

ARE YOU STILL DOING THIS WITH US ...
READ THE BIBLE IN A YEAR?

Reading Plan for the Week :

July 28th 2 Timothy 1 – 2
July 29th Numbers 9 - 12
July 30th Chronicles 15 - 19
July 31st Psalms 102 – 104
August 1st Proverbs 20 – 21
August 2nd Hosea - 14
August 3rd John 10 - 12
August 4th 2 Timothy 3 – 4

Rev. Sue and Rev. Frances are going to be preaching from the Psalms during August.

LIFE Prayer:

God of hope and transformation,
who in our Lord Jesus Christ offers the gift of life
in all its fullness, send your Holy Spirit and grant us
joy in our following and vision in our *leadership*.
May we be rich in *imagination*, confident in *faith*,
and courageous in our *engagement* with the people
of this diocese. As we share your life with the world,
keep us rooted and grounded in love as we bear witness
to your glory and pray for your Kingdom to come.
Amen.

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Please note ... ALL enquiries regarding Baptisms and Weddings must be made to the Benefice Office in the first instance.



**'To see Christ in all and
show Christ to the World'**

Services : 28th July 2019

Year C: Sixth Sunday after Trinity

(Communion Setting: Bread of Life)

9.30am	Cromhall	Holy Communion
9.30am	Rockhampton	Holy Communion
11.15am	Tortworth	Holy Communion
11.00am	Tytherington	Holy Communion

Falfield join with Rockhampton and/or Tortworth

Lectionary Readings : Genesis 18: 20-32

Colossians 2: 6-15(16-19)

Gospel Reading: Luke 11: 1-13

Collect:

Merciful God,
you have prepared for those who love you
such good things as pass our understanding:
pour into our hearts such love toward you
that we, loving you in all things and above all things,
may obtain your promises,
which exceed all that we can desire;
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.

Services next week: 4th August, 2019

Yr C: 7th Sunday after Trinity

(Communion Setting: Bread of Life)

9.30am	Cromhall	Holy Communion
11.15am	Falfield	Morning Prayer
11.15am	Tortworth	Holy Communion
11.00am	Tytherington	Joint Service with the Baptists

Lectionary Readings: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23

Colossians 3: 1-11

Gospel Reading: Luke 12: 13-21

Prayer Cycle:

Tytherington during July: Itchington Road

Falfield this week: Moorslade Lane

Regular Activities this week:...

Bell Ringing **Monday:** Cromhall 7:30pm

Thursday: Tortworth 8:00pm

Thursday: Tytherington 7:45pm

Activities in the Benefice this week:

Tuesday 30th July : Cromhall PCC

Thursday 1st August : Holy Communion : Tytherington :

9.30am

Friday 2nd August : Wedding Rehearsal : Tortworth : 4.00pm

Saturday 3rd August : Wedding : Amy Woolford and James

Matthews : Tortworth : 1.00pm

Future Activities:

Friday 9th August : Wedding Rehearsal : Tortworth : 4.00pm

Saturday 10th August : Wedding : Sarah Tanner and Samuel

Melville-Brown : 1.30pm

Sunday 11th August : Baptism : Tytherington : 11.00am

Saturday 31st August : Wedding : Rachael Morelli and Ricky

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Congratulations to Viva and Colin Perry on
their 60th Wedding Anniversary

Thought for the Week ...

Have you picked runner beans yet? The heat and rain have certainly had an effect on our gardens over the past couple of weeks; all those seeds we planted in the Spring are now bearing fruit and if we're lucky, we're reaping what we've sown. But we're also being reminded by gardening gurus that it's still not too late to plant seeds for crops this year.

Someone once said that if you plant honesty, you will reap trust, if you plant goodness, you will reap friends. If you plant humility, you will reap greatness. If you plant perseverance, you will reap contentment. If you plant consideration, you will reap perspective. If you plant hard work, you will reap success. If you plant forgiveness, you will reap reconciliation.

So, let's get sowing!

Funny for the week ...

End of term reports have all been delivered ... as a teacher I think I disliked writing them more than anything - having to sum up a child in a sentence or worse give them a grade for achievement which did not reflect the effort they had put in ... so a child who couldn't swim was an 'E' with no allowance for 'A' for effort. However, one mum was perplexed about a remark on her son's report, which said "makes creative use of visual aids". She found out that actually meant, he was copying his friends' work!