Sunday 29th October -Coffee, Tea, Cakes and Sandwiches for Kent Air Ambulance Cakes on sale after church, event begins at 12noon. In memory of Elliot Hornby to mark her 18th Birthday.£5 per adult which includes sandwiches, tea/coffee and a cake. Our target is to raise £1800. Details of the JustGiving page soon.

Many thanks to everyone who sponsored Alex's walk for Ellenor in memory of Ted. Alex raised around £1,100. Well done, Alex.

Blythswood Shoe Box Appeal. You need shoes to "keep on dancing" and "shoe boxes to keep on filling". Veronica

The builders will be arriving to start work on our hall roof. The work will take about 4 weeks weather permitting. The back half of the car park will be fenced off. Access to the hall will be through the church or via the Pleasance. If you do not have mobility issues please park on Park Avenue.

Wednesday 25th October from 10.45am to 12 pm Macmillan Coffee morning – in church after the 10am service. Bring and Buy and Raffle. Please come.

On Friday 3rd November David and Martin will be hosting a Pâté and Wine evening at their home 16 Raphael Road. The cost is £20 for church funds. Please sign the sheet at the back of the church if you hope to come.

Christmas Bazaar IIth November There are 2 boxes at the back of church. Please bring your donations for all the usual stalls as soon as you can: bottles, candles, books, white elephant, jewellery, toys, puzzles, games, toiletries with gifts and cakes and homemade produce on the day. Thank you, Sheila

There are sheets at the back of the church for you to put the names of your loved ones you wish to be remembered on All Souls Day (2nd November 8am) and at the Service of Remembrance (12th November 4pm). Please make sure you put the names on the sheet for the service you will be attending

Remember in addition to the collection plate you can give to the Church using the card reader or online - you will find our giving page using this QR code.



If you are interested in school admissions please speak to the welcomers who will register your attendance. We cannot sign forms unless we have a record of your attendance.

A weekly **children's sheet** is also available at the door. Please take one if you have someone you would like to pass it on to.

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22nd October 2023

Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

8am Holy Communion

10am Parish Eucharist
(followed by refreshments)

This morning we offer prayers for healing and wholeness after communion.

THIS MORNING'S HYMNS

286 Holy, holy, holy
382 Let all the world
541 O thou who camest from above
552 O worship the Lord
81 Bread is blessed and broken
466 Nearer my God
503 O Jesus I have promised

Wednesday 25th October

10am Holy Communion 5pm Evening Prayer

Next Sunday 29th October DON'T FORGET: CLOCKS GO BACK

Last Sunday after Trinity: Bible Sunday 8am Holy Communion 10am Parish Eucharist (followed by refreshments)

All Saints Day will be celebrated on Wednesday 1st November at the 10am Eucharist.

MORNING PRAYER Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in church and on ZOOM at 8.30am https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82117921556

Please pray for

The people of Israel and Palestine, Nagorno-Karabakh. The United Nations & all engaged in diplomacy The Anglican Diocese of Jerusalem & Archbishop Naoum All affected by war, extreme weather or natural disasters All who live or work in care and nursing homes Please remember those who have died recently, and those who mourn.

In times of trouble

God of love, turn our hearts to your ways; and give us peace. Amen.