

The Ampleforth Benefice

Sunday 14th October 2018

The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

10.30am: Benefice Eucharist at Holy Trinity, Stonegrave

6pm: Evening Prayer at Oswaldkirk

Prayers of thanksgiving: for Alexander, Juliette, and all children celebrating their birthdays this week. We give thanks to God for guiding us from birth and we trust our future to Jesus the Good Shepherd.

For those who are ill, confined to home and in need:

from Gilling: Rita Sutcliffe, Margaret Wilson

from Oswaldkirk: Gareth Thomas

For the recently faithful departed:

John Webb

For those whose anniversaries are remembered at this time:

from Ampleforth: Mabel Ethel Ventress, Michael Gubins, Lily Ann Benson, Frank Trentholme, Zillah Moore

from Oswaldkirk: Agnes Masterman (1980), William Cooper (1979) - also Florence

from Stonegrave: John Henry Thompson (1973), Dorothy Gwendoline Clipston (1974)

Praying at home during the week:

In our Gospel passage from Mark this week, we hear of the man who asks Jesus what he must do to inherit eternal life. Jesus looks at the man, loves him, and says that he must sell his possessions, give them to the poor, and then follow him. Jesus knows our hearts and the things we cling to, the things that get in the way of living our life in fullness with God. For the man in the Gospel passage, it was wealth and material possessions, for you or me, it may be different. In our daily prayer at home this week, let us ask Jesus to look at us with love and tell us what we must give up to then go and follow him.

Regular services for the coming week

Monday 15th October at 9am: Morning Prayer at Gilling

Wednesday 17th October at 9.15am: Morning Prayer at Oswaldkirk.

Thursday 18th October at 9.30am: Eucharist at Ampleforth;

Friday 19th October at 9am: Mattins at Stonegrave

Benefice Notices

Throughout the Deanery this week, we pray for:
Christ Church, Appleton le Moors

Funeral

The funeral service for John Webb (Oswaldkirk) will take place on Friday 26th October at 2.30 pm at St Oswald's. We pray especially for Ursula, and their children, Rosie, Henry and Hugh, at this time.

Choral Evensong at Stonegrave

Not to be missed! Join us at Stonegrave next Sunday (21st) at 6 pm with members of the Helmsley Chamber Choir for a delightful sung evensong in the beautiful church of Holy Trinity. This is the last of the season, and will begin again next April.

Oswaldkirk Safari lunch

Sunday, 21st October from 12 noon

£ 16: Adult. 6-12 yrs: £6

5 and under: free.

Bookings: Helen Goodman 788401

Jane Dexter-Smith 788932

WW1 Centenary lunch

Following the church service to mark the centenary of the end of WW1 at St Hilda's on the **Sunday 4th November** is a lunch in the Village Hall. Please bring food donations to the Village Hall on the morning of the service. There is a list of requested food items at the back of St Hilda's Church.

To include details of your forthcoming event, please contact Stuart Charman by Thursday on 01439 788194 or email

benefice.notices@gmail.com

Next Sunday, Twenty-first after Trinity, 21st October

9.15am: Eucharist at Holy Cross, Gilling

9.15am: Morning prayer with Sermon at St Oswald's, Oswaldkirk

11am: BCP Holy Communion at St Hilda's, Ampleforth

6pm: Choral Evensong at Holy Trinity, Stonegrave (**LAST OF THE SEASON**)

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