We do not take a collection at St. Anne's as we have a Free Will Offering scheme. However if you wish to make a contribution you will find a plate at the back of church. If you would like to join the **Free Will Offering** scheme please speak to Andy Crawford, Lindsey Archer or the church wardens.

Ukraine and Eat or Heat - We are still collecting for both at the back of the church—children, toddler's and baby items are still very much needed as the war takes its toll on the people of Ukraine. As are long lasting food products and hygiene products for Eat or Heat. Today's Harvest offerings will be going to Eat or Heat.

November to January Rotas— The rota for the next quarter will shortly be prepared. Please let Mick know of any dates you will not be available. Additionally if you or would like to join a new rota please let Mick know.

Jumble Sale Saturday 4th October 10-12 As ever, we would welcome help with sorting jumble on Friday 3rd, and with setting up, selling and clearing away after the sale. Jumble also welcome, of course.

Silent Film Night - Buster Keaton in "The General" with cinema organist Saturday 4 October, 7 for 7.30pm. Tickets £15 adults, £8 for children, available from Lindsey. Do join us and bring friends for a great evening.

The music this week is a selection of Chorale Preludes, mainly on the tunes of harvest hymns. Most of modern although there are some older German ones. You can read about them on the sheet at the back of church."

Litter pick: 2.00pm Saturday 27th September. Twice a year we do our bit to clear up our local environment. If we meet at the church at 2.00pm to collect gloves, bags and litter picking utensils.

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

We remember in prayer each day all those both known and unknown to us who are suffering in mind, body and spirit, for those who have care of them, for all who are living with difficulties and trouble at this time and for all who will enter eternity this week.

Anniversaries for September; 1st Christopher Birchnall, 2nd Sheila Bryan, Hilda Scotchmer, 5th Ruth Wood, 6th Patricia Neighbour, 9th Doris Hebbard, Mary Taylor, 14th Alice Hughes, 17th Geoffrey Hebbard, 20th George Bates, 21st Mary Crosby, 22nd Alfred Frye, 24th Christine Ilsley, 29th Melvin Oakes.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them, may they rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen



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Harvest Festival - 21st September

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All Age Eucharist 10.00

Welcomers: Heather Gwynn, Rosalind Tatam

Server: Caroline Acton
Reader: Rosalind Tatam

Admin: Eira Endersbee, Lucy Markham

Celebrant: Jude Bullock
Music: Bill Gloyn

HYMN 144 Come ye thankful people come

During this hymn the harvest gifts will be presented

PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS

Let us confess our forgetfulness of the needs of the poor and repent

of the ways in which we waste the

resources of the world.

Lord, you give justice to those who are suffering

and bread to those who hunger.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, you loose those who are bound and open the eyes of the blind.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, you watch over the stranger in the land

This week Monday 22nd September 11.00 Funeral of Beryl Stratton

Wednesday 24th September 11.30 Bible Study Friday 26th September 10.00 Eucharist

Sunday 28th September 10.00 Parish Eucharist

and uphold the orphan and the widow.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

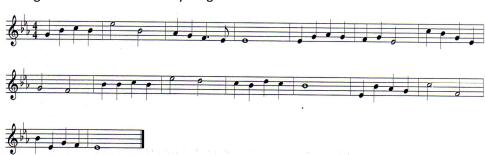
May almighty God,

who sent his Son into the world to save sinners, bring you his pardon and peace, now and for ever.

Thanks be to God Amen.

GLORIA

Glory in the highest to the God of heaven; Peace to all your people through the Earth be given. Mighty God and Father, thanks and praise we bring, Sing Alleluia to our heavenly King



Jesus Christ is risen, God the Father's Son; With the Holy Spirit, you are Lord alone. Lamb once killed for sinners, all our guilt to bear, Show us now your mercy, now receive our prayer.

Christ the world true Saviour, high and holy one, Seated now and reigning from your Father's throne: Lord and God, we praise you! Highest heaven adores: In the Father's Glory, all the praise be yours!

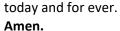
Opening Prayer

FIRST READING From the letter to the Philippians

Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I say, rejoice! Let everyone see your gentleness. The Lord is near!

Do not be anxious about anything. Instead, in every situation, through prayer and petition with thanksgiving, tell your requests to God.

And the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts



And now, as Jesus taught us so we pray:

Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins,

as we forgive those who sin against us.

but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom,

Now and for ever, Amen

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ

Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us your Peace.

These are the gifts of God for the people of God; our Lord is coming to us in bread and wine.

Distribution of Holy Communion followed by prayer of thanksgiving then notices

FINAL BLESSING

May God our creator,

who clothes the lilies and feeds the birds of the air,

bestow on you his care

and increase the harvest of your righteousness;

and the blessing of Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you and those you love now and forever. Amen.

Tend the earth, care for God's good creation and bring forth the fruits of righteousness.

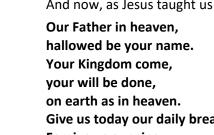
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

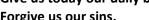
In the name of Christ. Amen.

