

For where your  
*Treasure* is,  
 there will your  
*Heart*  
 be also.  
 ~Matthew 6:21



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**Sunday 26 June 2016**

## Welcome!

*We are delighted to see you, especially if this is your first visit. Please do join us for refreshments in the hall after the 10.30am service.*

Today		living well
8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	
10.30am	Morning Worship	
10.30am	Prayzone	
12.30pm	Picnic at Cockington	
During the Week		living well
Tues	9am Morning Prayer <i>in the church</i>	
	9.30-11.30am Open House Parent & Toddler group <i>in the Lounge</i>	
Wed	9am Holy Communion <i>followed by coffee in the Lounge</i>	
Thurs	12pm Funeral of Glynis Mitchell	
Fri	7.30pm Big Sing with Geraldine Latty and Carey Luce <i>in church</i>	
Sunday 3 July		living well
8am	Holy Communion (BCP)	
9.30am	Breakfastzone - b'fast from 9.15am	
10.30	Holy Communion (CW)	

### Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,  
 by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church  
 is governed and sanctified:  
 hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people,  
 that in their vocation and ministry  
 they may serve you in holiness and truth  
 to the glory of your name;  
 through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, Amen.

## Readings

### 1 Timothy 6: 6-12

<sup>6</sup> But godliness with contentment is great gain. <sup>7</sup> For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. <sup>8</sup> But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that. <sup>9</sup> Those who want to get rich fall into temptation and a trap and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. <sup>10</sup> For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.

<sup>11</sup> But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness. <sup>12</sup> Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses.

### Matthew 6: 19-34

<sup>19</sup> 'Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. <sup>20</sup> But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. <sup>21</sup> For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

<sup>22</sup> 'The eye is the lamp of the body. If your eyes are healthy, your whole body will be full of light. <sup>23</sup> But if your eyes are unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light within you is darkness, how great is that darkness!

<sup>24</sup> 'No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and Money.

<sup>25</sup> 'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? <sup>27</sup> Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life?

<sup>28</sup> 'And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labour or spin. <sup>29</sup> Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendour was dressed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you – you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, "What shall we eat?" or "What shall we drink?" or "What shall we wear?" <sup>32</sup> For the

pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

Use the Beatitudes to guide your prayers this week	
Matthew 5: 3-10	
Sun	Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Mon	Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
Tues	Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
Wed	Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
Thurs	Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
Fri	Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
Sat	Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
Sun	Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

## What's On & News

**The funeral of Douglas Mew** will take place on Thursday 30 June at 2.30pm in Drakes Private Chapel, Hele Road. All are welcome to attend.

**The funeral of Berenice Davies** will take place on 14 July at 2pm at Stockman's Chapel in Preston Road, Paignton. All are welcome to attend.

**Church Family Notice Board in the hall** - this board has recently been 'tidied up' – please check here for news from the church family about upcoming events, sponsorship requests, for sale and wanted etc. Currently Rowcroft sponsorship being requested!

**Thank you** to the new volunteers who have come forward to join the church cleaning team. It is much appreciated. We are just short of a few people now to clean the brass! Please see Jean or the office. Thank you.

**Prayer Pastors** The Street Pastors are looking for more prayer pastors to join the team. For more info see Jean Fricker who is already a prayer pastor.



**Have you booked yet?** It's the Big Sing on 1 July at 7.30pm with Gospel singer Geraldine Latty and Carey Luce. Tickets £10. To book ring Joy Winzer on 01364 642448 or email: joy.winzer@btinternet.com. All welcome!

**New Wine 31 July - 6 August** Half week bookings now available. A great way of giving it a try and joining other St Matts folk going (Sun-Wed or Wed-Sat). See JB for details.



Do you like climbing up ladders? Then we may have a job for you. Our **church clock** needs changing from the inside twice a year (and sometimes more often). It needs someone fairly slight to get inside the bell tower but with a head for heights. John Hart has done this task for many years but wishes to hand it over with instructions! Please see Pere.



**Calling all musicians and vocalists** We are having a get together for current active musicians, vocalists (and prospectives!) to practise and worship together on Thursday 7 July at 7.15 for a 7.30pm start in church. See Jon Bevins for more information.

**Men's Breakfast Sat 9 July** at the Palace Hotel with David Wilkinson as speaker. See Charlie to book or email on c.allansen@btinternet.com

*We are having a special **Church Family BBQ** (with games and a bouncy castle) on **Sunday 10 July**, after the All Age Worship, to welcome our new curate Stephen and his family - please put the date into your diary!  
(Help is needed to run this – please sign up if you can on the list at the back of church.) **There will be a short meeting of helpers at 12pm in church on 3 July. Thank you.***



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