This week's services

Sunday 16th June

9.00am, Holy Communion, BCP, Leafield 10.30am, Holy Communion, CW, Finstock 6.00pm, Evensong, Ramsden



Sunday 23rd June

10.30am, Holy Communion, CW, Leafield Benefice Service
6.00pm, Healing Service, Ramsden With guest speaker
Canon Dr Joanna Collicutt





Healing Service



St James' Church, Ramsden Sunday 23rd June at 6:00pm

Guest Speaker: Canon Dr Joanna Collicutt

Diocesan advisor for the Spiritual Care for Older People

Joanna is a chartered clinical psychologist and specialist neuropsychologist. After many years working in the health service, Joanna moved into the field of psychology of religion. During the Healing Service, Joanna will talk about Alzheimer's and dementia diseases, and the wide range of concerns, expressed by many in the Benefice, associated with the care of loved ones.

We publish the banns of marriage (2) between:

Madison Rose Bancroft and Nicholas James Rikki Peedell To be married on 19th July 2019 at St Michael & All Angels, Leafield

If we as a Church can help in any way, please contact:

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PEW SHEET

Trinity Sunday

16th June 2019

Please take this pew sheet with you when you leave



A loop system for the hard of hearing is fitted in all our churches

(with the exception of St Peter's, Wilcote)

Benefice website: http://www.forestedgebenefice.co.uk

The 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.

First Reading Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31

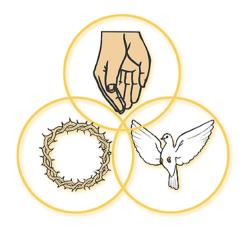
Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: 'To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live. The Lord created me 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.

Second Reading Romans 5: 1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Gospel Reading 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.



The warmth of the sun's embrace,
the gentle breeze swept in by incoming tide,
the rhythm of seasons,
of new birth, death and recreation.
All these speak so clearly of your love,
your power and your beauty.
All are expressions of your creativity,
and more importantly of yourself.
As an artist might share his personality
within each brushstroke,
so within the myriad colours of a butterfly's wing
you share the exuberance of your love.



These Bible readings are designated for each day

Monday Romans 4: 1-12

Tuesday Romans 4: 13-end

Wednesday Romans 5: 1-11

Thursday 1 Corinthians 10: 1-17

Friday Romans 6: 1-14

Saturday Romans 6: 15-end

Please pray for the following throughout the week

Monday Those who are sick or grieving within our community.

Tuesday Those who are suffering in this country and around the world.

Wednesday The Queen and other leaders in this country. **Thursday** For the troubled areas around the world, we pray for peace and justice.

Friday For the ministry of the Forest Edge Benefice and for those who lead us.

Saturday For an abundance of love, peace, harmony and forgiveness to reign within families and relationships.

Please also pray for the Chipping Norton Deanery, and particularly this week.

St James, Over Norton.

Please pray for James Kennedy, David Salter,
Jackie Jones, Martha Simpson, Ursula Simpson
& Roger Simpson
and the Churchwardens Graham Povey
& Timothy Woolcock.

