

THIS SUNDAY 19 JULY

The Seventh Sunday of Trinity

Isaiah 44:6-8; Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Hymn Numbers: 584, 806, 683, 739

8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S & LIVESTREAM

Readings: John Sugden

Intercessions: Richard Taylor-Gooby

Voluntary: Sonata no. 6—Fugue Rheinberger

11.30AM PRAYING ON SUNDAY

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

12NOON LINK OPEN DAY

NEXT SUNDAY 26 JULY

The Eighth Sunday of Trinity

1 Kings 3:5-12; Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Hymn Numbers: 448, 698, 650, 715

8AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

10AM HOLY COMMUNION

ST CHRISTOPHER'S

Readings: Christopher Ashton-Jones

Intercessions: Dorothea Nattrass

6PM EVENSONG

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

1 Kings 6:11-14, 23-38; John 6:1-21

Readings: Hamish & Linda Donaldson

WEEK COMMENCING 19TH JULY

9am Morning Prayer:

Monday | St Bartholomew's

Wednesday | All Saints

Thursday Communion | St Bartholomew's

Coffee & Hearing Clinic | The Link



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PARISH INFORMATION

St Bartholomew's Church is open from 9am to 5pm, Monday - Saturday

St Christopher's Church is open from 10am to 4pm, Tuesday - Friday

Livestreamed services: Link to view and orders of service on the website. [Church at Home](#)

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(open: 9am-3pm Mon/Tues/Thurs, 1-3pm Fri*)

*Office hours are subject to change, visit www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch for up to date hours

Pastoral Visitors for July: Cathy Moore, Sarah Mulliner and Jennifer Sugden

To request a visit or for any Pastoral matter please contact Rev Chris, Rev Justin or the Parish Office

Further information:

Please continue to check the website for updated information; www.haslemereparish.org

To receive this news sheet by email contact office@haslemereparish.org

Accessibility:

Both churches have hearing loops. Please switch hearing aids to T-coil.

Both churches have step free access and a wheelchair is available on request.

Large print service orders and hymn books are available—ask a sides person.



Collect

Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them grow:
though our faith is small as mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Isaiah 44:6-8;

⁶ Thus says the LORD, the King of Israel
and his Redeemer, the LORD of hosts:
I am the first and I am the last;
besides me there is no god.

⁷ Who is like me? Let them proclaim it,
let them declare and set it forth before me.
Who has announced from of old the things to
come?

Let them tell us what is yet to be.

⁸ Do not fear, or be afraid;
have I not told you from of old and
declared it?

You are my witnesses!
Is there any god besides me?
There is no other rock; I know not one.

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

²⁴ He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; ²⁵ but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. ²⁶ So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. ²⁷ And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, "Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?" ²⁸ He answered, "An enemy has done

this." The slaves said to him, "Then do you want us to go and gather them?" ²⁹ But he replied, "No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. ³⁰ Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.'"

³⁶ Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, 'Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.' ³⁷ He answered, 'The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; ³⁸ the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, ³⁹ and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. ⁴⁰ Just as the weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. ⁴¹ The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, ⁴² and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. ⁴³ Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine
and the source of life,
ever giving himself that the world may live:
may we so receive within ourselves
the power of his death and passion
that, in his saving cup,
we may share his glory
and be made perfect in his love;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.
Amen.

PARISH PRAYERS FOR W/C SUNDAY 19TH JULY

A Thought for Sunday: Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Jesus put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, "Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?" He answered, "An enemy has done this." We know we can do little about the existence of evil in the world, obvious though it is. God has not made you responsible for the sins of others, only those your own backyard (so to speak). Yet even then we know how hard it can be to present ourselves as a perfect lawn as if Eden were once our own back garden. A person with no faith can very likely conclude that there is no God, because there is perpetual sin in the world. Yet faith is the seed of hope in my garden, even from such a small beginning. That little oak sapling in my lawn will, in the end, win over everything else that surrounds it.

