

St. George's, Brockworth

Sunday 7th August 2022

Notices and updates



Brockworth Family Fun Day

Sunday 7th August, 12pm – 6pm, Brockworth Rugby Club Back Field

Kids' stalls – Live music – Outside bar & BBQ – Free entry

Charity raffle for MNDA - Camping chairs and blankets welcome - *Please bring cash for stalls*

This week's diary

Sunday 7 th August	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am 12.00pm	Communion Worship Service : Church Coffee and biscuits : Church Centre Family Worship Service : Church Centre Baptism : Church
Wednesday 10 th August	9.45am	Communion : Church Centre
Thursday 11 th August	10.00am 7.30pm	St George's Flower Arrangers : Church Bell ringing practice : Church
Friday 12 th August	12.00pm	Funeral of Perry Alexander : Church

As we express our joys and concerns to God this week...

Let us be thankful and pray for Brockworth Children & Family Centre; the families who attend and all the staff and volunteers.

Let us pray for those families preparing to bring their children for baptism. As the children begin their amazing journey of faith, lead them in the right path, keep them safe and help them know you are with them, now and always.

Let us pray for God's blessings on Sebastian, who is to be baptised at St George's this Sunday.

Let us continue to pray for healing and wholeness in mind, body and spirit for Jean Corless, Mary, Emma, Joy and Bob Curzon.

Let us pray for the family and friends of Perry Alexander and Amie Davis; pray they would know and experience the peace, presence and comfort of Jesus.

Keep connected with each other and with God.

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

We worship in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Sing: *(click on the song title, and it should open up and play in YouTube)*

652 Seek ye first the kingdom of God

We meet to celebrate the coming of Christ into the world. The word was made flesh and dwelt among us ... and we beheld his glory.

**Almighty God,
To whom all hearts are open,
All desires known,
And from whom no secrets are hidden:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
By the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
That we may perfectly love you,
And worthily magnify your holy name;
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Gathering our thoughts, we remember and confess:

**Our Lord Jesus Christ said;
The first commandment is this;
'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord.
You shall love the Lord your God
With all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind
And with all your strength.'
The second is this, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.'
There is no other commandment greater than these.
On these two commandments
Hang all the law and the prophets.**

Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in your power to do it – Proverbs 3:27

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**Most merciful God,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess that we have sinned
in thought, word and deed.
We have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.**

**In your mercy
forgive what we have been,
help us to amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be;
that we may do justly,
love mercy,
and walk humbly with you, our God. Amen.**

May almighty God have mercy on us and forgive us our sins and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

Take a few moments to sit and think about receiving that unconditional offering of forgiveness through grace.

Collect

Lord God,
your Son left the riches of heaven
and became poor for our sake:
when we prosper save us from pride,
when we are needy save us from despair,
that we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
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Reading : Genesis 15:1-6 (ESV)

God's Covenant with Abram

After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision: "Fear not, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." ² But Abram said, "O Lord GOD, what will you give me, for I continue^[a] childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" ³ And Abram said, "Behold, you have given me no offspring, and a member of my household will be my heir." ⁴ And behold, the word of the LORD came to him: "This man shall not be your heir; your very own son^[b] shall be your heir." ⁵ And he brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven, and number the stars, if you are able to number them." Then he said to him, "So shall your offspring be." ⁶ And he believed the LORD, and he counted it to him as righteousness.

Gospel Reading : Luke 12:32-40 (ESV)

Do Not Be Anxious

"Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. ³³ Sell your possessions, and give to the needy. Provide yourselves with moneybags that do not grow old, with a treasure in the heavens that does not fail, where no thief approaches and no moth destroys. ³⁴ For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

You Must Be Ready

"Stay dressed for action^[f] and keep your lamps burning, ³⁶ and be like men who are waiting for their master to come home from the wedding feast, so that they may open the door to him at once when he comes and knocks. ³⁷ Blessed are those servants^[g] whom the master finds awake when he comes. Truly, I say to you, he will dress himself for service and have them recline at table, and he will come and serve them. ³⁸ If he comes in the second watch, or in the third, and finds them awake, blessed are those servants! ³⁹ But know this, that if the master of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he^[h] would not have left his house to be broken into. ⁴⁰ You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect."

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413 Just as I am (Tune 2)

Let us declare our faith with confidence:

**We believe in God the Father,
who created all things:
for by his will they were created
and have their being.**

**We believe in God the Son,
who was slain:
for with his blood,
he purchased us for God,
from every tribe and language,
from every people and nation.
We believe in God the Holy Spirit:
the Spirit and the Bride say, 'Come!'
Even so come, Lord Jesus! Amen.**

We pray with confidence as our saviour has taught us:

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.**

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595 One more step along the world we go

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Numbers 6:24-26

May the LORD bless you and protect you.

May the LORD smile on you and be gracious to you.

May the LORD show you his favor and give you his peace.

Our worship has ended, but our service now begins. Let us go in peace to love and serve the risen Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Amen.