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Sunday 27th October 2024 (Trinity 22)

10:30 Morning Service
(Including children's activities)
Heb 7:23-end
Mark 10:46-end

Our prayer team will be available each Sunday after the morning service if you would like somebody to pray with you or for you.



17:00 BCP Evening Service
Heb 7:23-end
Mark 10:46-end

Prayer of the Week

The prayer calendar is on the back page... don't miss it!

Merciful God,
teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty,
that trusting in your word
and obeying your will
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord.



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A Word from Revd Claire



When was the last time you went to a new Church? By new I mean one where you don't know anyone and haven't been before so don't know what to expect. Perhaps it was over the summer while on holiday, maybe you joined the local church for their Sunday worship.

We often talk about being welcoming, but familiarity doesn't help us see our own practices in the eyes of a visitor. What makes a church welcoming? Maybe a better question is what practices or actions are not welcoming!

At PCC last week, we discussed starting the welcoming team up again. We also discussed having refreshments both spiritual and physical before our services as well as after.

I love these ideas and would like to introduce them from the start of next month. But it needs your support to work! If you are interested in being involved, whether you are on the refreshment or prayer team currently or not, please do get in touch. As with all new things, we will do it for a trail period first and then review it.

With every blessing for your week ahead. Revd Claire.

This Week

Su	27/10		160th Anniversary Celebration Lunch (Church)
Mo	28/10	19:00	NO Home Group – Pippa
Tu	29/10	19:00	Home Group – Geoff
Tu	28/10	20:00	NO Home Group – Steve & Rachel
Th	31/10	14:00	Baby Ark (Church)
Th	31/10	14:00	Place of Welcome
Fr	01/11	11:00	MST Meeting (Vicarage)
Su	03/11	10:30	Morning Service (Church)

Dates For Your Diary

Su	27/10	12:30	160th Anniversary Celebration Lunch (Church)
We	06/11	14:00	Midweek Communion (Church)
We	13/11	14:00	Midweek Communion (Church)
We	20/11	14:00	Midweek Communion (Church)
We	27/11	14:00	Midweek Communion (Church)
We	04/12	15:00	Advent Group (Church)

Noticeboard

Amington Parish Book Club

During November, the Book Club will be reading 'Women of the Nativity: An Advent and Christmas Journey in Nine Stories'. (ISBN number is 978-1781404607 and is available on Amazon as well as from other stockists).

They will then meet in early December.

If you are interested in joining the group please contact Rev Claire by email Revclaire@amington.church to sign up!

A reminder

Don't forget that the clocks go back one hour at 2am on 27th October.

Sarah Paine, Atulya

There is a new newsletter from Sarah at the back of the church if you would like to take one to read.

Advent Group

In the first three Wednesday of Advent, which are 4th, 11th and 18th of December there will be an Advent group in Church after the Communion Service, starting at 3pm for an hour. Rev Claire will be leading it and it will be a discussion-based group, encouraging us to really thinking about the words we sing. We will look at be some traditional Advent Carols and some worship songs to help us prepare for our Christmas celebration and to reflect upon the words we sing and what they mean to us.

160th ANNIVERSARY

You are invited to join with us for a celebration lunch to mark the 160th anniversary of our lovely church on the nearest Sunday which is 27th October after the morning service.

There will be no set charge for the lunch but donations will be appreciated.

A list will be at the back of church for you to sign up as we need numbers for the catering.
Iris Morris

PCC News

A mid-week Holy Communion Service will start from Wednesday 6th November at 2pm. It will be a simple said Service ideal for a mid- week moment of calm spiritual refreshment. Please tell your friends and neighbours!

For your Prayers

Please pray for:

- † All those recently bereaved, especially the family and friends of the late Eric Lakin, Donald Chiles, Eric Simmonds and Sylvia Archer
- † TCHA: for the welfare of staff and residents
- † Rough sleepers, and those who are isolated
- † Political leaders, for wise decisions
- † Christians who face persecution throughout the world
- † The Ministry and Outreach of our Church
- † All those on both sides of conflicts in this world and that sense will prevail

Prayer Calendar

Even if you do not know someone you can still ask God to bless them by name!

SUN	27/10	Alex Robbins, Joyce Madeley, Vicky Moss	Prayer Meetings Spruce
MON	28/10	Carol Chadwick, Joyce Moore, Wendy Ruff	Couples getting Married St Andrews
TUE	29/10	Deanery Churches	Coleshill & Polesworth Deanery St Georges Way
WED	30/10	Archdeacon Jenny	Church of England Birmingham St Marys Way
THU	31/10	Archbishops Justin and Stephen	Malawi and Bolivia Links Stonehaven
FRI	01/11	Alan & Joan Dewhurst, Helen Slim, Judith Walker	Ministry Support Team Stretton Close
SAT	02/11	Allan & Anne Baldwin, Julia Pinner	Local Health, Police & Fire Services Sunningdale
SUN	03/11	Catriona Paton, Irene Davies, Kath Hastilow	Evangelism & Outreach Talland Avenue