

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Wednesday 31st August 10.00am Eucharist with refreshments
Celebrant: The Revd Dr Judith Thomas

Thursday 1st September 7.00pm **SPACE FOR GOD**
The Simple Mass Fr Jeremy

Sunday 4th Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

10.00am Parish Eucharist with Holy Baptism
Celebrant: & Preacher: Fr Jeremy
Crèche & Young Saints

12 noon Young People's Confirmation Course

6.00pm *Celtic Worship at St Luke's*

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Saturday 10.30 - 12.00noon by appointment only

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 28th August 2016 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

*You are very welcome to take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings,
and to remind you of the events taking place.*

**We are delighted to welcome our good friend the Revd Dr Judith Thomas who
will be leading both services this morning.**

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect and Readings: as below.

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST

Service: *The Parish Eucharist for Worship for All*

Hymns: *Hymns Ancient & Modern*

Prelude Prelude on Rhosymedre *R Vaughan Williams*

Opening Hymn 336 All my hope on God is founded

The Lourdes Gloria p4

COLLECT

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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 forever.

Amen.

OT READING Proverbs 25: 6 –7 *Rachel Juden*

A reading from the book of Proverbs. Do not put yourself forward in the king's presence or stand in the place of the great; for it is better to be told, 'Come up here,' than to be put lower in the presence of a noble.

Gradual Hymn 202 Let all the world

GOSPEL Luke 14: 1 & 7 — 14

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely. When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honour, he told them a parable. 'When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honour, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, "Give this person your place," and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, "Friend, move up higher"; then you will be honoured in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.' He said also to the one who had invited him, 'When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbours, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be

blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.'

Sermon	The Revd Dr Judith Thomas	
Offertory Hymn	104 For the beauty of the earth	
Communion Hymn	135 Rock of ages, cleft for me	
Closing Hymn	203 O praise ye the Lord! Praise him in the height	
Organ Postlude	Trumpet Voluntary	<i>J Stanley arr Coleman</i>

Refreshments will be served at the back of the Church
thanks to Gillian Churchill & Sally Gaines

Father Jeremy's Notes

Thursday 1st September 7.00pm sees the return of **SPACE FOR GOD**. This week: The Simple Mass.

Sunday 4th September 12 noon—1.00pm Week 1 of the Children's Confirmation course. Detailed information for the course will follow. The Confirmation, which will be for both adults and children, will take place on Sunday 16th October at Holy Trinity, Cookham.

Bishop of Oxford The Right Reverend Andrew Proud, Bishop of Reading invites everyone to a service to welcome The Right Reverend Steven Croft as Bishop of Oxford at Reading Minster on Wednesday 5th October at 7.45pm. RSVP bishopreading@oxford.anglican.org or 0118 9841216 by Saturday 24th September.

Sunday 2nd October: Traditional Harvest celebration followed by ploughman's lunch in the Birinus Garden (weather permitting). More details to follow.

Saturday 3rd December: Coach trip to Winchester for an 11.15am tour of the Cathedral followed by Advent prayers in the Cathedral at 12.30 then lunch followed by free time at the Christmas Fayre or in the city before departing at 6.00pm. A sign-up sheet is at the back of the Church.

OTHER NEWS

RIDE & STRIDE Saturday 10th September

Thank you very much everyone who has already volunteered to either "Ride and Stride" or act as a Steward. There are still times available to Steward so if anyone else can help please; the sign up list is at the back of Church together with a sponsorship sheet for the Stewarding team. And of course, it would be wonderful if more people would like to "Ride or Stride" themselves!

Stella Harding

Coming soon: **Cre8**

Please join us for our new Friday night service, Cre8, on 16th September at 7.00pm at the Church. There will be discussion, activities and music based around this month's theme: *Adam and Eve*. All families with children aged 8 to 18 and adults too are welcome. We will finish with light refreshments.

Please contact christine@christinepiano.co.uk if you are able to attend.

Christine Dunford