May 2018 and in order that St Paul's can comply with these Data Protection Regulations we need signed consent from everyone who we hold contact details for (this includes name, address, telephone number(s) and email) so that we can continue to hold the information and contact you about matters relating to the church. Please speak to Mollie and pick up a form to complete and return to the Parish Office as soon as possible. Without it we will not be legally able to contact you on any church related matters!!

**Family News**

The funeral of June WATTS, who had been a regular 8am communicant before needing residential care, will be on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at 12.15pm at the East Devon Crematorium in Whimple.



**WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF  
ST. PAUL HONITON**

*The Honiton Mission Community seeks to communicate God's love and to reach out to others by encouraging people through pastoral care, participation and worship.*

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

**Trinity 3**

**Worship Today**

08.00 – Holy Communion  
09.30 – Third Sunday Eucharist

Introit – 152  
Gradual – 535  
Offertory – 141  
Communion – 529  
Post Communion – 160

Organist: James Wilkinson  
Reader: Gospel only  
Intercessions: Team  
Sidespersons:  
Coffee: John Williams and Joyce Cooper

*Children are always welcome at services.  
Activity bags are available on request from Sidespeople.*

***Please stay to enjoy coffee and meet others.***

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MAKING A CONTRIBUTION TO THE COLLECTION**

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### Collect

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.**

### READING 2 Corinthians 5: 14-17

14 The love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. 15 And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. 16 From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. 17 So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

### GOSPEL Mark 4: 26-34

Such a large crowd gathered around Jesus that he got into a boat and began to teach them using many parables. 26 Jesus said, 'The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, 27 and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. 28 The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. 29 But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.' 30 Jesus also said, 'With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? 31 It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; 32 yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches,

so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.' 33 With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; 34 he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

### Post Communion

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

### Intercessions

- 17<sup>th</sup> Lay worship leaders and assistants
- 18<sup>th</sup> Dementia Friends and those with dementia
- 19<sup>th</sup> Youth Group, Children's activities and events
- 20<sup>th</sup> Messy Church, School Assemblies and Services
- 21<sup>st</sup> Children in the Mission Community
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Personal relationships
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Those discerning vocations, lay and ordained

### Our worship next week – Trinity 4

- 08.00 Holy Communion
- 09.30 Parish Eucharist
- 18.30 Evensong with Heritage Singers at St Paul's

### Readings next week – Trinity 4

- 2 Corinthians 5: 6-10
- Mark 4: 26-34
- Psalm 20

**The Psalm below is printed for your convenience and use in personal devotions during the coming week.**

### Psalm 20

- 1 The Lord answer you in the day of trouble! The name of the God of Jacob protect you!
- 2 May he send you help from the sanctuary, and give you support from Zion.
- 3 May he remember all your offerings, and regard with favor your burnt sacrifices. (Selah)
- 4 May he grant you your heart's desire, and fulfill all your plans.
- 5 May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of our God set up our banners. May the Lord fulfill all your petitions.
- 6 Now I know that the Lord will help his anointed; he will answer him from his holy heaven with mighty victories by his right hand.
- 7 Some take pride in chariots, and some in horses, but our pride is in the name of the Lord our God.
- 8 They will collapse and fall, but we shall rise and stand upright.
- 9 Give victory to the king, O Lord; answer us when we call.