

THIS WEEK

Sunday 13th June 2021

From small beginnings, and by God's power, the Kingdom of heaven grows.

8.30am BCP Communion in church, not zoomed.

10am Holy Communion on zoom and in church, and Junior Church meet outside

Readings

2 Corinthians 5: 6-17; Mark 4: 26-34

Join using the button on the website

Registering for the 10am service in the church building: Please email Mandy or Edmund if you wish to attend church in person, or if you wish to attend Junior church outside in the churchyard. Until restrictions ease, we're capping in person attendance at 30 persons.

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 20th June 2021

What kind of person is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him

10am Third Sunday Service on Zoom only

Readings

2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4: 35-41

6.30pm BCP Evening Prayer in church and Zoomed

Readings

Psalms 49; Jeremiah 10: 1-16; Romans 11: 25-36

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WELCOME

Please do visit our website www.trumpington.church for more details on the Sunday Services, and for resources to use at home.

Do keep an eye on the church website for a link to streamed services

The sermon will be posted on the website each week. Do email the Vicar if you want to receive a copy electronically, or in hard copy.

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Collect

Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

2 Corinthians 5.6-17

6 So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord— ⁷for we walk by faith, not by sight. ⁸Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. ⁹So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. ¹⁰For all of us must appear before the judgement seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

11 Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we try to persuade others; but we ourselves are well known to God, and I hope that we are also well known to your consciences. ¹²We are not commending ourselves to you again, but giving you an opportunity to boast about us, so that you may be able to answer those who boast in outward appearance and not in the heart. ¹³For if we are beside ourselves, it is for God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you.

¹⁴For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. ¹⁵And 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. ¹⁶From 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. ¹⁷So if anyone is in

Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Mark 4.26-34

26 He also said, 'The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, ²⁷and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. ²⁸The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. ²⁹But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.'

30 He also said, 'With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? ³¹It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; ³²yet 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; ³⁴he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

Post Communion Prayer

Loving Father,
we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:
sustain us with your Spirit,
that we may serve you here on earth
until our joy is complete in heaven,
and we share in the eternal banquet
with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

PRAYERS

This week we pray for children and young adults returning to school and college after the half-term break. We pray for all students sitting exams, their teachers and all who work in educational institutions.

Bless us, O Lord, in our teaching and learning. Give to enquiring minds wisdom and understanding. Inspire us all with the knowledge of your truth and may we delight in the world around us;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Please send other prayer requests to the Vicar)

CHURCH NEWS & NOTICES

(Please send any notices to the Church Office by 9am Tuesday)

Diana's Farewell

Following Rev'd Diana's last service and farewell on 6th June, we have received a very nice card from her addressed to all those who gave so generously towards her leaving gift (including "Anon"). The card will be available in church this Sunday for all to see. She plans to buy a freezer and a microwave

Date for the Diary: July 4th at 10.30am

Our new Pioneer Curate, Stephen Dove, will be ordained Deacon on Sunday July 4th at 10.30am. The cathedral has allocated a total of 5 guests to each Deacon. Because of this, the congregation of St. Mary and St. Michael's are invited to attend on zoom. The link will be published as soon as it is available.

Junior Church

From June onwards there will be Junior Church in person. This will take place on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. There will be two groups; one for children aged 7 and under, and one for children aged 8 and over. Junior Church will be held in the Bakehouse and outside under the gazebo. Please come dressed warmly and bring waterproofs as we brave the British summer. We look forward to seeing you.

M&M's

A youth group for children in year 7 and upwards, meeting on Sunday 13th of June on Trumpington Meadows at 3pm with an approximate end time of 4.30pm.

Filming

Please note that our Zoom services may capture the image of participants at the service. If you have any objections please speak to the Churchwarden or the Vicar.

Reading & Praying

If you would like to read the bible passage during services on Sundays, or if you would like to do the Prayers of Intercession, please can you contact the Churchwarden or the Vicar. We can talk you through what is involved. It would be great to have some more volunteers for these roles.

From June 13th

If you would like to attend the 10am service in person, in church, please email Edmund or Mandy.

We are capping the numbers at 30 adults, plus children who may attend with adults.

If you are an adult accompanying a child in Junior Church, but would like to come into the church service, please email to let us know because of the cap. If you intend to stay outside during the service, you don't need to email us.

COMMUNITY NEWS & NOTICES

Trumpington Meadows Nature Reserve

We are starting events up again at Trumpington Meadows nature reserve!

11th June – Wildlife Wader with ranger Iain Webb and me, Becky. We'll be particularly looking at the wildflowers growing on the reserve, the butterflies and bees and birds. Iain is a wealth of info on all types of local wildlife, conservation and more, his walks are extremely popular. This is our first event after the lockdown so we'd like it to be a good one!

<https://www.wildlifebcn.org/events/wildlife-wander-trumpington-meadows>

19th June – Summer solstice with Claire Thompson. Claire is an acclaimed author and mindfulness provider. Join her for this afternoon and evening event where she will be leading you through mindfulness meditation, games, discussions, wildlife wanders, culminating around the fire (small, sanctioned firepit!) Claire likes to keep her groups small and therefore tickets are limited

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Trumpington Clothes Hub

You might have noticed a blue plastic box in the Bakehouse porch? This has been placed there by the *Trumpington Clothes Hub* who are collecting good quality children's clothes for redistribution to Trumpington families. If you have any good quality children's clothes that you want to donate, please do put them in the box. A leaflet to explain more about this initiative is on the way!

Mailchimp

If you would like to be signed up to our Church and community newsletter, this is the link to use:

trumpington.church/newsletter

Or, if this is not possible and you would like to join, please can you give Mandy your consent by email, using the email address that you would like the electronic letter to be sent to. Thank you.

Daily Hope

A free national phonenumber Daily Hope, is now available for people who do not have access to the internet. The line will be available 24 hours a day on:
0800 804 8044

Options include Prayer During the Day and Night Prayer, and a recording of the Church of England's weekly national online