



St. Wilfrid's Weekly



The 9th Sunday after Trinity

The OT Reading - Isaiah 55.1-5

¹Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;
and you that have no money, come, buy and eat!
Come, buy wine and milk

without money and without price.

²Why do you spend your money for that which is
not bread,

and your labour for that which does not satisfy?
Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and
delight yourselves in rich food.

³Incline your ear, and come to me;
listen, so that you may live.

I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
my steadfast, sure love for David.

⁴See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
a leader and commander for the peoples.

⁵See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of
Israel, for he has glorified you.

The Epistle - Romans 9:1-5

I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying;
my conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit— 2 I
have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my
heart. 3 For I could wish that I myself were accursed
and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own
people, my kindred according to the flesh. 4 They
are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the
glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the
worship, and the promises; 5 to them belong the
patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh,
comes the Messiah, who is over all, God blessed for
ever. Amen.

The Gospel - Matthew 14:13-21

¹³Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from
there in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But
when the crowds heard it, they followed him on
foot from the towns. ¹⁴When he went ashore, he
saw a great crowd, and he had compassion for
them and cured their sick. ¹⁵When it was evening,
the disciples came to him and said, "This is a
deserted place, and the hour is now late;
send the crowds away so that they may go into the

villages and buy food for themselves." ¹⁶Jesus said to
them, "They need not go away; you give them
something to eat." ¹⁷They replied, "We have nothing
here but five loaves and two fish." ¹⁸And he said,
"Bring them here to me." ¹⁹Then he ordered the
crowds to sit down on the grass.



Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to
heaven and blessed and broke the loaves and gave
them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to
the crowds. ²⁰And all ate and were filled, and they took
up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve
baskets full. ²¹And those who ate were about five
thousand men, besides women and children.

The Psalm: 145.15-end

The Lord upholdeth all / such as / fall : and lifteth up all
/ those / that are / down.

The eyes of all wait upon / thee O / Lord : and thou
givest them their / meat in / due / season.

Thou openest / thine / hand : and fillest / all things /
living with / plenteousness.

The Lord is righteous in / all his / ways : and / holy in /
all his / works.

The Lord is nigh unto all them that / call up/on him :
yea all such as / call up/on him / faithfully.

He will fulfill the desire of / them that / fear him : he
also will hear their / cry / and will / help them.

The LORD preserveth all / them that / love him : but
scattereth abroad / all the un / godly.

My mouth shall speak the / praise of the / LORD : and
let all flesh give thanks unto his holy / Name for / ever
and / ever.

This Week @ St. Wilfrid's

Welcome to Mike Duncombe who is joining us from St Cross, Knutsford to lead us in our worship at 8.30 a.m. and 10.00 a.m. today.

The PCC will be holding a special meeting on Monday when we select 2 representatives to act for us during the process of appointing a new rector. Please pray for us as we make this important decision.

The PCC are in the process of producing a questionnaire asking everyone for their views/opinions about our church life, what we need/want for the future. In the meantime the PCC would like to give the congregation the opportunity to talk face to face about this. So after the 10.00 service on August 9th (next week) please stay for coffee and a chat when we will be there to listen.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently, including Jennifer Turner, and Betty Eland,

Year's Mind (2015+)	Nick Dolan	Marjorie Darlington	Patsy Denby-Jones	James Davies
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This week's diary (Week beginning the 2nd August)

Sun.	<u>The 9th Sunday after Trinity</u>		
	8.30 a.m.	Said Holy Communion	Church
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	6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	Church
Mon.	7.30 p.m.	PCC Meeting	The Beacon
Wed.	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	The Beacon
	10.30 a.m.	Coffee Morning	The Beacon
	2.00 p.m.	Knit & Natter	The Beacon
Sat.	10.00 a.m.	Drop-In	The Beacon
Sun.	<u>The 10th Sunday after Trinity</u>		
	8.30 a.m.	Said Holy Communion	Church
	10.00 a.m.	Family Service	Church
	11.00 a.m.	Consultation	Church
	6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	Church



This Sunday's Readings - The 8th Sunday after Trinity

<u>All Services</u>	
Isaiah 55.1-5 Romans 9.1-5 Matthew 14.13-21	Psalms 145.15-end

Next Sunday's Readings - The 9th Sunday after Trinity

<u>All Services</u>	
1 Kings 19.9-18 Romans 10.5-15 Matthew 14.22-33	Psalms 85.8-13

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