

This week's services



Sunday 25th November

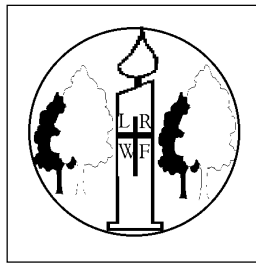
10.30am, Holy Communion, CW, Finstock
Benefice Service

Sunday 2nd December

9.00am, Holy Communion, BCP, Ramsden
10.30am, Holy Communion, CW, Leaffield
4:00pm Advent Carol Service, Finstock

Notices:

Wed 28th Nov 7.00pm	Ramsden PCC meeting	St James', Ramsden
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PEW SHEET

Christ the King
Sunday next before
Advent
25th November 2018

**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



Eternal Father, whose Son
Jesus Christ ascended to the
throne of heaven that he might
rule over all things as Lord and King: keep
the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in
the bond of peace, and bring the whole
created order to worship at his feet; who is
alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

First Reading

Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place,
and an Ancient One took his throne;
his clothing was white as snow, and the
hair of his head like pure wool; his throne
was fiery flames, and its wheels were
burning fire. A stream of fire issued and
flowed out from his presence. A thousand
thousand served him, and ten thousand
times ten thousand stood attending him.
The court sat in judgement, and the books
were opened. As I watched in the night
visions, I saw one like a human being
coming with the clouds of heaven. And he
came to the Ancient One and was
presented before him. To him was given
dominion and glory and kingship,
that all peoples, nations, and languages
should serve him. His dominion is an
everlasting dominion that shall not pass
away, and his kingship is one that shall
never be destroyed.

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SATURDAY 1ST DECEMBER 1^{PM} - 4^{PM}

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Trade crafts, produce, jewellery,
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Admission £2

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**The biggest covered
Christmas Market
in Oxfordshire**



**WIDE RANGE OF
FOOD STALLS**

Stall holders: contact 01993 868 744 or visit www.ramsdenvillage.co.uk

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

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Second Reading **Revelation 1: 4b-8**

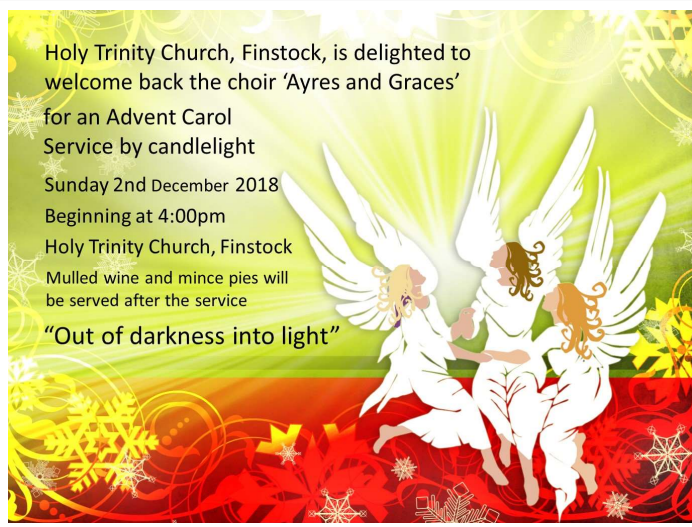
John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Gospel Reading **John 18: 33-37**

Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'



Holy Trinity Church, Finstock, is delighted to welcome back the choir 'Ayres and Graces' for an Advent Carol Service by candlelight
Sunday 2nd December 2018
Beginning at 4:00pm
Holy Trinity Church, Finstock
Mulled wine and mince pies will be served after the service
"Out of darkness into light"



BAPTISM

We welcome Freya Isla Harris brought for baptism today by her parents Stacey and Luke.

We hope all Freya's family and friends who have come to share in her special day enjoy the occasion.
10.30am, Finstock



These Bible readings are designated for each day

Monday	<i>Revelation 14: 1-13</i>
Tuesday	<i>Revelation 14: 14-end of 15</i>
Wednesday	<i>Revelation 16: 1-11</i>
Thursday	<i>Revelation 16: 12-end</i>
Friday	<i>John 12: 20-32</i>
Saturday	<i>Revelation 18</i>

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 Mary's, Charlbury.

Please pray for Sally Welch, Jan Fielden & Tish Bird and the Church Wardens

Dine Glasgow & Paddy Gallagher.



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