

The Big Prayer Meeting with Graham Kendrick - at St Peter's Church on Thursday 12th September at 7.00 pm. All are welcome.

Praise and Worship Event with Graham Kendrick and his band – Friday 13th September at St Peter's Church. Tickets £10.00 available from Roy and Maddie Sarre during August – t: 263930.

Volunteers

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteers who help in so many areas of church life. ☺
If you would like to get involved please take a look at the Volunteer Board next to the Welcome Desk to see what opportunities there are available.

In particular we are looking for drivers and café team for September.

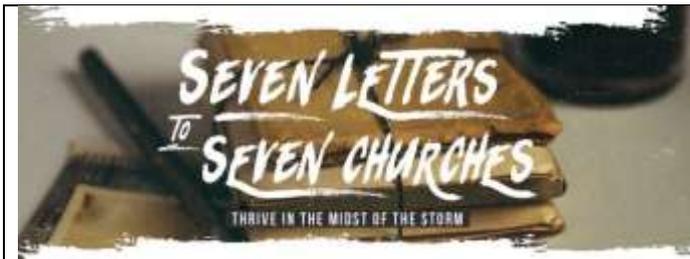
Drivers – if you have a spare half an hour during the week and would be happy to pick up some of our seniors from their homes and take them to some of the seniors events we would be very appreciative. This would be mainly on a Wednesday for the lunches at church or on a Monday afternoon for the small group meetings.

Café Team – we are looking for extra helpers in the café from September. There are a variety of ways in which you could help –

Setting up on a Wednesday afternoon
Clearing up on a Friday afternoon
Being part of the Kitchen team – preparing, dish-washing, clearing
Barrista – train up to use the coffee machine
Baking cakes

Over the summer please pray about ways in which you could get involved in the life of the church. Just fill out one of the forms and drop it in the box and one of the staff team will be in contact. This is a great way to get to know others and be part of a team.

Christmas Angels – having been part of this project for 2 years we have decided not to be involved this year. However, some other churches on the Island are going ahead so if anyone wants to knit angels, please do and I will pass them on to one of the other churches involved. Many thanks, Sue



Over the Summer Sundays in the morning services we will focus on the first part of the Apostle John's book of Revelation. David Bracewell has written about Revelation and says 'that 90% of Christians can't get into it and the other 10% can't get out of it!'

Our hope is that as we look at seven letters written to seven churches (sounds like a musical!) we might discern what God was saying to the Church then and what God might be saying to the Church today in particular Holy Trinity in Guernsey!

Emotionally Healthy Relationships – this course teaches 8 practical skills to empower people to love and relate to one another in a way that builds unity in your church. It's very practical including things like sentence stems you can use to start a difficult conversation with someone. The result is a church where conflicts aren't just IGNORED but are actually RESOLVED. Please contact Bebe on t: 724319 if you are interested.

See www.emotionallyhealthy.org.

Photography! Occasionally we take photos of Trinity activities that we might use in our communications. If you would prefer not to have your face on a photo please let Cynthia know t: 724319 or e: cynthia@trinitygsy.org.

Contactless payment – If you would like to pay for cards or books or just give a donation to Holy Trinity you can now do so by card with our new Sum-Up card machine. Cynth will be at the bookstall after the service if you would like to make a purchase, some book prices have now been reduced!

Tumaini Fund – Urgent Appeal – North Show next week Wednesday 21st and Thursday 22nd August. Extra volunteers needed to man the ticket gates and car-parking. Great fun at one of Guernsey's great events. If you can give 2-3 hours to enable funds to come in for Tumaini to help more orphans (a donation from the Committee, not the entry funds!!). There is free entry to the event afterwards and a cup of tea in the Committee Tent!! How can you resist?? Please contact Susan with your availability on 07781 128019 or yesunitumaini@yahoo.com.

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A Community of faith committed
to making and growing disciples of Jesus Christ.

Sunday 18th August

9.00 am Songs of Praise

**Seven Letters, Seven Churches
Dear Smyrna, Keep on Keeping on
Revelation 2: 8-11**

10.40 am – Worship and Word

6.30 pm – Film Night – 'Risen'

If you are new to Trinity, you are very welcome! Please pick up a welcome pack if you would like more information about us (available from the Welcome Desk). At the end of the service why not join us in the Centre for tea or coffee?



Our young people stay in church for the first couple of songs and sometimes a talk. 0-11's then meet in the centre for a time of worship before choosing their group (Active, Create or Engage). Parents and carers are more than welcome to join us during this time. A crèche for (0-3's) is in Room 1 and 11-14's meet upstairs in Room 4. Our leaders would be happy to help direct you to the right place or answer any questions.

Offerings



If you are a visitor then please don't feel obliged to give! If you consider Holy Trinity to be your spiritual home and you would like to give to the mission and ministry of Trinity then

please place any offerings in the box at the back of the church or an offering is normally taken during services of Holy Communion. If you would like to find out more about giving regularly then please take a leaflet from the Welcome Desk – thanks!

