



Seventh Sunday after Trinity 15 July 2018



“It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old.” Mark 6.15

This morning's music

774 Thy kingdom come, O God

270 Great God, your love has called us here (*tune Melita*)

702 The Church's one foundation

419 Kum ba yah

777 To God be the glory!

J S Bach: *Fugue on 'St Anne'*

This morning's readings and prayers

2 Samuel 6. 1-5, 12b-19 (reader: Esther Masih); Ps24;

Ephesians 1. 3-14; (reader: Kathleen Mulligan);

Mark 6.14-29 (Gospeller: Opal Walsh);

Intercessor: Judy Fletcher

Prayer in the silence after communion

Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect for Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; 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.

Post-Communion: 7th Sunday after Trinity

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Next Sunday, Eighth Sunday after Trinity, Proper 11

2 Samuel 7.1-14a (reader: Robert Nicholls); Psalm 89; **Ephesians 2.11-22**; (reader: Trena Radcliffe);

Mark 6.30-34,53-56 (Gospeller: Helen Reid); Intercessor: Jenny Black

Tea and coffee are served in the Hall after the morning service

Today

Traidcraft stall after the morning service – including sale items.

12.15pm for 12.30pm in the Hall: Sunday Table

2.00pm St Nick's is holding its first ever Pet Service this Sunday afternoon. If you would like to come you will be made most welcome.

Monday 16 July

11.00am – 2.00pm Hive Cafe at St Paul's Withington

Also on Tuesday and Wednesday

Tuesday 17 July

7.30pm Evening Prayer.

No Book Group this week – joint meal out with the Needlework Group on Tuesday 31 July

Thursday 19 July

10.00am Holy Communion

Wednesday 25 July

7.30pm Deanery Synod meeting at St Chad's (Postponed from last Wednesday for some reason!)

Tuesday 28 August

7.30pm in church: Practice for the choir and anyone else interested in the new People's Mass settings of the Sanctus and Agnus Dei which we will be using on Sundays from September.

28 – 31 August

At St Nicks: FREE Holiday Club for children 5 to 11 years; the theme is *Space, to infinity and beyond*. Registration forms on St Nick's website.

From Leslie

Fletcher

Dominic, our youngest son, has persuaded me to join him on Sunday 29 July to do

RideLondon, a 46-mile charity bike ride. Whatever I can raise in sponsorship will be split between Christian Aid and the Winter Night Shelter. I have set up two pages on <https://www.justgiving.com/>, one for Christian Aid and one for Greater Together Manchester, the charity which organises the Greater Manchester Winter Night Shelter. Cash-in-hand is also OK!

Plea from the Food Bank

We are currently running low on UHT milk and fruit juice. Also toiletries, especially women's sanitary products. All donations help us meet the growing demand.

Do you have a dog or cat?

A large quantity of pet food has been donated to St Chad's so if you have a dog or cat please take some from the bags by the Food Bank boxes. Maybe make a donation, of food for people, to the Food Bank at the same time?
