

Coming Up This Week:

Sunday 12th June (Trinity Sunday)

10am: Eucharist with Facebook livestream

Monday 13th June

11.30-1.30pm: Open Church

4.15pm: STPC Evening Prayer—contact Malcolm for more details

Tuesday 14th June

9.30am: Morning Prayer

6.30pm: Zoom Meditation

Group. Contact Lucy for details:

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Wednesday 15th June

10am: Eucharist

Thursday 16th June

9.30am: Morning Prayer

11-2pm: Good Things Café

Sunday 19th June (Corpus Christi)

10am: Eucharist with Facebook

livestream

Birthdays This Week:

★ Rev. Cat Connolly (13th)

Many happy returns from all at St. Thomas!



Please Pray For:

Rosemary, Jenny, Andrew, Margaret, Natacha, Samantha, Theresa, Gloria, Angela, Helen, Pat, Eddie, Andrew C., Betty, Muriel M., Linda, Nigel, Myrtle, Joan, Cathy, Elizabeth, Victoria, Tina, Meghan and Eleanor, Siouxsie

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St. Thomas the Apostle & Martyr, Ipswich

12th June 2022—Trinity Sunday

Collect:

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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.

Psalm 8

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?

Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned

them with glory and honour.

You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet, all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

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A reading from the Book of Proverbs (8.1-4, 22-31)

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?
On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;
beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she
cries out:

'To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of
long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the
earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were
no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been
shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—
when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil.
When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on
the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he
established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its
limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he
marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a
master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always,
rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John (16.12-15)

'I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them
now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth;
for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he
will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because
he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is
mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to
you.

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

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and
Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in

this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in
your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.
Amen.



NOTICES

Return of the Chalice: we will be bringing
back the Chalice at the feast of Corpus
Christi, which we are celebrating on 19th
June.

Patronal Festival: mark the date—Sunday
3rd July is our patronal festival! There will be a BBQ after the service. This
is the day when we celebrate our wondrous community life!

The Summer Fayre will be on 9th July, please talk to Mary or Alison
about running a stall.

Charity Donations: As in previous years we will be donating 2% of our
last year's total PCC income (£1,200) to a mix of local, national and
international charities as nominated by members of the congregation. If
you would like to nominate one or more charities
please tell Lucy Drake by the end of June, contact
details on next page.



Admin Job: Thanks to all those who have declared
an interest in the admin role, we will be holding
informal interviews and a job description will be
coming out.

Minutes of PCC Meeting: these are up on the notice board by the door.

Good Things Café: every Thursday between 11am and 2pm in Church.

