



& ST MARK'S NETHER KELLET



## **The Link**

Sunday, 3rd July, 2022

**Third Sunday After Trinity**

St Mark's 9am - Holy Communion  
Holy Trinity 10.30am - Holy Communion

## **Hymns**

**765** - Praise to the Lord, the almighty, the King of creation

**800** - The Lord's my Shepherd

**506** - The Church's one foundation (omit verse 3)

**510** - Will you come and follow me?

## **COLLECT:**

God our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**All: Amen.**

## **LECTIONARY READING:**

Today's reading is from **Paul's Letters to the Galatians.**

Galatians 6. 1-16

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbour's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## **GOSPEL:**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **Luke.**

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**All: Glory to you, O lord.**

Luke 10.1-11,16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

'Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.'

The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, O Christ.**

**PRAYERS:**

We pray for our communities and in particular those who live on: Church Court, Clarksfield Road and Claylands Drive.

We joyfully pray for Charlie and Nora Guillam, who are to be Christened today, and for their parents and family. We also wholeheartedly pray for Meredith Joy Hamborg, who is to be Christened next Sunday, 10th July, and for her parents Peter and Louisa.

We pray for those who are sick or in need: Stephen, Jean Wilson, John, Olwyn, Albi, Ian, Fernando, Peter, Caroline, Nichola, Mike, Anne Deacon, Sr Michaela at Hying, Lillian Wright, Hazel Cooper, Rod, Peter Hilling and Annette.

From our book of remembrance, we remember in prayer: Irene Topham, Elizabeth Esme Rambottom, Albert Leslie Thomas, Bill Aldren, Alice Isabella

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Whiteside, Marjorie Marian Broughton, Frank Westran, Calum Alexander Lawrie, Betty Dixon, Rita Green, Jack Sanderson, and Janice Margaret Anagnostou.

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER:**

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 with fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**All: Amen**



**Notices and Announcements:**



We look forward to **baptising Meredith Joy Hamborg within our 10.30am service next Sunday, 10th July**. Bishop Cyril Ashton will be preaching, and conducting the baptism.

Should anyone wish to have **flowers in church** in memory of loved ones, there is a new list and contact details at the back of church.



**Our Upcoming Services and Events:**



**Sunday, 3rd July, 12.15pm:** Christening of Charlie and Nora Guillam



**Tuesday, 5th July, 1.30pm:** First Tuesday Hub, Holy Trinity.

**Wednesday, 6th July:** Mothers' Union Coffee after Morning Church, Holy Trinity.



**Saturday, 9th July, 9am:** Men's Breakfast, Holy Trinity.

**Sunday, 10th July, 9.15am:** Second Sunday Service, Holy Trinity.



**Sunday, 10th July, 10.30am:** Christening of Meridith Joy Hamborg.