

# St Paul's Church Pew Sheet



*'Serving God in the Jewellery Quarter'*

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2009**  
**17<sup>th</sup> after Trinity**

We welcome you to St Paul's Church  
Today's services are at 9.00am and 6.30pm



**We have a loop system installed, if you wish to use it please turn your hearing aid to 'T'**

## **9.00am Said Eucharist** (BCP)

**The Readings:** Joshua 3: 7-end; Matthew 10: 1-22;

## **6.30pm Sung Evensong** (BCP)

### **The Readings:**

Old Testament: Genesis 2.18-24  
*Simplicity, decisiveness, morality, tenderness and compassion characterise both the action of God and the relationship established between the man and woman.*

New Testament: Hebrews 1.1-4; 2.5-12  
*The writer to the Hebrews stresses the oneness between Jesus and 'God of old'. Yet for Jesus to maintain this perfect harmony with the Father, throughout the life of his humanity, was constant struggle in the face of temptation. In this he is our model and the trailblazer of a new humanity.*

Gospel: Mark 10.2-16  
*Jesus is tempted to court favour with the kingdoms of his day at the expense of failing to proclaim the presence of God's kingdom. He responds by upholding the simple goodness of God's intention for humanity and the need to be as children in our relationship with God.*

### **The Collect:**

Almighty God,  
thou hast made us for thyself  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in thee:  
pour thy love into our hearts and draw us to thyself,  
and so bring us at the last to thy heavenly city  
where we shall see thee face to face;  
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,  
who liveth and reigneth with thee,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen.

**The Hymns:** 558, 487, 520, 496

**The Anthem:** Almighty God, which hast me brought –  
(Thomas Ford)  
*'Almighty God, which hast me brought in safety to this present day, keep me from sin in heart and thought, and teach me what to do and say. Prosper me, Lord, in all my works, help me with thy continual grace, keep me from Satan vile that lurks to trap my soul in every place. Almighty Lord and God of love, direct mine heart and guide my ways, amend my miss, my mind remove from all that from thy glory strays'*

## **Psalm: 8**

1. O Lord our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in / all the / world:  
thou hast set thy / glory / a / bove the heavens!
2. Out of the mouths of very babes and sucklings has thou ordained strength, be / cause of / thine enemies:  
that thou mightest still the / enemy / and the a / venger.
3. For I will consider thy heavens, even the / works of / thy fingers:  
the moon and the stars / which thou / hast or / dained.
4. What is man, that thou art / mindful of / him:  
and the son of man, that / thou / visitest / him?
5. Thou madest him little lower / than the / angels:  
to / crown him with / glory and / worship.
6. Thou makest him to have dominion of the / works of / thy hands:  
and thou hast put all things in sub / jection / under his / feet:
7. All / sheep and / oxen:  
yea and the / beasts / of the / field;
8. The fowls of the air and the / fishes of the / sea:  
and whatsoever walketh / through the / paths of / the seas.
9. O / Lord our / Governor:  
how excellent is thy / Name in / all the / world:

Glory be to the Father, and / to the / Son:  
and / to the / Holy / Ghost  
As it was in the beginning, is now and / ever / shall be:  
world without / end. / A / men.

**Voluntary:** Introduction & Passaglia from Sonata 8 –  
*Josef Rheinberger*

**The flowers wine and Candles** for today have no sponsor

**We pray for the sick:** John & Joan Tovey and Beryl Hancox

## For your information:

### This week:

#### **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October**

10.00am Cleaning party meets in church  
1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)  
7.30pm \*\* Please note that the Old Testament course has been transferred to next week (14<sup>th</sup> October) at the Vicarage

### Next Sunday:

#### **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

6.30pm Choral Eucharist (BCP)  
With guest preacher and celebrant  
The Rev'd Andrew Lenox-Conyngham

#### **The readings and readers for the 6.30pm service**

Amos 5: 6,7, 10-15; Muriel Higgs  
Hebrews 4: 12-end; Delia Overton  
Mark 10: 17-31;

**The sides-people are:** Paul Turner & John Rose  
**On teas & coffees:** Jo & Peter Beavan

### **News**

- A big thank you to everyone for their generous gifts on Gift Day.
- The Vicar is away From 6<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> October (inclusive) if you have problems during this time, please speak to a Warden
- The bells are back! Thursday night bell ringing practice resumes this coming week
- The City Centre Floral Trail was awarded gold in the Urban community category of which it was also the overall winner

### **John Poole FRBS**

John Poole passed away peacefully at home on 2<sup>nd</sup> September. His funeral will be held at Pershore Abbey at 2pm on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October. Followed by the committal at St James, Bishampton and a reception at his home. (Speak to Jacqui in the church office for the address if required)

*If you are a UK taxpayer and do not currently give regularly through the white envelopes scheme or bank standing order, there are yellow 'Gift Aid' envelopes in the pews and at the rear of the church. Putting your donation in one of these yellow envelopes and fully completing the details will increase your giving by 28%. There are no penalties on your tax allowance; it is just a generous tax repayment from H.M. Revenue and Customs. Please do use these yellow envelopes if you can – this is an excellent way of increasing our income at no expense to you. If you wish to discuss regular giving to the church, please speak to the Treasurer.*

## Future dates to remember:

### October:

#### **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October**

1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)  
7.30pm Understanding the Old Testament -  
*The Exodus from Egypt*  
The course continues at the Vicarage

#### **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

11.00am Parish Eucharist (CW)  
6.30pm Sung Evensong (BCP)

#### **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October**

1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)  
7.30pm Understanding the Old Testament –  
*History*  
The course continues at the Vicarage

#### **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October The last Sunday after Trinity - Bible Sunday**

6.30pm Choral Eucharist (BCP)

#### **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October**

1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)

### November:

#### **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November All Saints' / All Souls'**

9.00am All Saints' Said Eucharist (BCP)  
6.30pm All Souls' Evensong with music and prayers (BCP)

#### **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> November**

10.00am Cleaning party meets in church  
1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)

#### **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November ThursdayLive**

1.15-1.45pm Organ recital by Paul Carr  
7.30pm Fireworks party at the Vicarage, tickets £5 food provided - please bring your own fireworks and drinks.

#### **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November Remembrance Sunday**

6.30pm Choral Eucharist (BCP)  
with Act of Remembrance

#### **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November**

1.05pm Said Eucharist (CW)

*\*BCP = Service using The Book of Common Prayer  
CW = Service using Common Worship*

### **Please join us for refreshments after the service**

The weekly Pew Sheet is also available on our website

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