Prayer Ministry



If you would like to pray with someone after the 10.40 am and 6.30 pm services then please go to the front of church where members of the prayer

ministry team would love to pray with you. Prayer is also available during Holy Communion at the 9.00 am service in the Lobby

Welcome to **Rebecca-Rose Malin** and her family here with us today at the 10.40 am service for Rebecca's baptism.



Welcome to Guernsey! This afternoon at Trinity from 2.30 pm to 4.30 pm. If you have recently moved to Guernsey and would like to know a bit more about the island and how it works, or meet with others who have already settled in then join us this afternoon! There will be refreshments, a time to chat with others, crafts and activities for children and young people, information sheets and a short presentation at 3.00 pm. Parking available at Frossard House.

Join us this evening at 6.30pm as we watch the film 'Risen'. Risen is an adventure film that follows Roman Tribune 'Clavius' who is tasked with investigating the disappearance of the body of 'Jesus of Nazareth'. Witness the manhunt that changed the course of human history. Cast include Joseph Fiennes, Peter Firth (Spooks) and Margaret Jackman (Game of Thrones). There will be popcorn too!!



New Wine 2020 – We are looking into taking a group to New Wine next year 25th – 31st July at Peterborough East of England Show Ground. An approximate cost might be in the region of £450 per adult and £400 for under 18's. It would be helpful to know if anyone is interested, as bookings made by 25th September are at a cheaper rate. If you are interested please sign up at the Welcome Desk.

Trinity Books – lot of new titles on the bookstall, cheaper than RRP and you can pay by cash or card. Please come and take a look!



Caring for God's Good Creation - as stewards of God's creation we are planning to take part in A Rocha's award **scheme for churches who want to demonstrate that the gospel is good news for God's earth.** A free online survey and supporting resources are designed to equip the church to express our care for God's world in our worship and teaching; in how we look after our buildings and land; in how we engage with our local community and in global campaigns, and in the personal lifestyles of our congregations. If you would like to be part of a small working group to take this initiative forward please contact Cynthia - cynthia@trinitygsy.org



Remaining, Pruning and New Growth - as a church community we continue to reflect on the following questions based on John 15:

- **Remain** - what do I need to put in place to remain in Jesus - alone and together - in prayer, worship, silence and scripture?
- **Pruning** - what is God calling me to let go of at this time in the church, my work, my family, etc?
- **New Growth** - what am I being called to pick up in the church, my work, my family, etc so that new growth might come?

The **Wider Leadership Team** met recently and we considered these questions both alone and together. Jon hopes to share some of these reflections and insights after the Summer holidays!

Remaining in Jesus Alone and Together

There are loads of helpful resources and activities to help us remain in Jesus. Below are some that might help:

Daily Bible Reading Apps - Bible Society Lyfe, The Bible Project, Bible in One Year, Daily Bread or ask the Church Office to order you a paper copy of Bible notes! Also Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Day by Day books by Pete Scazzero are a great resource for scripture, silence and prayer. Join a small group and study the Bible with others - contact Bebe for more details - Bebe@trinitygsy.org

Worship Alone or Together - loads of great worship music playlists on Spotify or we can order you CDs for home or the car. Belong to the 9am, 10.40am, Messy Church or 6.30pm congregation and come weekly as part of a God-ordained 7 day rhythm of life?

Prayer and Silence - use the 'Year Book and Prayer Diary' to pray for the Trinity community (free from the bookstall). The diary includes a short format for daily prayer. Visit the 24/7 prayer room at St Peter's Church on a regular basis. Practice silence daily - start with 2 minutes and increase the time week by week. Join us Tuesday to Friday at 8.35am in the Lobby for a short time of prayer.

Be intentional about remaining in Jesus - the opportunities are endless!

Diary Dates

Week commencing Monday 19th August 2019
CC = Church Centre

TUESDAY

Prayer – 8.35 am Lobby

WEDNESDAY

Prayer – 8.35 am Lobby

THURSDAY

Prayer – 8.35 am Lobby

FRIDAY

Prayer – 8.35 am Lobby

Services for next Sunday Sunday 25th August

9.00 am – Worship and Word
10.40 am – Holy Communion
6.30 pm – to be confirmed

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For your prayers – Church Family

Heather Legg Vikki Sarre
Sue Sloan Carolyn Ferbrache

Trinity Café – The café will be closed during August, opening again on 12th September.

Vicar: Jon Honour **Associate Pastor:** David Girard **Pastoral Care Co-ordinator:** Bebe Pentland

Church Manager: Cynthia Wilkinson **Community Worker:** Sue Le Fric **Children's Pastor:** Emma Backhouse

Wardens: Anne Bodman and Paul Dowinton **Treasurer:** Derek Baird

Church office open weekdays 9am to 2pm. Contact 724319 or cynthia@trinitygsy.org for any enquiries or to contact any staff.

