

NEXT SUNDAY – 26 AUGUST 2018
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
ST CLEMENT'S CHURCH

8.00am Said Eucharist

ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH

11.00am Sung Eucharist & Baptism

ST PETROX CHURCH

6.30pm Choral Evensong

ST GEORGE'S CHURCH, DITTISHAM

9.15am Sung Eucharist

ROYAL AVENUE GARDENS

3.00pm Regatta Praise

Readings at the Sung Eucharist 26 August:

Joshua 24.1-2,14-18; Ephesians 6.10-20; John 6.56-59

NOTICES

Children are very welcome at all our services. There are children's resources in each of our churches. A sidesperson will be happy to help you. Please feel free to move around with children if they need a change of scene.

Please note there is no hearing loop system in St Saviour's Church.

Large print copies of the service booklets are available.

The toilet, which has full access and facilities for baby changing and the disabled, is located under the tower on the right hand side.

THURSDAYS AT ST CLEMENT'S

St Clement's is open every Thursday from 10.00am for 'Coffee and Chat' – light lunches available during autumn and winter.

All welcome.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE

Prayers for Peace are said in St Saviour's Church each Friday between 11.30am and midday. All are welcome.

BENEFICE OFFICE

The Benefice Office in St Saviour's is open on Saturday from 10.30-11.30am to arrange marriages and baptisms.

Tel: 01803 835540 Email: office@parishofdartmouth.co.uk

Keep up to date with the news from the parish on Facebook

www.facebook.com/parishofdartmouth

>Welcome Booklets are available in church; please take a copy for anyone moving in to your area.

Sunday 26th August – REGATTA PRAISE
3.00pm in the Royal Avenue Gardens

Songs of praise led by CTIDD (Christians together in Dartmouth and District)

Cream Teas at St George's Church

Come and enjoy a cream tea in our beautiful church Saturday 25th, Sunday 26th and Monday 27th August 2.30 – 5.30pm. Cream Teas, second hand books, hand made candles and more, all proceeds in aid of the church

Andrew Langley's Ordination to the Diaconate
Saturday 15th September at 3pm at Exeter Cathedral

We are taking a coach to Exeter for Andrew's ordination.

Please sign up on the list if you want to come.

Autumn Refreshment Day in the Royal Avenue Gardens – Thursday 27th September

Tombola prizes are needed – boxes in church, also cakes and help on the day, see Wendy.

Confirmation Classes will begin in the autumn (probably 2nd week in October). If you would like to take part (with no obligation to be confirmed at the end) or would like a 'refresher' please speak to Father Will or Father Bob.

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19 AUGUST 2018

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Celebrant & Preacher: (11am): Father Bob Boyle



Today's Services

ST CLEMENT'S CHURCH

11.00am Sung Eucharist

ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH

8.00am Said Eucharist

ST PETROX CHURCH

6.30pm Choral Evensong

ST GEORGE'S CHURCH

9.15am Sung Eucharist

Services during this week:

Monday 20 August

8.30am Morning Prayer – St Clement's

Tuesday 21 August

8.30am Morning Prayer – St Clement's

Wednesday 22 August

9.00am Morning Prayer – St Saviour's

10.00am Said Eucharist - St Saviour's

2.00pm Graveside service, Geoffrey Hodson – St George's

Thursday 23 August

8.45 Morning Prayer – St Clement's

9.30am Said Eucharist - St Clement's

Friday 24 August – St Bartholomew, Apostle

11.30am Prayers for Peace - St Saviour's

Saturday 25 August

10.30-11.30 Benefice Surgery - St Saviour's

Midday Prayer is said daily
(Mon - Thur) in St Saviour's Church

Hymns:

50 Awake, my soul, and with the sun
551 When morning gilds the skies
56 Be thou my vision
342 My God, and is thy table spread
15 All my hope on God is founded

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
you are always more ready to hear than we to pray
and to give more than either we desire or deserve:
pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy,
forgiving us those things of which our conscience is
afraid
and giving us those good things
which we are not worthy to ask
but through the merits and mediation
of 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.

A reading from the book of Proverbs (9.1-6)

Wisdom has built her house,
she has hewn her seven pillars.
She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed
her wine,
she has also set her table.
She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls
from the highest places in the town,
'You that are simple, turn in here!'
To those without sense she says,
'Come, eat of my bread
and drink of the wine I have mixed.
Lay aside immaturity, and live,
and walk in the way of insight.'

A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians (5.15-20)

Brothers and sisters, be careful then how you live,
not as unwise people but as wise, making the most
of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be
foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.
Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery;
but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and
hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves,
singing and making melody to the Lord in your
hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times
and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus
Christ.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia

The Gospel: John 6.51-58

Jesus said to the crowd 'I am the living bread that
came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this
bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give
for the life of the world is my flesh.'
The Jews then disputed among themselves,
saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?'
So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless
you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his

blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my
flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will
raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true
food and my blood is true drink. 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 for ever.'

Post Communion

God of all mercy,
in this eucharist you have set aside our sins
and given us your healing:
grant that we who are made whole in Christ
may bring that healing to this broken world,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

HEADINGS FOR READINGS

First Reading (Prov. 9:1-6). Here we are told that if we seek the wisdom of God, then life and insight will be given to us.
Second Reading (Eph. 5:15-20). Here we are told that the wise man who understands God's will does not live his life with wine but with the Spirit of God and constant thanksgiving to the Father.
The Gospel (John 6:5 1-58). Jesus tells us that there is only one bread of life and that is himself offered in sacrifice on the cross and in which we can now share in the Eucharist.

Please remember in your prayers:

Dr Andrew Langley, being ordained deacon on 15th September, joining us in the Benefice as Curate, also Gemma, Noah, Joshua and Hannah.

The sick: Margaret and Frank Wetenhall; Patricia Camp; Eileen Hobson; Barry; Doreen Renbold; Margaret Jackson; John; Simon Atwell; Jane Snodgrass; Sandra Chase; Michelle; David Wright; Carol; Anne Hinsley; Roy Mills; Emma; Heather Flint; Frank and Debbie.

The recently departed: Joy Fanelli; Philip (Pip) Chorley; Dina and Hazel Isaac.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Muriel Gamble; Kane Roberts; David White; Leslie Bailey; Pam Moore; Marion Wild; Emily Pendlebury; Richard Ryder;

The Worldwide Church: The Church of South India.