

Notices

Family Fun Day Today 12.30 to 2.30 with a Guy Fawkes theme.

Bring and Share Lunch Sunday 18th November 2018 to celebrate the completion of the altar panels. We hope to share stories from the making process, collect your responses to the panels, and hear back from Carol Marples, who helped shape our ideas at the beginning of this project. All are very welcome to attend. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church to help us plan for numbers and food. This also will be an opportunity to Celebrate and give thanks for all those who participated in the Art Exhibition.

Communion at 6.30 at Morrison Crescent on Sunday 11th November.
All welcome.

Advent reflection Group

The same course running based on the Book by Bishop Cottrell, 'Walking Backwards to Christmas' on Tuesday 27th at the Rectory at 7.30pm and Thursday 29th November at St Martin's Church at 10.30am.

If you have signed up for this Advent Reflection Group please pick up your book from the Rector today.

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Sunday 11 November 2018
Martinmas & Rememberence

10.30am **Celebrating Communion**
Preacher: Yousouf Gooljary
President: David Warnes
Readings: 1 Kings 17. 8-16
 Hebrews 9. 24-28
 Mark 12.:38-44

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The Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost Sunday 4th November 2018

President: Yousouf Gooljary

Preacher: Stuart Robertson



*Living out faith in our community
through prayer, reflection and action*

Hymns Hon 134, 442, 490, 296

Collect for All Saints and All Souls

Father of all, we pray to you for those we love but see no longer: grant them your peace let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 6. 1-9

Read by: Brian Kilbey

Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the ordinances—that the Lord your God charged me to teach you to observe in the land that you are about to cross into and occupy, so that you and your children and your children's children, may fear the Lord your God all the days of your life, and keep all his decrees and his commandments that I am commanding you, so that your days may be long. Hear therefore, O Israel, and observe them diligently, so that it may go well with you, and so that you may multiply greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, as the Lord, the God of your ancestors, has promised you. Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your

forehead, and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Psalm 119. 1-8

Happy are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord. Happy are those who keep his decrees, who seek him with their whole heart,

who also do no wrong, but walk in his ways. You have commanded your precepts to be kept diligently.

O that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes! Then I shall not be put to shame, having my eyes fixed on all your commandments.

I will praise you with an upright heart, when I learn your righteous ordinances. I will observe your statutes; do not utterly forsake me.

New Testament Reading: Rev 7.9-17

Read by: Brian Kilbey

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made

them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Chalice: Lynn Dailly: Roderick MacKenzie

Today's Chant

**Jesus remember me when you come into your Kingdom.
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Gospel: Mark 12: 28-34

Read by: Frank Alexander

One of the scribes came near and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that he answered them well, he asked him, "Which commandment is the first of all?" Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." Then the scribe said to him, "You are right, Teacher; you have truly said that 'he is one, and besides him there is no other'; and 'to love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the strength,' and 'to love one's neighbour as oneself,' —this is much more important than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices." When Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." After that no one dared to ask him any question.