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Prayer for the week

O God, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee; Mercifully grant, that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bible verses for the week, from this Sunday's Epistle (Ephesians 4)

Let all bitterness, and wrath, and anger, and clamour, and evil-speaking, be put away from you, with all malice. And be ye kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

And from the Gospel (Matthew 9)

Be of good cheer, thy sins be forgiven thee

Quotes for the week

"For prayer is nothing else than being on terms of friendship with God." – Saint Teresa of Ávila

"If you believe in a God who controls the big things, you have to believe in a God who controls the little things. It is we, of course, to whom things look little or big." – Elisabeth Elliot

"It is the duty of every Christian to be Christ to his neighbour." – Martin Luther

Hymn for the week [O Praise Ye the Lord](#)

Would anyone like to volunteer to help occasionally (or more than occasionally if you wish) with serving teas and coffees at Music of Monday? Contact Anthony for more details.

Cake, Coffee and Catechism begins again: *The Catechism group returns for a new term as a place to learn, discuss and explore the Christian faith, and to encourage us in our walks with Christ. This term we will be exploring the Wisdom literature of the Old Testament as it teaches us to live skilfully through life's ups and downs - from the pithy sayings of Proverbs, and the pessimistic musings of Ecclesiastes to the overwhelming suffering of Job. Please note the new time after Compline on Wednesdays: Compline at 5.30, Cake and refreshments at 5.45, Catechism at 6.00, finishing by 7pm. Our first meeting will be on Wednesday October 14th and we will meet weekly until December 2nd.'*

(If you would like an electronic version of this, please email Anthony on Vicar@smng.org.uk)

The week ahead:

Sunday 11th October

8:00-8:30am Holy Communion

10:30 – 11:30am Sung Mattins for 19th Sunday after Trinity and Harvest, in person and streamed on <https://youtube.com/live/BgL86mJnW>

3:00 – 3:30pm Evensong in person and streamed on <https://youtube.com/live/Z99BgmI>

Monday

9:00-9:15am Morning Prayer

1:00-1:40pm Music on Monday

Tuesday

9:00-9:15am Morning Prayer

12:30-1:30pm Bible Study

5:30-5:50pm Evensong

Wednesday

9:00- 9:15am Morning Prayer

1:00-1:30pm Holy Communion

5:30-5:45pm Compline in person and streamed on <https://youtube.com/live/MFhFmYw>

6:00 -7:00pm Coffee, Cake and Catechism

Thursday

9:00-9:15am Morning Prayer

5:30 -5:50pm Evensong

Friday

9:00-9:15am Morning Prayer

1:00-1:30pm Holy Communion

Sunday 18th October

8:00-8:30am Holy Communion

10:30 – 11:30am Sung Holy Communion for St Luke. in person and streamed on <https://youtube.com/live/6CwMCKku>

3:00 – 3:30pm Evening Prayer in person and streamed on <https://youtube.com/live/PXXdNb5k>