

Parish Weekly News 18th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to the Priory Church and to our Sunday services. A very special welcome to those who are worshipping with us for the first time. Please do stay after the service for a time of fellowship at the back of Church. You are most welcome.

Please do take our weekly parish news update with you.

Today in The Priory - 15th October 2017

8.00am Holy Communion BCP
Celebrant The Reverend Nick Devenish

11.00am Sung Eucharist CW
Celebrant The Reverend Nick Devenish
Setting - Ulverston - Dean
Proc Hymn: 502 Light's abode, celestial Salem

Reading - Exodus 32: 1-14
Gradual Hymn: 589 The King of love
Gospel - Matthew 22: 1-14
Offertory Hymn: 482 Jerusalem the golden
Anthem: O sing joyfully - Batten
Communion Hymn: 520 May the grace of Christ
Post Communion Hymn: 496 Lead us, heavenly Father
Recessional: 'Sonata No.7 (first movt.) - Rheinberger' - Whitlock

3.30pm Evensong BCP
The Reverend Nick Devenish
Responses - Smith
Psalm 139, 1-11 Chant: 368
Office Hymn: 489 Jesus Lord we look to you
First Reading - Proverbs 3: 1-18
Magnificat: 29
Second Reading - 1 John 3: 1-15
Nunc Dimittis: Wood in D
Anthem: The Lord hath been mindful - Wesley
Offertory Hymn: 573 Son of God, eternal Saviour
Recessional: Concerto in G minor - Camidge

These are the readings for Morning Prayer Trinity 18

Please do take time each day to read and reflect upon them.

Monday

Psalm 80
2 Chr. 17.1-12
Mark 15.1-15

Thursday

Psalm 92
2 Chr. 20.1-23
Mark 15.42-end

Tuesday

Psalm 87
2 Chr. 18.1-27
Mark 15.16-32

Friday

Psalm 88
2 Chr. 22.10-end
of 23
Mark 16.1-8

Wednesday

Psalm 145
2 Chr. 8.28-end
of 19
Mark 15.33-41

Saturday

Psalm 97
2 Chr. 24.1-22
Mark 16.9-end

This week in The Priory

Thursday

10.15am Holy Communion
Canon Derek Jackson

Friday

5.30pm Silence

Next Sunday

Trinity 19
8.00am Holy Communion
The Reverend Nick Devenish
11.00am Sung Eucharist
The Reverend Nick Devenish
3.30pm Evensong
The Reverend Nick Devenish

What's on

Many thanks for your support of the **Summer Food Bank Appeal** providing **171 meals**. Our **Harvest Food Bank Appeal** will start on the **1st October** and continue to the **23rd**. Please do all that you can to support this vital ministry.



For Our Prayers

Collect Trinity 18

God, our judge and saviour,
teach us to be open to your truth
and to trust in your love,
that we may live each day
with confidence in the salvation which is given
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Post Communion

We praise and thank you, O Christ,
for this sacred feast:
for here we receive you,
here the memory of your passion is renewed,
here our minds are filled with grace, and here
a pledge of future glory is given, when we
shall feast at that table where you reign with
all your saints for ever.

Amen.

The Morning Service Readings

First Reading

Exodus 32:1-14

When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered around Aaron and said to him, 'Come, make gods for us, who shall go before us; as for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him.' Aaron said to them, 'Take off the gold rings that are on the ears of your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me.' So all the people took off the gold rings from their ears, and brought them to Aaron. He took the gold from them, formed it in a mould, and cast an image of a calf; and they said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!' When Aaron saw this, he built an altar before it; and Aaron made proclamation and said, 'Tomorrow shall be a festival to the Lord.' They rose early the next day, and offered burnt-offerings and brought sacrifices of well-being; and the people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to revel.

The Lord said to Moses, 'Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshipped it and sacrificed to it, and said, "These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!"' The Lord said to Moses, 'I have seen this people, how

stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation.'

But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, 'O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, "It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth"? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, "I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it for ever."' And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 22:1-14

Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet." But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, "The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet." Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests.

'But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, "Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

