

# LIFE @ TRINITY

18th October 2015



**10.30am**      **Peter Holwell**  
**Communion &**  
**Welcome Service for**  
**New Members**

**6.00pm**      **Peter Waugh**  
**'Journeying with Jesus -**  
**Part 3'**

## Welcome!

A warm welcome to worship at Trinity today. We hope you enjoy meeting with us as we worship God together.

If you are here for the first time, why not fill in a Welcome Card and continue to keep in touch with all that goes on at Trinity. Just speak to a Steward and they will help you.

We hope you will join us for tea and coffee in the Café after the Service.

## Children @ Trinity

All children are welcome to take part in YOUNG CHURCH. We have a supervised crèche 'Dots & Tots' which takes place in the Breamish Room. For children over 3 years we have 'Carousel.' They meet in the Tyne Hall upstairs. For young people over 12 years, we have 'Elevate' in the Allen Room upstairs.

**Children attending for the first time need a responsible adult to accompany them to sign the necessary Safeguarding forms before returning to the Service.**

***'Meet God, Meet Friends, Live Life Better'***

## What's On

### Events @ Trinity

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October – Trinity Trekkers. Approx. 7 miles along both sides of the Derwent Valley**, between Chopwell Woods and Ebchester, including the early 18<sup>th</sup> century Derwentcote steel furnace, and part of the Derwent Walk. Walking surfaces range from tarmac to nature – ascent/descent around 165m. Meet in Coxlodge Methodist Church car park from 9.15am – depart 9.30am. Boots, packed lunch and waterproofs advised. For more information contact Jean and John Fisher – 0191 285 8317.

**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October, 7.30pm – a Concert at Trinity for SYK Trust.** Singing by 'Simply Lyrical' – Michael Gardner and Julie Gardner, and Hazel Glynn. With Peter Waugh on piano and organ. This is a good cause in memory of a great lady and we'd welcome your support. More publicity to follow, but you can direct any questions to Peter or Dermot Killingley. Thank you.

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November, Trinity's Annual Autumn Fair** – sponsored by the FUNdraising Group. We would appreciate any and all assistance offered. Can you help with setting and clearing up; refreshments; running a stall; a roving raffle; making cakes; biscuits; jams and preserves? Any ideas for a different/unusual stall will be welcome and we would like to have as many people as possible involved. We also need donated 'things' – particularly those with a Christmas flavour - for a gift stall, a raffle and tombola. Craft items and homemade goodies of all sorts will be welcome. Please let me or any other member of the FUNdraising Group know if you can help. Thanks, *Jane Waugh on behalf of the FUNdraising Group.*

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December – date for your diaries!** – Quiz Night and buffet. Further details to follow.

### Events Elsewhere

**From October until Summer 2016**, there will be a series of lunchtime concerts at Brunswick Methodist Church, whilst the King's Hall at Newcastle University is being refurbished. The concerts are free and begin at 1.10pm (50 minutes duration). The next concerts are: **Thursday 22nd October, 5th November, 3rd December and 10<sup>th</sup> December.** See i folder for further information.

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November, Matt Redman & Kari Jobe - Unbroken Praise Tour** Newcastle City Hall @ 6.30pm. To book tickets: <http://www.bigchurchnightin.com/>

*Flower person for the month*  
*Carole Eke*  
  
*Today*  
*Jo Dyson*

**Women's Fellowship**  
**Next Meeting:**  
**Tuesday, 20th October at 2.15pm**  
  
**Mrs Margaret Wright**

## **Notices:**

**Robert Casson Brown** – It is with great sadness we share that Casson Brown died peacefully after a courageous battle with illness on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2015. The funeral Service is on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2015 at 2pm, Trinity Church, followed by refreshments.

**Margaret Mary Lomas** – We also share the sad news that Margaret Lomas died on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2015. The funeral Service is being held at 10am, West Road Crematorium on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October.

**Harvest Foodbank Donations** – Trinity donated almost 100 kilos of food to the Newcastle East Foodbank which equates to 300 meals for those facing a crisis in whatever circumstance. A **HUGE** thank you to Trinity members for your gifts. Please continue your support and if possible would you bring provisions in plastic bags as the Foodbank can no longer obtain free carrier bags. Thanks again for caring so much. *Ann English.*

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November, 7pm – 9pm – Safeguarding Training, Creating Safer Space, Foundation Module.** This is a catch up module for those of you who have not already done it. Venue: Ponteland Methodist Church, NE20 9BE. To book a place in advance contact David Stabler on 0191 232 1693 or email: [circuitoffice@brunswickmethodist.org.uk](mailto:circuitoffice@brunswickmethodist.org.uk). If you have any queries, please speak to Helen Pickard. See i folder.

**Toddlers** - On the theme of Toddlers, these are important groups and as a Church, we are afforded the opportunity to reach out to the young families in the community. However, we are struggling in that we don't have enough volunteers, in particular the Wednesday group – Sally and Jean left a big hole.

Do you think you could offer one or more mornings a month to come along and make coffee, take the money or just sit and talk to the mums? You don't need tons of experience, you just need to be able to smile and say hello! If you think you can help us, please contact me, Andie Cozens on [andrea.cozens@trinitygosforth.org.uk](mailto:andrea.cozens@trinitygosforth.org.uk) or leave a message with Linda in the office. I would love to hear from you. *Andie Cozens.*

**Shoe Boxes 2015** - It's that time of year again! Boxes will be available on 7<sup>th</sup> November at the coffee morning, (when contents are for sale): also after Sunday Morning Services and during the week from reception. Drop off between Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November and Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November. Thousands of Syrian refugees have joined the many desperate children needing help. Thank you for your support. *Kathy Gibson.*

## Sundays @ Trinity

25 <sup>th</sup> October	10.30am 6.00pm	Peter Holwell 'Café Church' <i>Contemporary worship Service in Café with tea/coffee/cakes for all!</i>
1 <sup>st</sup> November	8.45am 10.30am 6.00pm	Peter Holwell – 'Early Morning Communion' Alison Moodie Own Arrangement

.....At our recent Church Council, the method of how we take up the offering was discussed. It was agreed that we would try a different system.

**From Sunday November 1<sup>st</sup>**, the plates will be left at the entrances to church and people will be invited to place their gifts as they enter church. During the Service, when the offering is announced, then the stewards will bring the plates forward and a prayer of blessing will be used.

The key reasons for this are:

The offering is a time when we make our total response to the Word of God, the emphasis can sometimes appear to be on the financial gifts; many people give through standing order or monthly payments; when non-regulars are in church they can be uncertain about what is going on and especially if a baptismal party, they will be the first to have the plate placed in front of them; the confusion that sometimes happens when the plate is passed along the rows.

It is recognised this will take a few weeks for people to get used to and we will ensure that plates are left at the entrances to church after the Service as well as before.....**Peter**



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