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**The Deadline for Notice details is 9am
 Thursday morning.**
 Leave messages on ☎ 762931 or email
hthg@btinternet.com with "Notices" in
 the subject line.
N.B. this leaflet is included in the Holy
 Trinity website: <http://www.hthg.org.uk>

The aim of Holy Trinity is to be an open door between heaven and earth,
 showing God's love to all

The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity September 28th 2008

8 am Holy Communion Hugh Houghton

Epistle: Ephesians 4. 17. (page 239)
 Reader: Valerie Baker
 Gospel: St. Matthew 9. 1.

*Faithful Lord, whose steadfast love never ceases and whose mercies never
 come to an end: grant us the grace to trust you and to receive the gifts of
 your love, new every morning, in Jesus Christ our Lord.*

10 am Eucharist Linda Green

Reading: Philippians 2. 1-13 (Page 318)
 Reader: Alan Pope
 Gospel: Matthew 21. 23-32
 Preacher: Linda Green
 Intercessions: Margaret Taylor
 Hymns: 455 Guide me, o thou great Redeemer
 QP69 Sent by the Lord am I
 380 At the name of Jesus
 QP5 As a fire is meant for burning
 QP64 Over my head, I hear music in the air
 Choir Anthem: In Nomine Jesu (Jacob Handl)
 Voluntary: Scherzetto (William Walton)

6 pm Evensong Linda Green

1st Lesson: 2 Kings 6, 8-17
 2nd Lesson: Matthew 18, 1-6 & 10.
 Readers: David & Anne Blackman
 Hymn: 626 Ye holy angels bright
 Psalm 91 (Page 537)
 Hymns: 245 Around the throne of God a band
 (omit v.3) 215 For all thy saints, O Lord
 604 Through all the changing scenes of life
 Voluntary: Chorale-Fantasia on Ye Holy Angels Bright (Harold Darke)

Today's Music

This text of this morning's anthem is the Latin version of part of today's New
 Testament reading, Philippians 2: 10-11. The music is an arrangement of the original
 setting by Jacob Handl (1550-1591) which was for male voices only.

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| <i>In nomine Jesu omne genuflectatur, coelestium, terrestrium, et infernorum et omnis lingua confiteatur quia Dominus noster Jesus Christus. In Gloria est Dei Patris</i> | At the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven, on earth, and under the earth; and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. |
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John Main Christian Meditation Group in Headington Quarry offers a six week free
 introduction to meditation in the Christian tradition on Thursdays at 8pm. The system
 that was largely forgotten in the western church for over one thousand years was
 "rediscovered" by Benedictine monk John Main in the 1970s. Since then the
 ecumenical World Community of Christian Meditation (WCCM) has grown enormously
 and there are now groups throughout the UK and in over 100 countries. The series of
 six sessions starts on the evening of **Thursday 9th October** (no meeting on 30th
 October due to half-term). We will use the WCCM mantra-based meditation. To find
 out more please phone Anne Tarassenko (01865 751433), Kris Fleck (01865 772300),
 David Parrish or Ida-Eline Engh (01865 761760) or talk to us after the 10 am service.

Food for Thought Lunch The next lunch is Tuesday October 14th

Doing Justice to Spirituality Saturday October 4th 10.30 - 4pm please see the
 notice board at the back of church for more information.

A WARM WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY

Creche Toddlers are very welcome at our services. If you think it would help to give them a break from the service, there is a room towards the front left of the church where you can take them. There are toys, a toilet and you can hear the service through a speaker.

Sunday School (3-10) at the Coach House. The children join us later in the service.

10+ Group Meets fortnightly at 10am Contact Sally Purbrick Tel. 769677 or email sally.purbrick@virgin.net.

Coffee Hour immediately following the service at the Coach House.

Youth work: 2 groups for Yrs 8-10 & 11 up meet at different venues on alternate Sunday evenings at 7.30 pm. Ask Clergy for details.

Morning Prayer Tuesday to Thursday at 8.30 am

Newcomers to Holy Trinity please fill in a newcomers slip to be found in the pews.

CHURCH CALENDAR

September

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| 29th Tuesday | 10am Pram service 8pm Discussion about the Parish Development plan |
| 30th Wednesday | 10am Eucharist |
| 3rd October Friday | 7.45pm Taize |
| 4th Saturday | 6.30pm Ceilidh at Headington Community Centre |
| 5th Sunday | 8am Holy Communion 10am All Age Harvest Communion 6pm Harvest Choral Evensong |

LARGE PRINT HYMN AND SERVICE BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE, PLEASE ASK A SIDESPERSON

Harvest lunch Volunteers needed on Sunday October 5th at the Village Hall in Quarry Road. There is a sign up list at the back of the church for you to say whether you are bringing a savoury or sweet dish to share which will also give us an idea of numbers. We need helpers to set out the food and wash up afterwards. We also need some strong people to set up the tables about 9.30 on the Sunday morning. Please contact Pat Whitehouse (761718) with offers of help.

Flower fund Although we have received generous donations for church flowers, for which we are very grateful, the Flower Fund at the moment is unusually low, simply because this year there have been very few weddings in the church. A wedding means that flowers remain in church over the following weekend, but with few weddings we have recently had to draw much more than usual on our own funds. With Harvest Festival approaching, we would welcome any contributions people feel able to give towards decorating the church and for any other weeks special to them. Donations can be given to Margaret Woodcock or Flora Alexander.

Mens Breakfast Saturday 11th October 8.30am The speaker will be Dr Mark Huckstep. Please sign up on the list at the back of church for numbers or see Kevin Masters or Dominic Vickers for more information.

HOLY TRINITY AUTUMN SERIES. Tuesday evenings 8-9.30pm in the church_A

series of talks and discussions beginning with a chance to reflect on and respond to the work done by the P.C.C. on the development of the parish, and followed by discussions on 3 issues which are being debated in the church at this time. Each evening will start with a talk by the leader and will lead into broad discussion. No resolutions will be made! But hopefully a greater understanding of the issues will be gained by all and we will find a basis for future discussions.

1. **Sept. 30: Parish development plan** - a discussion led by Tim Stead
2. **Oct 21: Women bishops and gender issues** - led by Revd. Elaine Bardwell (Local priest)
3. **Nov 4: Islam and interfaith relationships** - led by Dr. Martin Conway- Chair Anglo/Asian Association
4. **Nov 18: Sexuality and the church.** - led by Alison Webster (Diocesan social responsibility advisor)

Parish development booklet 'Celebrating life, living for others' Please take a copy away with you after the service (one per family/couple). This will be presented on Tuesday September 30th see notice above please come along if you can.

Linda Green. Please pray for Linda at this time as she explores opportunities for her future ministry and for taking on a parish of her own. Just for clarification, Linda is applying for jobs at present and hopes to have secured one in the next few months. Your prayers are asked that she will be able to discern God's will for her future and that the process will not be too drawn out. You can be assured that as soon as there is any news it will be announced. Linda knows that you are concerned for her welfare, so please keep enquiries to a minimum, as it can be exhausting relaying information many times over. In the meantime Linda continues to be fully committed to us here at Holy Trinity.

DVD Group this is a new group organised by Sarah Lake for young adults. The first meeting will be to watch the DVD 'Beyond Borders' Cert 15. Please meet at the Coach House at 1.30 on October 4th to walk to Sarah's house. For more details see Sarah in church or email sarahlouiselake@hotmail.co.uk

Emergency Food Bank, St. Francis Church. Remember to bring items for the boxes.

Churches Together in Headington are looking for an Honorary Secretary. If you are interested, please contact Ian Alexander (764524).

