These are the readings for Morning Prayer Trinity 18

To be used in conjunction with Morning Prayer Downloadable booklet on web site

Monday	Thursday
Psalm 80	Psalm 92
2 Kings 5	2 Kings 9.17–end
Acts 26.1–23	Acts 27.27–end

Tuesday	Friday
Tuesday Psalm 89. 1-18	Psalm 88
2 Kings 6.1–23	2 Kings 12.1–19
2 Kings 6.1–23 Acts 26.24–end	Acts 28.1–16

Wednesday	Saturday
Wednesday Psalm 119. 105-	Psalm 97
128	2 Kings 17.1–23
2 Kings 9.1–16	Acts 28.17–end
Δcts 27 1-26	

Priory Service of Lamentation and Hope

Please do join me on Wednesday 14th October at 8.00pm if anyone has been affected by recent news. We will gather for a service of Holy Communion as we support one another and pray together. We will need to adhere to Covid protocols and you will need to reserve your seat. Please call: 07891 745228 or email: ahpriory@gmail.com
The service will also be live streamed.
The Reverend Nick Devenish

The Priory 's rescheduled APCM

The Priory's APCM will be held on Wednesday 14th October at 6.00pm. Due to the pandemic the meeting will be conducted virtually using the conference App Zoom. For information as to how you can participate please e mail PCC secretary - mary.iveson1@btinternet.com









Parish Weekly News Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to the Priory and to our Sunday services. A very special welcome to those who are worshipping with us whether in The Priory or via social media.

The Priory - 11th October 2020

Covid-19 Advice

Following the Prime Minister's announcement for the reopeing of church buildings for public worship. We have comlpleted a Risk Assessment for The Priory to reopen in a Covid-safe way on a Sunday for services. Our priorty is the safety of all.

Do visit our website as this will have current information as well as guidance on how to access specific resources

– www.cartmelpriory.org.uk

We are using a central email address in order to help support those who are self-isolating in our community, please do alert us if you are in need or anyone known to you

– ahpriory@gmail.com

Please do keep safe and do not hesitate to make contact.

The Vicarage number - 015395 36261

'Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.'

Joshua 1.9

For Our Prayers

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

Philippians 4.1-9

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life.

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

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 banguet 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 banguet." 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.'