

- ◆ **Help in the Church Office:** Our Church Office opens on Monday mornings starting with morning worship at 09:15. People do drop in and it is a good way to get jobs done. There needs to be two people in the church for it to remain open and Carole would welcome some additional help to enable Jane not to have to be there all of the time. Might you think about spending some time in our church? Please talk to Carole about it if you think you, or someone you know, may be able to help. Thanks.
- ◆ **St Frideswide Pilgrimage:** In the 'Events' section of our website, there are details of a Diocesan pilgrimage to our Cathedral Church in Oxford. It is being held on **Friday and Saturday, 18th & 19th October**. There are several routes planned and each stage is between three and nine miles meeting at Christ Church on the Saturday afternoon. Might we establish a St Nicolas group to go to the Cathedral?
- ◆ **Worship for All:** Next Sunday at St Nicolas, we will be welcoming families who have had their children baptised in our church over the last year. The focus of our service will be on what belonging to our church can mean in our lives. 'All are welcome' - do join us.



### Services/Events next Week

**Wednesday, (19th):** 11:00 to 11:45—Funeral at St Nicolas Church

12:00 to 3:00pm—Open Wednesday with a service at 12:30 followed by Ploughman's Lunch; St Nicholas Church

**Thursday, (20th):** 12:00 to 1:00pm—Wedding Blessing, St Nicolas Church

**Sunday, 23rd June: 1st Sunday after Trinity**

09:15—Choral Matins at St Anne's Church, Dropmore

10:45—Worship for All at St Nicolas Church, Taplow preceded by refreshments from 10:15.

Further information on **St Nicolas Church Website:** <http://st-nicolas-taplow.org>

If you need to **contact the Vicar**, you can ring her on 01628 661182 or email her: [janeecresswell523@gmail.com](mailto:janeecresswell523@gmail.com)

**Notices in the Pew Leaflet:** If you have a notice or news for the *Pew Leaflet*, please email it to Jim Oliver ([oliverjim1@sky.com](mailto:oliverjim1@sky.com)) by the end of the Wednesday preceding the Sunday date you want it in.

We are part of

**St Anne's Church, Littleworth Common**

**St Nicolas' Church, Taplow**

**Trinity Sunday**

**Sunday, 16th June, 2019**

*Faithful to God*

*Caring for each other*

*Serving the Community*

*Welcome to this morning's Service. At St Nicolas, children are invited to the Sunday School at the end of the first hymn.*

### Collect (or Prayer for Today)

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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.



### First Reading: Romans 5:1-5 *Results of Justification*

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

### The Gospel: John 16:12-15

Jesus said: "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you".

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**Anthem: Holy, Holy, Holy** - Franz Schubert

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### Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

### This Week's News and Notices

- ◆ **London to Brighton British Heart Foundation Cycle Ride:** Phil and his daughter, Christine are doing this 54 mile ride **today**. They would welcome your sponsorship for the British Heart Foundation on [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/philandchristine](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/philandchristine), or to jointly support BHF and our own Southside Appeal, please do consider a donation direct to Phil or Pam. Thank you.



- ◆ **Cake Sale:** Last week's cake sale raised £67.50. Thanks to all those who baked or bought cakes. The monthly cake sales for church funds will continue: the next one will be on Sunday, 14 July.
- ◆ **Fund Raising:** Given that all the urgent Southside work has been completed and paid for, it has been decided to leave the less urgent wall restoration until after the next quinquennial report (2020). Part of the reason for this decision is related to other urgent needs for fund raising related to **restoring our heating system** in



- time for next winter. More on this as we establish a plan of action.
- ◆ **Pathways:** This is the name of the new *'magazine for the people of the Diocese of Oxford'* - that's us! There have been two editions to date covering many interesting topics including 'Growing new congregations', 'How to grieve', 'Reducing our carbon footprint', 'Human sexuality' and many other fascinating articles. There is always a 'Dwelling on the Word' page and suggestions for prayer. It is a really interesting way to keep in touch with life in our wider church and offers valuable food for thought. Copies are free and available at the back of Church. Have a read.



◆ **Countdown to the Summer Fete:** The **Church/School Summer Fete on Saturday, 29th June from 12:00 until 3:00pm** is now just **two weeks away**. We need your help with the following things:

- ◆ **Raffle:** This has the potential to raise up to £4000 if we sell all the tickets, with the profits being shared equally between school, Church and Playgroup. Advanced sales are our best chance of achieving this. Do take a look at the poster in the porch that highlights the amazing prizes. **Please take an envelope today that contains an explanatory letter and five raffle tickets** to sell to family, friends and neighbours (do take more tickets if you feel you can sell them).
- ◆ We still need volunteers to man the **plants** and **gift tombola** stalls. Any offers of help would be gratefully received.
- ◆ We need donations of all sorts: if anyone has any possible contacts for **serious raffle prizes** and/or **quality unused gifts** for the tombola, that would be great.
- ◆ We also need pledges for **plants, homemade cakes, jams and chutneys** to be brought on the day.
- ◆ There is a **white elephant stall** this year so we would welcome items for this.
- ◆ We also need **good condition paperback books** to supplement our book stall stock (please leave them by the bookcase near the font).
- ◆ **The poster** is on the website; could you put it up in your window?



Thank you for helping make this year's Fete and our fundraising goals a success. Please contact Nicki, Caroline or Julie with any queries and particularly regarding ways you can help.

- ◆ **St Anne's Cream Teas:** Cream Teas at St Anne's Church, Dropmore are due to start on **Sunday 7th July**. Tea with scones, jam and cream will be served on Sundays until the end of August **from 3pm to 5pm**. This is always a lovely way to spend a Sunday afternoon—rain or shine! Please try to plan at least one visit—take your friends; they'll love it. **We also need help in serving the teas**. Could you offer a Sunday afternoon or two? Please let Sue Blore know by phoning 01628 661815. We look forward to seeing you.