

Sunday 5 October. St Francis of Assisi.

READINGS

Luke 12 v 22-34
Micah 6 v 6-8

United 'Folk Mass' THIS Sunday 10am St George's.

A joyous service to celebrate Sunday worship combining folk music, traditional folk hymns, story-telling and sharing the bread and wine. Folk musicians Michael Camp, Andrew Fisher and Hadrian Cook will lead the singing and a guest storyteller, Paul, will lead the reflection. Why not invite your friends?

PARISH DIARY October		
Sat 4	10.00	Coffee and Chat. Field View. HCN.
	11.00	Ayres and Dances. Baroque Orchestra Concert in St George's as part of Salisbury Musick Festival.
	14.00	Funeral of Anne Baker RIP. All Saints' Church. Live stream link scheduled to begin at 1.45pm https://youtube.com/live/ScaWQggQ0zl?feature=share
Sun 5 St Francis FOLK MASS	10.00	Said Communion with Guest Folk Band and Paul Butler Storyteller. Revd Becky, Revd Michael.
Tues 7	09.00	<i>NO Morning prayer today.</i>
Weds 8	09.00	Morning Prayer. St George's Church.
	10.00 – 12.00	Coffee and Chat. Field View. HCN.
Thurs 9	10.30	Willowcroft Harvest worship – singers needed. Meet at Willowcroft.
	19.30	Pause for Prosecco.
Fri 10	12.00	Meditation and Taize. St George's side chapel.
	15.00-16.30	Parish Office open.
Sat 11	10.00	Coffee and Chat. Field View. HCN.
Sun 12 17th Sunday after Trinity	08.00	Said communion. All Saints' Revd Becky & Matt Stone. LLM.
	10.00	United Sung communion. All Saints' Revd Becky & Matt Stone. LLM.
	15.00	Messy Church, Parish Hall. Revd Becky and MC team.

In our prayers ...

Church: The Rt Revd Emmanuel Lomoro Eluzai, Bishop of Rokon in South Sudan. Churches in the Guernsey Deanery. Guernsey Hospital and Prison. Rt Rev'd. Sarah Mullally – Bishop of London, announced as the new Archbishop of Canterbury.

Harnham: Our Community Beat Manager & PCSO, Charlotte King. Folkestone Rd & Gawthorne Drive.

Growing in Faith and Action: Eco-congregations, sustainable living projects, Salisbury City Farm and Salisbury Transition City. Black History month- for racial equality in our country.

Wholeness & healing: Palestine, Israel, Russia, Ukraine. Jewish and Islamic communities in Manchester after the killing of two Jewish people in Heaton Park Hebrew Congregation Synagogue. Revd Simon, Margaret R, Mary C, William A, Tracey G, Jenny C, Julie S.

RIP: Peter Game, Rachel Webb, Bill Collings, Anne Baker, Michael Snook.

October is Black History Month. This Sunday, as we remember Saint Francis of Assisi, we also remember Servant of God, Mary Thea Bowman. She was a Franciscan Sister of Perpetual Adoration and the first African American woman to address the U.S. bishops' Conference. "Arguably no person in recent memory did more to resist and transform the sad legacy of segregation and racism in the Catholic Church than Thea Bowman ... who inspired millions with her singing and message of God's love for all races and faiths. Sister Thea awakened a sense of fellowship in people both within and well beyond the Catholic world, first and foremost through her charismatic presence."



Events in and beyond the Parish Visit www.harnhamparish.org.uk

Vigil for the situation in Gaza. Saturdays 17.00. Outside the Library.



Concert: The Festival Minstrels will perform a 45 minute concert at St Georges on Saturday 4th October entitled 'Ayres and Dances' featuring music from the 17th century. No tickets required; free event with a retiring collection for those who would like to donate to the work of the parish. Coffee before at Coffee and Chat.

Wednesday October 15th. 11.30am. The funeral service of Bill Collings RIP. All Saints'.

Important !



All-Saints' Patronal Festival meal – we are asking for donations of £12 for food and a drink.
12.30 November 2nd Parish Hall.
Sign up BEFORE 19th October please on the lists in churches.

Cleaners needed for St George's cleaning rota - St George's. Please speak to Katharine Callard.

Safeguarding Training – Monday 20th October from 2-4pm

There will be a Safeguarding Training session in Field View Room for anyone who is unable to access the on-line training. Please contact Jacqui Brown if you are interested in attending (see contact details below).

Parish phone number – 07476 349 965

Thankyou

To all who attended the Harvest Quiz. A wonderful atmosphere, enjoyable quiz and food. Over £220 raised for the work of the Parish. Thank you to all who entered the apple pie competition, Congratulations to Revd Sophie's Dad who won the apple pie competition!



Please donate an item or two from the list to help local people left without enough money to live on.

To all who donated to the HARVEST FESTIVAL Trusell donations. We raised over 64 kilograms of items, which the trust were very appreciative of. We also raised over £300 for Palestinian Medical Aid.

My thanks to the flower arrangers for beautiful colourful arrangements in All Saints' and to all who helped make and deliver Harvest flowers to over 41 local people on Monday. There have been many positive comments come in via phone and email from those who received the posies – 'lovely posies, we feel remembered by the church community' 'such colourful flowers' 'so lovely to receive a special delivery'

Thank you to Joanna Nair for her First Wednesday Talk. Over 60 people came along to listen to an interesting reflection on Nepal- education and aid.

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