



Last Sunday after Trinity 27 October 2019



"For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." Luke 18.14

This morning's music

120 Come down, O Love divine
87 Breathe on me Breath of God
623 Praise my soul, the King of heaven!
398 Jesus, remember me
275 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

This morning's readings and prayers

Jeremiah 14.7-10,19-22 (reader: Trena Radcliffe); Psalm 84; 2 Timothy 4.6-8,16-18 (reader: Jenny Black); Luke 18.9-14 (Gospeller: Helen Reid); Intercessor: Helen Reid

Prayer in the silence after communion

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect for Last Sunday after Trinity

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post-communion Prayer

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Next Sunday, All Saints Sunday and Commemoration of the Departed Daniel 7.1-3,15-18 (reader: Diane Wynn); Psalm 149; Ephesians 1.11-23 (reader: Pam Race); Luke 6.20-31 (Gospeller: TBA); Intercessor: Opal Walsh

Tonight	7.00pm at St Paul's: Confirmation service to which all are welcome
Next week and further ahead	
Thursday 31 October	Holy Communion
Friday I November	7.30 – 8.30pm in church: <i>Reflections on Light</i> with Christopher Ashfield. Evening piano music to calm the mind and soothe the soul. All welcome to share in this music and find some peace and hope therein. Admission free; retiring collection for church music funds
Sunday 3 November	10.00am Parish Eucharist for All Saints & All Souls: Celebrate the lives of the saints and remember our loved ones departed. If you would like a loved one remembering by name in the prayers, please speak to Helen or Mark. There will be an opportunity to light candles in remembrance during the service
	7.30pm at St Nick's: Licensing of the Reverend Dr Rachel Mann as Area Dean for Withington Deanery, with Bishop Mark and Archdeacon Karen
Thursday 7 November	4.30 – 7.00pm at Holy Innocents: A Quiet Place – The Eye of the Storm. Contemplative conversation followed by being together in silence to explore the practice of silent contemplation and meditation. <u>http://www.holyinnocentsff.org/a-quiet-place.html</u>
Wednesday 13 November	
Thursday 21 November	6.00pm in church: Furniture moving in preparation for
Saturday 23 November	St Chad's Christmas Fair , which Helen and Judy are coordinating. Time to decide how you can help. Tell Helen if you can donate Christmas gifts, raffle prizes, books, home-made cakes, bottles for bottle tombola, or help with a stall. Children's activities will include a stall selling crackers – have you a box of crackers you could donate to the stall? Talk to Judy about this.
Parish Share Income Survey	Please complete an annual Parish Share Income Survey form and post it in the box at the back of church. The survey is anonymous & no-one at St Chad's sees the completed forms. The smaller your income, the more important it is that you complete a form. Please do this because it will make our Parish Share lower in the future.