



Sunday 28th September	8.30am and 10am Holy Communion
Sunday 5th October	8.30am and 11am Holy Communion

Harvest Lunch

Sunday 5th October at 12noon,
after an **11am Church Service.**

Tickets cost £7 and are available from
the church office or members of the social team.

There will be a raffle
(Vegetarian Option Available)

Bring your own drinks.



In Remembrance: There will be a Funeral Service for our dear friend Dorothy Bone, on **Monday 6th October at 2pm** here at St John's. This will be followed by a service at Cheltenham Crematorium at 3.30pm. All who knew Dorothy are warmly invited to stay after the funeral service for light refreshments in the large hall.



A tribute page has been set up in memory of Dorothy, where you can see funeral details, leave messages, and give donations to Brace Dementia Research. Please use the following link: <https://dorothybone.muchloved.com>

Harvest Donations:



We are collecting the following for the work of the Salvation Army in Gloucester: Long-life semi-skimmed milk, breakfast cereal, baked beans, individually wrapped chocolate biscuits (eg Penguins, Club, Kit-Kats, or shop's own brand versions).

Donations of money will be used to support the work of Hungry No More.



Winter Warmers Sign Up: Following on from the success of our Summer Lunches we now have dates for this year's Winter Warmers. Please do sign up to help if you are able. Sign up sheets are on the noticeboard in the south porch. THANK YOU!



Newsletters: Please submit any items for the next newsletter by **Wednesday 1st October**, to the office email: office@stjohnschurchdown.org.uk If for any reason, you no longer wish to receive our newsletter, please notify us at the same email address. Thank you.

Prayer for This Week:

Creator God,
you made me and
you delight in what you have made.
Help me to remember
that together with this whole creation,
I am beautiful, loved and pleasing to your sight.
As I look on the trees you have made,
may I be brought more deeply
into your abundant love for all creation.
Amen.

Prayer and image taken from the following link:
[The Tree of Life | The Church of England](#)



Please continue to take very good care of yourselves and do keep in touch. With love, prayers, and blessings. Jacqui

A member of Churches Together
in Churchdown and Innsworth



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