

## What's on week commencing 30th September 2018

Tue	02 Oct	7.00pm	Bishops Certificates	Worcester Cathedral
Tue	02 Oct	8.00pm	Orchard House, Cell Group	2 Greenscroft Way, Inkberrow
Wed	03 Oct	10.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
Wed	03 Oct	7.30pm	St Paul's MM Meeting	St Pauls Church, Cookhill
Thurs	04 Oct	9.00am	Admin Meeting	The Vicarage, Inkberrow
Thurs	04 Oct	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Paul's Church, Cookhill
Sat	06 Oct	8.30am	Prayer Support Meeting	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
Sat	06 Oct	1.00pm	Harvest Lunch	St Paul's Church, Cookhill
Sun	30 Oct	11.00am	Junior Church	St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow



### HARVEST LUNCH AT ST PAUL'S CHURCH, COOKHILL

Saturday 6th October 2018, 1pm. Tickets £8, Please contact Shirley Wright for more information or email [admin@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk](mailto:admin@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk)



**PIANO RECITAL** by Jude Wynter 28th October 2018, St Peter's Church, 5pm. Programme to include Chopin, Haydn, Rachmaninov, Ravel and Barber. Retiring collection

**Carols by Candlelight Choir:** It's the time of year when my thoughts turn to several 'c' words, carols, candlelight and choir are just a few. If you enjoy singing why not join the CbC choir. All voices are welcome and the ability to read music is not essential. **Rehearsals start on Tues 6th Nov at 7:45pm in St Peter's church.**

For more info contact: Brian Telford, 01386 870858 [btelford26@gmail.com](mailto:btelford26@gmail.com).

**Festival of Healing & Wholeness 2018.** 10am – 4.30pm, Worcester Cathedral, **20th October 2018.** Guest speaker Arianna Walker CEO of Mercy UK. Cost £10. Book via [peteandsue@gmail.com](mailto:peteandsue@gmail.com) or 01905 23096. Bring a packed lunch.

**Shoe box Appeal.** St Paul's Church are again promoting this charity. Leaflets available from the church or on line at [www.teams4u.com](http://www.teams4u.com). Each box will be given to a vulnerable child or family in Eastern Europe. Please return to St Paul's by 4<sup>th</sup> November.

## Are you interested in becoming our Diocesan Representative?

If so, please contact Rev'd Bruce for further information. 01386 79222.

### SERVICES for Sunday 7th October 2018, 19th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's, Inkberrow
9.30am	Family Communion	St Paul's, Cookhill
	<i>With Healing Prayers &amp; Anointing</i>	
9.30am	Traditional Holy Communion	St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow
11.00am	Informal Worship	St Peter's, Inkberrow
11.00am	Morning Praise	St James's, Kington

### CHURCH CONTACTS: [www.cofe-inkberrow.org.uk](http://www.cofe-inkberrow.org.uk).

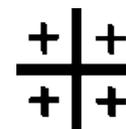
**Vicar:** Rev'd Bruce Rienstra, The Vicarage, High Street, Inkberrow. WR7 4DU, 01386 792222, **New email: [vicar@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk](mailto:vicar@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk)**. (Day off Friday);

**Associate Priest:** Rev'd Diane Hayward-Wright, 1 Church Drive, Cookhill, 01527 892727 [diane@haywardwright.co.uk](mailto:diane@haywardwright.co.uk) (Day off Monday);

**Benefice Administrator** (Part-time) Maria Lazenbury, 01386 793747, [admin@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk](mailto:admin@cofe-inkberrow.org.uk)

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with **DORMSTON**

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Newsheet for  
**30th September 2018,**  
**18th Sunday after Trinity,**  
**(Harvest #2)**

**Mission Statement ....** A welcoming church, community centred on the unconditional love of Jesus. Vibrant and growing; Serving and nurturing; Encountering God and transforming lives.



### SERVICES for Sunday 30th September 2018, 18th Sunday after Trinity (Harvest #2)

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's, Inkberrow
9.30am	Family Communion	St Paul's, Cookhill
10.30am	Harvest Festival	St Peter's, Inkberrow
11.00am	Joint Harvest Festival	Kington & Dormston Village Hall

### Collect for 18th Sunday after Trinity

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**

### Post Communion for 18th Sunday after Trinity

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.

