



## HARVEST FESTIVAL

Our Harvest filled the church to the Glory of God showing him our thankfulness for all He provides. Yet, the true harvest is found in the faces of the congregation. Bishop Paul spoke about Psalm 65 and we will not forget the visit of the two camels in a hurry. Winnie won the large box of goodies and our Harvest Auction was also a great success. We raised £310 in just over an hour. I was also great to see visitors from Fernwood Court Care Home next door. They really enjoyed joining in the fun.



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### SUNDAY SERVICES

**10am ~ Morning Service**

**11:30am ~ Family Praise**

**6pm ~ Evening Prayer**

**Holy Communion 1st am & 3rd pm Services**



### LESSONS LOG

**12th Oct—Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 or Psalm 23; Isaiah 25:1-9  
Exodus 32:1-14; Phil 4:1-9; Matthew 22:1-14  
am L-Bishop, P-Mark (HC); pm L-Bishop, P-Paul**

**19th Oct—Psalm 99; or 96:1-9; Exodus 33:12-23  
Isaiah 45:1-7; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10; Matthew 22:15-22  
am L-Paul, P-Colin; pm L-Colin, P-Bishop (HC)**

**26th Oct—Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17 or Psalm 1; Deut 34:1-12  
or Lev 19:1-2, 15-18; 1 Thess 2:1-8; Matthew 22:34-46  
am L-Bishop, P-Paul; pm L-Bishop, P-Mark**



## WEEKLY PRAYER UPDATE

- Lord, we pray for **Pamela, Chrissie**, and great grandson **Finley**. Pamela is particularly poorly at the moment with a bleed behind her eye.
- Lord, we put the following friends and congregation into your hands: **Jean, Pam** and **Elizabeth**.
- Thank you for all the prayers in support of **Hilary**, a friend of Colin and Bishop Paul. She continues to be well and really enjoyed coming to church last Sunday with her husband **Don**.
- Lord, we continue to pray for the family of **Julie** (Mary's daughter) Please remember particularly **Mary, Thomas** and Julie's partner, **Ian** in your prayers and the many friends whose lives she touched. Give thanks for the fantastic £2,000 raised for MacMillan nurses.
- We bring **Betty & Colin** before you, Lord. Keep them safe.
- Lord, thank you that **Arlene** is keeping much better.
- Please pray for **Iris** and **Alan** with Alan's deteriorating health.
- Lord, we pray for Dan's Nan, **Dot**, who is rather unwell at the moment.
- Pray for **Audrey** who battles on with her mobility difficulties.
- Lord, we continue to pray for **Carole**.
- Pray for **Doris** who continues to suffer with sciatica.
- Thank you, Lord, for the worship team of **Nigel, Colin, and the Revds Paul and Mark** who assist Bishop Paul in the running of all the church services.
- Pray for **Jean** following the sad news of **Al** as he has lost his battle against cancer. Pray too for the family, especially **Katie** who was in Egypt when her dad passed away. The funeral takes place this coming Friday at 12:15pm at Bushbury Crem.
- Continue to pray for **Doreen** and **Jimmy's Ukrainian family**.
- Pray for **Steph** as she is treated with a series of Radiotherapy.
- Pray for **John Haynes**. Give thanks he is back home now.
- Pray for **Kate**, a relative of John Haynes, who is fighting against cancer for the fourth time. Remember too, **Phil**, her husband.
- Please pray for the congregation at **Christ Church, Broadstairs** and their minister, **the Revd Alan Harvey** who is 89 years old.
- Please continue to pray for **Daniel Choe, Grace** and all the members at **Emmanuel Church**.
- Pray for **Thelma**, who is a little better. Pray for **Brian** too.
- Pray for **Pete**, the partner of Margaret's niece, Amy. He has now been transferred for rehabilitation.
- Continue to pray for **Lewis Robinson**, who is the grandson of June's sister, Janet, suffering with Crohn's disease.
- Pray for **Rene** and her poorly husband, **Fred**.
- Remember **Winnie** in your prayers as she has lost both her sister and her brother recently. Give thanks that her husband, **Ray** is much better.
- Pray for **Bishop Josep** as he continues his mission to bring Jesus into the lives of the people of Brazil.
- Pray for the family of **Corinne Osborne** who was 61. Her funeral takes place at Streetly on Thursday 16th October at 12noon.
- Pray for Peter's wife **Belle**. She has to spend a few days in hospital. May she be home soon, Lord.

### BE A PRAYER WARRIOR!

*Do you feel you have a burning desire to offer God something, but because of infirmity or age or distance, doing things is difficult? Then why not join our growing number of Prayer Warriors. All you have to do is pray for all those mentioned above and your own family and friends every day. Let Bishop Paul know you are doing this and watch the results. Prayers are being answered daily!*



## MacMillan Cancer Support TEA PARTY & FUN FOR ALL Sunday 26th October 2pm to 4pm

Local beauty salon – Jades Beauty is holding a charity Tea Party to raise much needed funds for the Cancer support charity Macmillan. The afternoon is to include cakes and confectionery, refreshments, face painting, glitter tattoos, a raffle and fun for adults and children. Other local businesses in the area are supporting this event with donations.



## Nail Clinic

**MONDAY 20th OCTOBER**

**1pm to 4:30pm**

**St Andrew's Church Hall**

**CALL FOR AN APPOINTMENT ON**

**07717290891**

**Hand and Foot massage - Treatment of split nails  
and Hard Skin - Filing - Diabetes Care, Etc...  
Registered Nail Carers**

### ST ANDREW'S HOME MISSION PROJECTS 2014

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO GIVE GENEROUSLY  
HELP US REACH EVEN MORE PEOPLE IN NEED.  
THIS PROJECT WILL CONTINUE THROUGHOUT 2014.**



### COFFEE & CHAT 4 FREE

The Coffee & Chat Shop will be open for business as usual tomorrow.

Come and enjoy the chat and a specialised coffee or the best Bishop's Brew in Bentley! Toast is always available with jam or marmalade or just butter.

Numbers per week average at about 30 visitors.

This is a **free** community project compliments of St Andrew's Church and you will, as always, be made very welcome. See ya!



## ST ANDREW'S CHURCH BENTLEY

## WEEKLY NEWS & PRAYER SHEET

## SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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