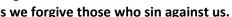
HYMN 801 We plough the fields and scatter













the power and the glory are yours.



It is right to give thanks and praise.

Lord of all life, you created the universe, where all living things reflect your glory. You give us this great and beautiful earth, to discover and to cherish.

And now we give you thanks because you make us stewards of your creation, to praise you day by day for the marvels of your wisdom and power.

You made us all, each wonderfully different, to join with the angels and sing your praise:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

We thank you, loving Father, because, when we turned away, you sent Jesus, your Son. He gave his life for us on the cross and shows us the way to live. Send your Holy Spirit that these gifts of bread and wine may be for us Christ's body and his blood.

On the night before he died, when darkness had fallen, Jesus took bread. He gave thanks, broke it, and shared it with his disciples, saying: 'This is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me.'

After they had eaten, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and shared it with his disciples, saying: 'This is my blood, poured out for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins.'

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ has died.

Jesus Christ is risen.

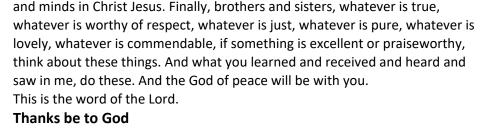
Jesus Christ is risen.

Jesus Christ will come again.

Jesus Christ will come again.

So Father, with this bread and this cup we celebrate his love, his death, his risen life.

As you feed us with these gifts, send your Holy Spirit, and change us more and more to be like Jesus our Saviour. Help us, Father, to love one another, as we look forward to that day when suffering is ended, and all creation is gathered in your loving arms. And now with St Anne, St Andrew, St Edmund and all your saints we give you glory, through Jesus Christ, in the strength of the Spirit,



HYMN 323 I am the Bread of life

GOSPEL John 6: 25-35

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All Glory to you, O Lord.

When they found him on the other side of the lake, they said to him, "Rabbi,

when did you get here?" Jesus replied, "I tell you the solemn truth, you are looking for me not because you saw miraculous signs, but because you ate all the loaves of bread you wanted. Do not work for the food that disappears, but for the food that remains to eternal life – the food which the Son of Man will give to you. For God the Father has put his seal of approval on him." So



then they said to him, "What must we do to accomplish the deeds God requires?"

Jesus replied, "This is the deed God requires – to believe in the one whom he sent." So they said to him, "Then what miraculous sign will you perform, so that we may see it and believe you? What will you do? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, just as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Then Jesus told them, "I tell you the solemn truth, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but my Father is giving you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is the one who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread all the time!"
Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. The one who comes to me will never go hungry, and the one who believes in me will never be thirsty.

This is the Gospel of the Lord. All Praise to you, O Christ

REFLECTION

HYMN 435 Let us with a gladsome mind

PRAYER OF FAITH

Let us declare our faith in God.

We believe that Creation is a gift of God, an expression of our Creator's goodness.

We believe that as human beings we are part of this creation and that we share in a special way in the creative power of God.

We believe that the resources of land and waters and air are precious gifts from our Creator, to be used and looked after with loving care.

We believe that God entered into creation in Jesus our Saviour and that the beauty of the world is His tender smile.

We believe in the power of the Holy Spirit, to change us, renew us and inspire our responsibility to share the fruits of creation fairly and to care for the earth and all she has brought forth. Amen.

INTERCESSIONS

Let us pray to God, the Lord of the harvest, that he will bring to fruition all that he desires for his creation.

Lord of creation,

we see that the fields are ripe for harvesting: we pray for your Church, that it may be ready to gather fruit for eternal life.

Lord of the harvest,

in your mercy hear us.

You have created the universe by your eternal Word, and have blessed humankind in giving us dominion over the earth:

we pray for the world,

that we may honour and share its resources,

and live in reverence for the creation

and in harmony with one another.

Lord of the harvest,

in your mercy hear us.

Your Son has promised that the Spirit will lead us into all truth: we pray for the community in which you have set us,

for one another and for ourselves,

that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit

in love and joy and peace.

Lord of the harvest,



in your mercy hear us.

You have given your people a rich land, yet by sin we have made a world of suffering and sorrow: we pray for those who bear the weight of affliction, that they may come to share the life of wholeness and plenty. Lord of the harvest,

in your mercy hear us.

Your Son Jesus Christ is the first-fruits of the resurrection and will reap the harvest of the dead at the end of time: we pray that he will gather us all together with those who have gone before in the banquet of the age to come.

Lord of the harvest,

in your mercy hear us.

Source of all life and giver of all that is good, hear our prayers and grant us all that is in accordance with your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

SIGN OF PEACE

The harvest of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control

The Peace of the Lord be always with you

And also with you.

HYMN 40 Angel-voices ever singing

The gifts are then brought to the table

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; you bring forth bread from the earth.

Blessed be God for ever.

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; you create the fruit of the vine.

Blessed be God for ever.

The Lord be with you

and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.