

# LIFE @ TRINITY

29th October 2017



**10.30am**     **Peter Holwell**  
Passionate Worship 4  
Isaiah 6:1-8  
Romans 12:1-2

**6.00pm**     **Circuit Service**  
*Heaton Methodist Church*  
**Including good news stories from  
around the Circuit.**

## 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 during main church Service. We have a supervised crèche for children aged 3 yrs and under in the Breamish room.

We have **Explorers** for 3-6yrs in the **Coquet room** (next door to crèche).

We have **Enquirers** for 7-11yrs in the **Derwent room** (opposite the crèche).

We have **Elevate** for 11+ upstairs in the **Allen Room**.

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

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

*Flower person for the month*

*Anne Morton*

*Today*

*Anne Morton*

**Women's Fellowship**  
**Next meeting**

**Tuesday 31st October at 2.15pm**

**Mrs Margaret Wright**

*All ladies welcome*

## **NOTICES**

**Macmillan Coffee Morning** – we raised the sum of **£370.71** at the coffee morning. Many thanks to everyone who contributed.

**Food Bank Collections** – Alan and Linda Nicholson have kindly taken over the running of Trinity's food bank collections. Please continue to bring in your donations to reception and Alan and Linda will make the journeys to the Newcastle's East End food bank. **Food Bank essentials needed** – there is a shortage of men's and women's toiletries, including shower gel, deodorant, shampoo and men's razors. Many thanks.

**The 2017 Limited Edition of the 'Fairly Famous Christmas Wine Cake'** will be a little late this year. I cannot get any ready for the Autumn Fair on 4th November, but they will be available later in November and at the Choir's Coffee Morning on 2nd December. If you want to reserve one, please let me know or speak to the ladies on the cakes and preserves stall at the Autumn Fair. Many thanks. *Jane Waugh.*

**Knitted Angels!** Many thanks to all who have knitted and are still knitting!! As soon as Angels are finished, please take them to the Trinity office as they need to have labels attached. Many thanks. *David Lowry.*

Please note **carpet bowls** will restart on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November. *Alastair McWilliam.*

**During the Autumn we will be welcoming new members to Trinity.** If you have been considering whether you would like to come into membership, or would like to explore what that means, please contact either Peter, Mary, Rosemary or Peter Short over the next few weeks for an informal conversation. We look forward to hearing from you.

**Who said praying was easy?** If we are honest, we often find it hard to sustain a daily personal prayer life. In November we are going to look into this issue on a couple of Sunday evenings. So that we don't answer questions nobody is asking, we want to know what the real prayer challenges for Trinity folk are. Will you please help us prepare for that? Could you let us know what the obstacles are for you? And what helps? If so, kindly jot down just a couple of sentences, pop your note in an envelope and stick it in the Minister's pigeon hole by the **end of October** - anonymously please! Thank you for your help.

## EVENTS AND GROUPS @ TRINITY

**The Autumn Fair will be on Saturday 4th November** and will be held in the Church, rather than the Tyne Hall. It will be sponsored by the group formerly known as the FUNdraising Committee and we would be grateful, not to say overjoyed, for any and all help on offer. There will be more stalls than usual and these will include gifts and a Christmas stall by Young Church. Donations of items for the raffle, storecupboard tombola, bric-a-brac, cakes and preserves and gifts will be very much appreciated. If you can help in any way, please let me know on 0191 284 8608. Many thanks. *Jane Waugh*.

**Advance Notice – The Musical Society presents ‘Bertie on the Pinafore!’** – a Jeeves & Wooster musical at Trinity. Performances 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm. Tickets £7, [www.gosforthmusical.org@gosmusic](http://www.gosforthmusical.org@gosmusic) or on the door.

## EVENTS ELSEWHERE

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November, 12noon – 2pm, Brunswick Advent ‘BIG SING!’** – join in and learn some of the new Advent hymns and songs in our hymn book, ‘Singing the Faith,’ as well as enjoying some well-known favourites. Please pass your requests to Brunswick Church office before the event. Refreshments will be served. All welcome.

### **Sundays @ Trinity**

#### ***Meet God :: Meet Friends :: Live Life Better***

<b>5<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	<b>Mary Bellshaw</b>
	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Mary Bellshaw</b>
	<b>4.00pm</b>	<b>Rooted</b>
	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Connect</b>
<b>12<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Peter Holwell</b>
	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Peter Holwell</b>
<b>19<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Peter Holwell</b>
	<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Connect</b>

## **So what is this about Passionate Worship?**

Some of you will be fully aware that we are doing a series of preaching themes around the five headings of a book by Robert Schnase, but it's useful to sometimes have a recap.

Some months ago we looked at Radical Hospitality, as part of that we have tried to let it permeate our whole approach to our interaction with one another and others.

**Passionate Worship** is the second of the themes. As we were reminded last week, worship is not something done by one person for the rest of us, but something we all participate in that is done for God. Through it we are changed and that change is reflected in our lives and in our worship.

**Intentional Faith Development** will be our next theme in the New Year. When was the last time we deliberately planned to nurture our faith, set time aside and made a discipline of exploring faith questions?

**Risk-taking Mission and Service** is the fourth practice to be explored. At the heart of our faith is that great command of Jesus to go and tell – what we tell is the Kingdom of God and that is told through actions as well as words.

**The final practice in the series is Extravagant Generosity**, at the heart of this is not money, but a response to the generosity of a God who gave himself in Jesus Christ.

As you see we are only on the second practice, but each one interacts and impacts on the other. It must never be a case of “well we've ticked that one off the list.” Each part should leave us changed both personally and as a church family.

I look forward to continuing to share the journey with you.

*Peter*



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