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, Mark Ebden or the church wardens.

Update and prayer request: Vote on Women Bishops

In its July meeting the General Synod of the Church of England agreed to postpone their vote on Women Bishops until their autumn meeting. This meeting will be held in London from 19th to 21st November. You are asked to continue to pray for all General Synod members (Bishops, Clergy and Laity) over the coming months. It is a positive step that the vote was not taken in July (for the vast majority of church people who are in favour of female bishops on equal terms to male bishops), because it means the wording of the amendment which was causing hurt and upset was deemed to be unfair. However the standing committee thinks that just removing the specific controversial amendment would overall not meet with sufficient approval, and risk not achieving the necessary numbers in the voting: in order for the vote for women bishops to be carried in November, two thirds of the Bishops, the Clergy and the lay members present must vote in favour. Five suggestions for re-wording the specific amendment have been sent to Synod members for consultation, and the options will be debated by the House of Bishops on 12th and 13th September. If the vote is passed in November, and there are no further setbacks on the legislative path, the name of the first woman bishop could be announced at the end of 2014

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Sick and wanting prayer; Dorothy and Ted Bulled, Rahat Munir, Joan Page-Webster, Gladys Travis, Pauline Warner, Nancy Khuzwayo (One Life) Rachel Michell, Valerie Black, Pamela Finbow, Jenny Harwood, Gill Head, Mary Taylor, Ashton Simeron, Derek Palmer, Betty Crawford, Riaz Gill, Sohail Mall,

Recently Deceased: Penny Rolfe

Anniversaries for August; 10th Lillian Whitehead, 11th Alex Joseph, 12th Doris Sullivan, 13th John Malony, 15th Katie Anderson, 19th Brian Jones, 29th Ivy Hughes.

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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Trinity 10 - August 12th Communion by Extension 10.00

Barbara Smith, Beryl Stratton, Rosalind Tatam Sidesmen: Eira Endersbee, Jenny Scotchmer, John Wood Servers:

Chalice: Lindsey Archer, Jenny Scotchmer

Lessons: Colin Humphreys **Beryl Stratton** Pravers: Reader: Mick Scotchmer Preacher: Mick Scotchmer Music: Colleen Muriel Hymns:

I come with joy 328

May the mind of Christ my Saviour 506 499 Make me a channel of your peace

323 I am the bread of life 337 I, the Lord of sea and sky.

> Order of Service Option

Monday 13th Aug 20.00 Plant Committee Friday 17th Aug 10.00 Communion Sunday 19th Aug 10.00 Parish Eucharist

This

week

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You are very welcome here at St. Anne's. If you would like us to keep in touch with you or you are not on the electoral roll please fill in this form and hand it to the wardens. sidesmen or the vicar

Collect

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 34.1-8

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
- 2 My soul shall glory in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.
- O magnify the Lord with me; let us exalt his name together.
- I sought the Lord and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.
- 5 Look upon him and be radiant and your faces shall not be ashamed.
- This poor soul cried, and the Lord heard me and saved me from all my troubles.
- 7 The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him and delivers them.
- 8 O taste and see that the Lord is gracious; blessed is the one who trusts in him.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

Ephesians 4.25-5.2

²⁵Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbours, for we are members of one another. ²⁶Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labour and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹Let no evil

talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. ³¹Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, ³²and be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

¹Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ²and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

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Gospel John 6.35,41-51

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

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

All Glory to you, O Lord.

35 lesus said to the crowd. 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.' ⁴¹Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' 42They were saying, 'Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' 43Jesus answered them, 'Do not complain among yourselves. 44No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. 45It is written in the prophets, "And they shall all be taught by God." Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. 46Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. 47Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. 48 am the bread of life. ⁴⁹Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. ⁵⁰This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, O Christ.