Next week

Aspire -fundraiser-bake sale & tombola

The Aspire Youth Group have felt moved to fundraise for a local project which provides comfort bags for chemotherapy patients at the Lister Hospital. Next week there will be a bake sale and a tombola in the Church Hall between the 9:30 and 11:15 services (cash or card payments accepted). Please put donations for the tombola such as drinks, chocolates or sweets, biscuits, stationery, candles, toiletries, etc in a box labelled 'fundraiser' at the back of the church.

Dragons

Next week Dragons meet at 9:15am in the Church Hall.
Come along for crafts, songs and a story, to learn more about
John the Baptist. For families with children up to year 6.

Next week Coffee will be served in the Church hall between the 9:15 and 11:15 services.



Today - Aspire Youth Group

The Aspire youth group, for 10-14 year-olds, is meeting this afternoon in the church hall 3 - 5pm Contact Angie Caldwell - amcaldwell@yahoo.com

Wednesday Mornings:

10.00 am Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel 10.00—11.30 am Norton Coffee Shop in the Clulow Room

Next week's readings for Bible Sunday are Isaiah 55:1-11, Psalm 19:7-14 & John 5:36 - 47. Our preacher will be Keith Taylor.

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Rev Eugene Hanshaw's day off is Monday.

Please submit notices by **Wednesday** for inclusion in the next pew sheet .





Trinity 21 Sunday 20th October 2024 9:30am



HYMNS (NEH)

Entrance 334 All people that on earth do dwell

Offertory 159 I bind unto myself today

Communion 297 Lord Jesus Christ

Final 467 Through all the changing scenes of life

Reading

Hebrews 5:1-10

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honour, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.'

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Gospel Mark 10:35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, 'Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you.' And he said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' And they said to him, 'Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory.' But Jesus said to them, 'You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?' They replied, 'We are able.' Then Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared.'

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, 'You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.'

All Souls Service - 3rd November

Our All Souls service is at St George's on Sunday 3rd November at 3pm. At this service we remember loved ones who are no longer with us. If you have someone you would like remembered, please add their name to the list at the back of church.

Messy Church

The next Messy Church is on 31st October, 10am - 12.30pm, at Norton Methodist Church, North Avenue. Our theme is Jesus our

Hero. There will be crafts, followed by a free meal. Children need to be accompanied by an adult. To register email messychurchnorton@btinternet.com. We hope you will join us.

Foodbank

Thank you for those who give to the foodbank.

This month they have a special need for the following:

Sponge Puddings Sanitary towels Dog food Women's deodorant roll on & aerosol Washing liquid Carrier bags Bags for life Jam

Prayer Meeting

This month's prayer meeting is in the Lady Chapel at 7pm on 30th October. Our theme is God's Kingdom. Come along and join together to pray with our great God.



Daily Bible Reading booklets

There are a variety of Bible readings booklets available for you in church or to order if you would like to.

The **Bible Reading Fellowship** booklet can be ordered, at a small cost, through Martin and Christine Walker. There is a shorter version as well as an in-depth one, and large print booklets are also available. To find out more please <u>speak to Martin or Christine</u>.

UCB Quarterly 'Word for Today' booklets can be found at the back of the church, as well as the 30 day 'Word for Today Just For You' booklet which is for those interested in or new to faith. Both of these are free, so please help yourself.

Games Night

On Saturday 16th November in the Church Hall at 5:45pm for 6pm start there will be a fun Games night: Easy to play table games in changing groups of 4 followed by a jacket potato supper. £6 adult, £3.50 child for a great evening's entertainment. Tea, Coffee and squash provided or bring your own drinks. A Raffle will also be available.

Sign up at the back of the church to book your place.