

Benefice of
Goring & Streatley
with South Stoke



Sunday 19th June, Father's Day

1st after Trinity

Welcome to Church

We all share one heavenly parent.
So Our Father's Day is a strand we can
all embrace.

The Collect, the prayer for the week

O God,
the strength of all those who put their
trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.



Readings for this Sunday: Gal. 3: 23-end, Psalm 22: 19-28 & Luke 8: 26-39.

This weekend:

- 8:00am BCP Holy Communion at St Thomas'
- 9:30am Good News service at St Thomas'
- 11:15am BCP Holy Communion at St Mary's
- 11:15am Good News service at St Andrew's
- 3:00pm Wild Church meeting at the top of the Coombe

Newsletter changes

Those of you who were able to be at the service at St Mary's last Sunday may have been given a paper news sheet with the collect, details of events in the coming week and space for you to write notes on the sermon. This will be available in our services each week so do please bring a pen! The electronic weekly newsletter will continue to be sent out each Friday.

The Gap Festival feedback

Thank you so much to Ron Bridle and Ginny Avery for bringing together an amazing programme and team to bless all the community. From the Street Party through to events for nearly every taste.

We were privileged to have the bullet proof cars sweep in and bring our special guest and to have the blessing of Bishop Steven for our morning service as well. He gently encouraged us of the good things that are at work by God in the world, and called us to grow in relationship, beginning with any of the persons of the Trinity, as our starter.

Daily acts of worship often took a slot as part of Festival Calm. Thank you to Sarah for organising all of those.

You are welcome to join our regular **Morning Prayer** either in person (or by phone or Zoom by arrangement) Monday and Friday in St Thomas', Tuesday and Thursday in St Mary's at 8.30am.

Ukraine coffee morning

The second of these events will be taking place at Goring Free Church this Monday at 10am.

DEC collection

Next Sunday (26th June) there will be collection for the DEC appeal for Ukraine if you wish to contribute in this way rather than online.

Psalm 22, 19-28

- 19 Be not far from me, O Lord;
you are my strength; hasten to help me.
20 Deliver my soul from the sword,



my poor life from the power of the dog.

21 Save me from the lion's mouth,
from the horns of wild oxen.

You have answered me!

22 I will tell of your name to my people;
in the midst of the congregation will I praise you.

23 Praise the Lord, you that fear him;
O seed of Jacob, glorify him;
stand in awe of him, O seed of Israel.

24 For he has not despised nor abhorred the suffering of the poor;
neither has he hidden his face from them;
but when they cried to him he heard them.

25 From you comes my praise in the great congregation;
I will perform my vows
in the presence of those that fear you.

26 The poor shall eat and be satisfied;
those who seek the Lord shall praise him;
their hearts shall live for ever.

27 All the ends of the earth
shall remember and turn to the Lord,
and all the families of the nations shall bow before him.

28 For the kingdom is the Lord's
and he rules over the nations.

Space for notes on the sermon

Daily readings for the coming week

Monday am:	Ps 30	Josh. ch. 14	Luke 12. 1-12	pm: Ps 28	Rom. 7. 1-6
Tuesday am:	Ps 36	Josh. 21.43-22.8	Luke 12. 13-21	pm: Ps 33	Rom. 7. 7-end
Wednesday am:	Ps 34	Josh. 22. 9-end	Luke 12. 22-31	pm: Ps 119. 33-56	Rom. 8. 1-11
Thursday am:	Ps 37	Josh. ch. 23	Luke 12. 32-40	pm: Ps 40	Rom. 8. 12-17
Friday am:	Ps 50	Mal. 3. 1-6	Luke 3. 1-17	pm: Ps 80	Matt. 11. 2-19
Saturday am:	Ps 42	Josh. 24. 29-end	Luke 12. 49-end	pm: Ps 46	Rom. 8. 31-end

Diary for the week:

Wednesday 22nd June

10:30am BCP Holy Communion at St Thomas'

The readings will be 2 Kings 22. 8-13, 23. 1-3, Ps. 119. 33-40 and Matt. 7. 15-20.

1:00pm Marriage of Marc and Amy at St Thomas'

Sunday 26th June

8:00am BCP Holy Communion at St Mary's

9:30am Holy Communion at St Thomas'

11:15am Mattins at St Mary's

11:15am Holy Communion at St Andrew's

Morning Prayer: Monday and Friday in St Thomas' at 8.30am

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We are asked to pray for Pat Ankerson, Mary Bulmer, Jo Harvey, the Gregory Family, Rose Fay, Graham and all their families.

We also pray for Jo as she takes part in the Archbishop of Canterbury's mission event in the Diocese of Truro this weekend.

Among the housebound we pray for Jean Dixon.

We lift to God the recently departed, and on the first anniversary, Myrna Anderson. We pray for their families and friends.