



# South Wye Benefice Newsletter

## Trinity Sunday

### 31<sup>st</sup> May 2026

*Please welcome Rev. Jackie Nevill and Barry Stephens who are leading the service this week.*

#### South Wye Services and Events week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> May

<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup></b>	9.30am	Joint Benefice Holy Communion at St. Martin's
<b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	1pm	Bible Study in the Narthex
	2pm	Tuesday Coffee in the Narthex
<b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	4pm	Messy Church at St. Martin's

#### St. Martin's Messy Church

Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> June

4-5.30pm in St. Martin's Hall.

*All welcome, children must be accompanied by an adult*



#### For our Prayers

**Those who are ill or in need of your prayers, including:**

Brenda Baylis	Maureen Gerard	Jean D	Kieran	Dawn & Phil A
Pam KW	Duncan KW	Pat D	James	Sue Ranyard
Julie	Kath			

**Those who have died and those who mourn their loss:**

Michael H.. Geoff E.. Valerie N

*If you would like a loved one added to this list, please contact me via the office.*

#### **Collect for Trinity Sunday**

Holy God,  
faithful and unchanging:  
enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,  
and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,  
that we may truly worship you,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

#### **Readings for Trinity Sunday**

**Genesis 1: 1-2, (4a)**

***Six Days of Creation and the Sabbath***

**1** In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, <sup>2</sup> the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters.

**4** And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness.

## Psalm 8

### ***Divine Majesty and Human Dignity***

***To the leader: according to The Gittith. A Psalm of David.***

<sup>1</sup> O LORD, our Sovereign,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

<sup>2</sup> Out of the mouths of babes and infants

you have founded a bulwark because of your foes,

to silence the enemy and the avenger.

<sup>3</sup> When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,

the moon and the stars that you have established;

<sup>4</sup> what are human beings that you are mindful of them,

mortals that you care for them?

<sup>5</sup> Yet you have made them a little lower than God,

and crowned them with glory and honour.

<sup>6</sup> You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;

you have put all things under their feet,

<sup>7</sup> all sheep and oxen,

and also the beasts of the field,

<sup>8</sup> the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,

whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

<sup>9</sup> O LORD, our Sovereign,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

## 2 Corinthians 13: 11-end

### ***Final Greetings and Benediction***

<sup>11</sup> Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. <sup>12</sup> Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

<sup>13</sup> The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

## Matthew 28: 16-end

### ***The Commissioning of the Disciples***

<sup>16</sup> Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. <sup>17</sup> When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. <sup>18</sup> And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'