WELCOME

Sunday 28 September 2025 Trinity 15 (Year C)

TAKE HOME TO READ

TODAY



9:30am THE UPPER ROOM Simon Tuke will explain how our donations help the charity

MONDAY



10am-12noon ARK PLAYGROUP For Under 5s and carers. £4 first child, £1 others.

TUESDAY



10:30am-12:30pm CONNECTIONS CAFÉ Coffee, cake & conversation. Puzzles and games.

Sunday

8:00am HOLY COMMUNION (Said)

9:30am PARISH COMMUNION

3:30pm together 🏰 Including the baptism of Otis

Weekdays

9:00am MORNING PRAYER (Tue, Thu, Fri)

9:30am MIDWEEK COMMUNION (Wed)



The Church Office is closed until Tuesday 7 October

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Please support our work: https://bit.ly/Give2StJas

Charity No. 1129286



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COLLECT

Lord God.

defend your Church from all false teaching and give to your people knowledge of your truth, that we may enjoy eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

READING JEREMIAH 32: 1-3a, 6-15

The word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord in the tenth year of King Zedekiah of Judah, which was the eighteenth year of Nebuchadrezzar. At that time the army of the king of Babylon was besieging Jerusalem, and the prophet Jeremiah was confined in the court of the guard that was in the palace of the king of Judah, where King Zedekiah of Judah had confined him.

Jeremiah said, The word of the Lord came to me: Hanamel son of your uncle Shallum is going to come to you and say, 'Buy my field that is at Anathoth, for the right of redemption by purchase is yours.'

Then my cousin Hanamel came to me in the court of the guard, in accordance with the word of the Lord, and said to me, 'Buy my field that is at Anathoth in the land of Benjamin, for the right of possession and redemption is yours; buy it for yourself.' Then I knew that this was the word of the Lord.

And I bought the field at Anathoth from my cousin Hanamel, and weighed out the money to him, seventeen shekels of silver. I signed the deed, sealed it, got witnesses, and weighed the money on scales. Then I took the sealed deed of purchase, containing the terms and conditions, and the open copy; and I gave the deed of purchase to Baruch son of Neriah son of Mahseiah, in the presence of my cousin Hanamel, in the presence of the witnesses who signed the deed of purchase, and in the presence of all the Judeans who were sitting in the court of the guard.

In their presence I charged Baruch, saying, Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel: Take these deeds, both this sealed deed of purchase and this open deed, and put them in an earthenware jar, in order that they may last for a long time. For thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel: Houses and

fields and vineyards shall again be bought in this land.

GOSPEL LUKE 16: 19-31

Jesus told this parable to those among the Pharisees who loved money: 'There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores.

The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades. where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames." But Abraham said, "Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us."

He said, "Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house — for I have five brothers — that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment." Abraham replied, "They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them." He said, "No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent." He said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead"."

HYMNS

HYMN 1

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation; O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation; all ye who hear,

now to his temple draw near, joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth, shieldeth thee gently from harm, or when fainting sustaineth:
 hast thou not seen how thy heart's wishes have been granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee; surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend thee:
ponder anew
what the Almighty can do,
if to the end he befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that
is in me adore him!
all that hath life and breath, come now with
praises before him!
let the Amen
sound from his people again:
gladly for ay we adore him.

HYMN 2

Who would true valour see, let him come hither; one here will constant be, come wind, come weather; there's no discouragement shall make him once relent his first avowed intent to be a pilgrim.

Whoso beset him round with dismal stories, do but themselves confound; his strength the more is.
No lion can him fright; he'll with a giant fight, but he will have the right to be a pilgrim.

No goblin nor foul fiend can daunt his spirit; he knows he at the end shall life inherit.
Then, fancies, fly away; he'll fear not what men say; he'll labour night and day to be a pilgrim.

HYMN 3

Amazing grace (how sweet the sound) that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come:
'tis grace that brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

Yes, when this heart and flesh shall fail, and mortal life shall cease, I shall possess within the veil a life of joy and peace.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine; but God, who called me here below, will be forever mine.

HYMN 4

Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King.
The heavens are not too high,
his praise may thither fly:
the earth is not too low,
his praises there may grow.
Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King.

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King.

The Church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out; but above all the heart must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Sunday 12 October All Age Service 11am

Harvest Meal 12.30pm



Cottage Pie meat or veg
Apple Crumble & custard





Pay what you can (suggested donation £12)
with profits to The Upper Room (supporting homeless people).
Book at: https://bit.ly/StJHarvestMeal

Harvest Appeal

As usual, we will be collecting food and goods for The Upper Room (see insert in weekly sheets from Sun 28 Sep). The charity also needs money for projects to get people into work and haveing.





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