**Amen**

### Today's Readings

#### James 5.13-20

<sup>13</sup>Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. <sup>14</sup>Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup>The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. <sup>16</sup>Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. <sup>17</sup>Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. <sup>18</sup>Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. <sup>19</sup>My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, <sup>20</sup>you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

### **Mark 9.38-50**

<sup>38</sup>John said to Jesus, 'Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' <sup>39</sup>But Jesus said, 'Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterwards to speak evil of me. <sup>40</sup>Whoever is not against us is for us. <sup>41</sup>For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward.

<sup>42</sup>If any of you put a stumbling-block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. <sup>43</sup>If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. <sup>45</sup>And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. <sup>47</sup>And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, <sup>48</sup>where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched.

<sup>49</sup>For everyone will be salted with fire. <sup>50</sup>Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another.'

### **Matthew 6.25-33 (for Harvest #2 at St Peter's, Inkberrow)**

Jesus said to his disciples: <sup>25</sup>'Do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup>Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup>And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? <sup>28</sup>And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup>yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. <sup>30</sup>But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you - you of little faith? <sup>31</sup>Therefore do not worry, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear?" <sup>32</sup>For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. <sup>33</sup>But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.'



**"Grill A Bishop"** Please come along and "grill" Robert Patterson who will be pulling some pints in The Coach & Horses, Harvington on **20th October 2018 from 7.30pm.**

Donations welcomed of any odd balls of wool you may have spare, or knitting to support the Blythswood Christmas Campaign. Please leave in the box at the back of the church. [www.blythswood.org/about-us](http://www.blythswood.org/about-us)

**And** toys, books and puzzles for the children aged 0-15 for the Birmingham City Mission, "Toys for Christmas appeal" [www.birminghamcitymission.org.uk](http://www.birminghamcitymission.org.uk)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR: Those bereaved of:** Margaret Fowler;

**Those who are in special need:** Peter Evans; Tim Beddall; Sandy Carruthers; Cherry & Terry Thomas; Sylvia; Malcolm; Oliver Mears; John; Barry Brookes; Joanne Hadley-king; Michael: Thomas Jones and family;

#### **Prayer Focus:**

- We pray for Tom Jones and his family as they wait for news. We pray that he may be found safe.;
- We pray for incompetent government wherever it may be found. We pray that competent leaders come forward and are recognised and that those who are flawed will be kept from power. We pray that those in power use the abilities they have for the benefit of the countries they lead. We also pray for close international cooperation. We pray that the leaders of the nations recognise that it is only by working together that the world's problems can be solved.;
- We pray for all visitors to our churches. We pray that they may find something which touches them, whether it is simply a moment of quiet or perhaps something more. All are welcome to any of our churches in Inkberrow, Cookhill, Kington and Dormston.
- Bromsgrove Deanery – Rural Dean: Paul Lawlor; Lay Chair: David Hargreaves;
- The Church of the Province of Uganda: Archbishop Stanley Ntagali;
- Diocese of Swansea and Brecon (Wales): Bishop John Davies;
- Diocese of Leicester: Bishop Martyn Snow with Bishop Guli Francis-Dehqani (Loughborough);
- Deanery Pastoral Committee (our own parish reps. Janice Swan);
- For those who live and work in Edgioake & Bouts Lane;

**Banns of Marriage:** On **30th September 2018** we publish the banns of marriage between **Olivia Jayne Tullett and Jamie Terry Ford of St Peter's Inkberrow** to be married on 3rd November 2018 at **St John The Baptist, Aston Cantlow**. This is for the **third time** of asking. If any of you know of any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it. (T).

#### **Daily Bible Readings W/C 30 September 2018**

Date	Psalm	1st Reading	2nd Reading
Sun 30 Sept, <b>18th after Trinity</b>	120	Exodus 24	Matthew 9.1-8
Mon 1 Oct,	80	2 Kings 5	Acts 26.1-23
Tues 2 Oct	89.1-18	2 Kings 6.1-23	Acts 26.24-end
Wed 3 Oct	119.105-128	2 Kings 9.1-16	Acts 27.1-26
Thurs 4 Oct, Francis of Assisi, friar, deacon	92	2 Kings 9.17-end	Acts 27.27-end
Fri 5 Oct	88	2 Kings 12.1-19	Acts 28.1-16
Sat 6 Oct, William Tyndale, translator, martyr	97	2 Kings 17.1-23	Acts 28.17-end