

Notices continued:

FOSM Lunch: This delicious lunch is happening on Thursday 11th July. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Everyone is welcome to come to this very sociable occasion, so do join us.

The Healing Team:

Two members of the Healing Group will be in our Space For Grace after the 9.30 service today for anyone to share their concerns, doubts, fears or worries or to say thank you. It is done in complete confidence.

The next meeting of the Knit and Stitch group is on Mon 30th July at 2.30pm in church. We were in Christmas mode last meeting with ideas being shared and wools handed out to willing knitters. Some material, glue and finished articles ideas were shared too. Lots to think about. Come and have a cuppa and share your ideas too. Geraldine or Mary 638897

What do we mean when we pray Thy Kingdom Come?

If you go onto our church website, look at the 'Quick Links' on the home page and click on this question you can listen to what Archbishop Justin Welby and Cardinal Vincent Nichols think.

The Food Bank:

Donations are badly needed and it is important that your contributions are well within their sell-by dates. The food from our bin in church is taken to the Salvation Army in Woodbridge who are always in need of donations and even have to buy in food in order to have enough to go round. I know we are always being asked to give to good causes, but if you can keep popping something in our bin it would be much appreciated, any non-perishable foods are very welcome. Thank you.

Wednesday 4th July – 10.30am Holy Communion in church.

Next Sunday: Sunday 8th July 8am Eucharist (BCP.)

9.30am Parish Communion (CW) and Junior Church.

Saxtead: 11.15am Holy Communion (BCP)

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The Fifth Sunday After Trinity July 1st 2018.

Today's Service:

Hymns:

Processional Hymn: 617 Praise and Thanksgiving

Gradual Hymn: 819 When I needed a neighbour

Offertory Hymn: 262 God's spirit is in my heart

Final Hymn: 273 Great is thy faithfulness

Collect:

Almighty God, send down upon your Church the riches of your Spirit, and kindle in all who minister the gospel your countless gifts of grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading: 2 Corinthians 8.7–15

7 You excel in everything – in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you – so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking. 8 I do not say this as a command, but I am testing the genuineness of your love against the earnestness of others. 9 For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich. 10 And in this matter I am giving my advice: it is appropriate for you who began last year not only to do something but even to desire to do something – 11 now finish doing it, so that your eagerness may be matched by completing it according to your means. 12 For if the eagerness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has – not according to what one does not have. 13 I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between 14 your present abundance and their need, so that their abundance may be for your need, in order that there may be a fair balance. 15 As it is written, 'The one who had much did not have too much, and the one who had little did not have too little.'

For the word of the Lord.

Response (ALL): **Thanks be to God**

Gradual Hymn: 819 When I needed a neighbour

GOSPEL: Mark 4.21-43

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Response (ALL): **Glory to you, O Lord.**

21 When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the lake. 22 Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, 23 fell at his feet and begged him repeatedly, 'My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live.' 24 So he went with him. And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. 25 Now there was a woman who had been suffering from haemorrhages for twelve years. 26 She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. 27 She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, 28 for she said, 'If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well.' 29 Immediately her haemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. 30 Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, 'Who touched my clothes?' 31 And his disciples said to him, 'You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, "Who touched me?"' 32 He looked all around to see who had done it. 33 But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. 34 He said to her, 'Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.' 35 While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, 'Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?' 36 But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, 'Do not fear, only believe.' 37 He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. 38 When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. 39 When he had entered, he said to them, 'Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.' 40 And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. 41 He took her by the hand and said to her, 'Talitha cum,' which means, 'Little girl, get up!' 42 And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were

overcome with amazement. 43 He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Response (ALL): **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Post Communion:

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please pray for: Stella Russell, Thelma Durrant, Patrick and Ena Lowin, Olwin Bridges and any who are unwell at this time.

Notices:

The East Anglian Academy is giving a concert today, Sunday 1st July, at The Gables, Fore Street, 3pm – 4pm, featuring 4 pupils from the primary school and 4 from the High School. It will be followed by tea and cakes and admission is free. An umbrella might be necessary for protection from the sun.

The Silent Prayer Group: You are welcome to join the Silent Prayer Group on Monday 2nd July at Framlingham College Chapel. A simple breakfast will be served from 8.45am prayers are from 9.15 – 10.00am. Any enquiries to Rayleen Finn 01728 723322, rayleenf@aol.com. There will be no Silent Prayer Group in August or September, so the next meeting will be on Monday 1st October.

Fair Trade Stall:

Steph will be here on Sunday 8th July with the Fair Trade stall after the 9.30am service. Please bring plenty of change and stock up on all your favourite items. Thank you.

This year's Deanery pilgrimage will be to Peterborough Cathedral on Thursday August 23rd, leaving the Townland Meadow, Sweffling at 8.00 a.m. and returning from Peterborough at 5.30 p.m. The cost will be £30 per person and there will be a service of Eucharist for those who wish to attend and a full tour of the cathedral. Other tours are available at extra cost on the day, viz. Tower tour and Rooftop tour each £10 adults, £8 concessions, Precincts and Deanery Garden tour, £8 adults, concessions £6. Book your place now with Sheila Tesh (01728 663518) money with booking please. If you would like to reserve a place in the cathedral refectory for lunch, also let Sheila know. The day is open to everyone; you do not have to be a church member to book a place.