

NOTICES

HELP NEEDED

Great WACT Family Fun Day—29th August – At least 65 children and 80 adults, probably more came, to the Family Fun Day in Dilton Marsh. Thank you to everyone who helped. The Oldfield Park Fun Day will be on Wednesday 29th August. We need help to collect things, set up tents etc. Meet on the green at 11am, between houses 17 and 52, Oldfield Park. Help to take down tents and return equipment from 4pm. Also homemade cakes will be gratefully received! If wet, meet at Methodist Church. For more information please contact Sharon Jones 01373 865314.

The Ride and Stride annual event will take place on Saturday 8th September 2018. Volunteers are needed to church- sit during the day from 9.00am – 6.00pm. Duties include welcoming the riders and striders, signing their sponsor form, offering refreshments and the use of the WC if needed. If you can help with this for an hour or more please indicate on the form by the door of the church or see or phone Agnes Tel. 01373 859163 or Daphne Blake Tel 01373 858434. Thank you very much.

Hilary Price will be doing the Bath Moonlight Walk on September 15th in aid of Dorothy House. If anyone would like to sponsor her she would be very grateful.

Dates for your Diary

1st September—**Tabletop sale**, Fairtrade stall, Meet the Village coffee morning, Holy Trinity Church, 10am-noon

7th September—**Fully Alive** resumes after its summer break at Crosspoint 2-4pm

8th September—**Upcycled Chair Expo and Chair Auction** at Holy Trinity Church.. Expo opens 10 am Auction starts 2pm.

13th October—**Jumble Sale** at Holy Trinity Church

Don't forget if you want everyone to know about future events that are being held in the White Horse Team Churches let the Team office know so they can be included on the pew sheet

Warminster & District Food Bank. Donations of

- cereals,
- Instant mashed or tinned potatoes
- tinned milk pudding

Please take items to All Saints' Church, Holy Trinity Church Or DIRECTLY TO Crosspoint.

Exploring the Bible Group, are taking a summer break. Meetings will resume in September.

Westbury Prayer Network. Telephone requests in confidence to Lynette Weekley (858361).

Dilton Marsh Prayer Group. Telephone requests in confidence to Bridget on 823594 or email holytrinityprayers@virginmdia.com.

Children's Society Boxes.

All Saints & Holy Saviour— Please leave boxes with sides people or given them to me, DO NOT leave them unattended in church. If you have difficulty I can collect. Thank you Bill Clark 822892

100 Club

All Saints and Holy Saviour 100 club subscriptions are now due: £15 pa Please contact Brian Osborne. All cheques to be made payable to Westbury PCC please

SITUATIONS VACANT

The following situations are still vacant. Please consider if you are able to help :- PCC Secretary for the Parish of Westbury. Sacristan, All Saints' Westbury. Crucifer, All Saints' Westbury.

All roles are subject to Safer Recruitment procedures. For an informal discussion, role descriptions and other information, please talk to Rhona on 013873 822209 or email TeamRector@whtministry.org.uk.

Worship next Sunday

8.00am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.30am	Parish Communion—A/S
10.00am	Morning Praise— H/T
11.00am	Holy Communion—H/S
6.00pm	Evensong—A/S
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

Key: A/S - All Saints, Westbury	B /N - All Saints, Brokerswood
H/S - Holy Saviour, Westbury Leigh	H/T - Holy Trinity, Dilton Marsh
WPH - Westbury Parish Hall	Mem - Memorial Hall, Dilton Marsh
M/C - Methodist Church, Westbury	URC - United Reformed church,



WHITE HORSE TEAM MINISTRY

Notices for the week:

26th August —1st September 2018

Welcome to Worship

There is some provision for children at each of our churches, please feel free to make use of the facilities provided.

8.00am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.30am	All Age Communion—A/S
10.00am	Holy Communion—H/T
11.00am	Holy Communion—H/S
12noon	Holy Baptism—A/S Brokerswood
6.00pm	Evensong Methodist led— A/S
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

Tuesday:

9.30am	Morning Prayer—A/S
12.30pm	Funeral—Codie Hughes—H/T
2.30pm	Town Prayers— Methodist Church

Wednesday:

10.30am	Holy Communion – A/S
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Please pray for Wilfred James Campbell who will be baptised at All Saints' Church, Brokerswood this Sunday.

There are a number of large print hymn books and service books available at all churches. If you would benefit from using one please ask the sides-people.

Offertory cards are available now in each of the churches. You are invited to place one in the collection plate during the service if you are giving by other means but wish to be included in the offertory.

NOTICES FOR PEWSHEET MUST BE EMAILED OR SUBMITTED TO OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY 2PM FOR INCLUSION THAT WEEK.
office@whtministry.org.uk
The office is open on Monday and Friday 1.30- 4.00pm .

Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity — 26th August 2018

Collect

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Reading: Ephesians 6. 10-20

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

Gospel: John 6. 56-69

Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever." He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

When many of his disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before?"

It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father."

Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

Bible study

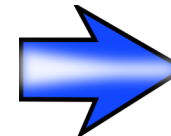
Find a partner this week to explore these questions



This should be something that "shines" from the passage—whatever impacts most, or draws attention.



Anything that is difficult to understand in the text, or a question that you would like to ask the writer, or the Lord.



Is there a personal application that relates to your life, your friendships, your relationships?



Think of a friend or colleague who might benefit from you sharing this story or bible study, or the things you have learned, and go share it this week.

**All readings are taken from NRSV
Readings for next week**

Reading : James 1.17–27

Gospel : Mark 7.1-8, 14-15, 21-23