For our Local Ministry Work and Schools

- We pray for St Bartholomew's School and all the children there, as they come to the end of the year. We especially pray for those Year 6 leavers, who will be celebrating in church this week.
- We lament, it seems almost without ceasing, for the conflicts of this world. We pray of Ukraine, Sudan and the Middle East. O Lord we ask for peace.
- We lift to God our ministry of weddings, of which there are several in these next weeks. May each couple know the nearness of God at this special time.
- Thankyou Lord for the Flower Teams who so wonderful dress our churches in summer time.
- We pray for the Link Community Hub Project, which is now in full swing. We pray for our Open Day this Sunday, that many will come and realise that this is part of their community.

Those unwell or in need of prayer: Carol Skeates, Evelyn Hughes and Elizabeth Eyre

Rest In Peace: Luke Van Oppen Irving and Victoria Bridge

Upcoming Life Events:

Saturday 18th July	St Bartholomew's	12.30pm	Wedding of Freddie Stott & Kate Short
Saturday 18th July	St Bartholomew's	3.30pm	Baptism of Summer Worlidge
Sunday 19th July	St Bartholomew's	12.30pm	Baptism of Martin, Sophie & Rhys Stendela
Sunday 26th July	St Christopher's	12.30pm	Baptism of Katie, Jack, Rose & Oliver Buckley
Saturday 1st August	St Bartholomew's	4.30pm	Interment of Michael Waller
Sunday 2nd August	St Bartholomew's	12pm	Baptism of Arla Hill

PARISH NOTICES

Solo's Lunch Club— Sunday 2nd August 12.30pm, The Coppa Club. If anyone wishes to come along, please contact Vera Ruane. (07940) 812767. vera@ruane.plus.com

St Christopher's Altar Frontal

The newly refurbished altar frontal made especially for St Christopher's is currently out and hanging on the altar and will be for the foreseeable future. If you would like to see it outside of Sunday services, the church is open Tuesday to Friday 10am to 4pm.

Carpenters Breakfast— Saturday 18th July, 9am at The Link Community Hub

Howard Body will be speaking on "Some personal reflections on Christianity in awkward situations. There is a suggested donation of £5 to cover costs.

Link Community Hub Open Day— Sunday 19th July, 12– 4pm at The Link.

Please join us for a fun afternoon where we invite the wider community to come and have a look around the link. There will be stalls from local groups, activities for the children, live music performances as well as food & refreshments.

Parish Office— summer hours

Please note that the parish office will be operating reduced hours over the summer holidays. For exact open hours please visit www.haslemereparish.org/getintouch

Liz Cooks Funeral. We have received many lovely comments and thank yous, especially from the family of Liz Cook regarding the service and refreshments after her thanksgiving service on the 30th June. All would like their wishes shared with all those that were involved in any way at all, in making the day very 'Liz' shaped. Well done and thank you.

A Chance to Contribute Your Views.....

Work has now begun on the consultation for the next Bishop of Guildford. As part of its work, the Vacancy in See Committee wants to listen carefully to voices across the Diocese. As we discern who God may be calling as the next Bishop of Guildford, we warmly invite you to share your views through our diocesan consultation. Go to www.haslemereparish.org/bishop and then follow the weblink. The consultation closes at 8am Monday 20 July.

Games needed for Milford Hospital

Milford Hospital are looking to set up a regular games afternoon to help with mental health, memory and dexterity. They are looking for a few simple games such as Connect 4, Dominoes, Draughts, Jenga and Ludo. Anything that can be played by 2-4 players with plastic, washable pieces and that are simple to play. If you have a game that you could donate, please contact Tim Purdue on 07720 652 842.

Clive Osgood Organ Recital— Tuesday 21st July, 1pm, St Mary's Church, Frensham

Soup and bread will be served in the church hall from 12 noon. Admission is free with a retiring collection to offset expenses. For further details, contact Mike Smith on 07767 414306 or visit www.frenshamchurches.org

Pop-In Coffee Morning and Hearing Champions— next clinic 23rd July in The Link

Our regular Pop-In Coffee Morning reaches out to those who would like a bit of company and a chat. Also if you have a hearing aid, you can have it cleaned and serviced by our Hearing Champions service