ANGLESEY GROUP OF PARISHES
Holy Trinity, Bottisham; St Mary's, Quy; St James', Lode;
St Mary's, Swaffham Bulbeck; St Mary's, Swaffham Prior

Sunday 25 October – Last Sunday after Trinity, Green

9am	**Online service**	**on Zoom**
	Holy Communion BCP	**Swaffham Bulbeck**
10.30am	**Holy Communion**	**Swaffham Prior**

PRAYER REQUESTS

- All in need of God's healing power including: Rod, Kate, Robin, Amanda and Vincent, Jonathan, Mike, Enid, Jutta, David, Linda, Lydia, Derek, Lesley, John, Alun, Janet, and others known to us personally. Giving thanks for those who have been on this list, have recovered and are grateful for our prayers and God's grace.
- In thanksgiving for the lives of the recently departed, including Edward Webb, thinking of his family; Keith Pratt, thinking of Sue and family; Monica Thompson, thinking of Walter and family; Roger Jenyns, thinking of Jill, George, Frances and families; Dr David Hanke, thinking of Veronica and family.
- All those whose memories we treasure as we approach the season of remembrance
- Our Bible Study and fellowship groups which emphasise caring for each other, developing good fellowship and deepening faith
- The people of France and other places affected by rioting and looting

REGULAR EVENTS – open to all in the Benefice

- **Play + Praise –** Fridays in term time, St James', Lode, 9.30am
- **Baby & Toddler Playgroup** – Tuesdays, Holy Trinity, Bottisham, 9am
- **Peaceful & Prayerful Art Group** for adults - first three Fridays of the month, St James' Church, Lode 1.30-3.30pm. All welcome - drawing/painting materials supplied or bring your own craft project; refreshments, 077792 656223 rutheblundell@gmail.com

Bible Study/Prayer Groups

- **Lent Group follow-up – Sacred Space** - St James', Lode, 8-9pm – for prayer, quiet singing and contemplation. First Tuesdays, all welcome lizbutl@gmail.com
- **CbyC: a short contemplative service:** Monthly on first Wednesday**,** 8pm on Zoom – Next: **Wednesday 4 November**
- **Home Study Group**, monthly on first Monday, 10.30am Mike Procter, mike@procter.com - new members welcome
- **Home Study Group**, a Wednesday each month, 10.30am, contact Maggie Field 01223 604019

FORTHCOMING SERVICES

Sunday 1 November – All Saints' Day, Gold or White
9am Online service, on Zoom
10.30am Holy Communion, Bottisham

Sunday 8 November – Remembrance Sunday
9am Online service, on Zoom
10.50am Remembrance Service, Quy, with Bottisham
Act of Remembrance, Lode
Remembrance Service, Swaffham Prior – Scouts
Remembrance Service, Swaffham Bulbeck

Sunday 15 Nov - Second Sunday before Advent, Red or Green
9am Online service, on Zoom
Morning Prayer, Quy
10.30am Holy Communion, Swaffham Bulbeck
Morning Prayer, Bottisham

Sunday 22 November - Christ the King, Red or White
9am Online service, on Zoom
Holy Communion BCP, Swaffham Bulbeck
10.30am Holy Communion, Swaffham Prior – Revd Steve Rothwell, Clergy Development Officer

Thursdays 10.30am Holy Communion, Lode

EVENTS

Sunday 1 November – All Saints' Day – Holy Trinity, Bottisham – please give names of people to be remembered in the service to churchwardens or admin@angleseygroupparishes.co.uk

Thursday 5 November – Visit of Heather Johnstone, our CMS Missionary, St James', Lode, 10.30am for the Holy Communion service, followed by refreshments, 11.45am talk by Heather

Saturday 21 November – Christmas Café & Market – Village Hall, Swaffham Prior, 2-4.30pm – festive bakes and stalls in aid of St Mary's and Red2Green

Saturday 28 November – Coffee and Cake Organ Concert – Wayne Marshall, Holy Trinity, Bottisham, 10.30am – suggested donation £10 for Holy Trinity Building Fund

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Readings for Sunday 25 October – Year A

Collect

Blessed Lord,
who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning:
help us so to hear them,
to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them
that, through patience,
and the comfort of your holy word,
we may embrace and for ever hold fast
the hope of everlasting life,
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Prayer After Communion

God of all grace,
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry
with the bread of his life
and the word of his kingdom:
renew your people with your heavenly grace,
and in all our weakness
sustain us by your true and living bread;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Old Testament - Leviticus 19 1-2, 15-18

[1]The LORD spoke to Moses, saying: [2]Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy.

[15]You shall not render an unjust judgement; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbour. [16]You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbour: I am the LORD.

[17]You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbour, or you will incur guilt yourself. [18]You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbour as yourself: I am the LORD.

Psalm 1

1 Blessed are they who have not walked in the ¹ counsel of the ¹ wicked, ♦
nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the as¹sembly ¹ of the ¹ scornful.

2 Their delight is in the ¹ law of the ¹ Lord ♦
and they meditate on his ¹ law ¹ day and ¹ night.

3 Like a tree planted by streams of water bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that ¹ do not ¹ wither, ♦
whatever they ¹ do, ¹ it shall ¹ prosper.

4 As for the wicked, it is not ¹ so with ¹ them; ♦
they are like chaff which the ¹ wind ¹ blows a¹way.

5 Therefore the wicked shall not be able to ¹ stand in the ¹ judgement, ♦
nor the sinner in the congre¹gation ¹ of the ¹ righteous.

6 For the Lord knows the ¹ way of the ¹ righteous, ♦
but the ¹ way of the ¹ wicked shall ¹ perish.

Glory to the Father and ¹ to the ¹ Son ♦ and ¹ to the ¹ Holy ¹ Spirit;
as it was in the be¹ginning is ¹ now ♦ and shall be for ¹ ever. ¹ A¹men

New Testament - 1 Thessalonians 2 1-8

[1]You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, [2]but though we had already suffered and been shamefully mistreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. [3]For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, [4]but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. [5]As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; [6]nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, [7]though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. [8]So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

Gospel - Matthew 22 34-46

[34]When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, [35]and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. [36]'Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?' [37]He said to him, '"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." [38]This is the greatest and first commandment. 39And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." [40]On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.' [41]Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: [42]'What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?' They said to him, 'The son of David.' [43]He said to them, 'How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying, [44]"The Lord said to my Lord, 'Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet'"? [45]If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?' [46]No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

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