#### **EAST CLEVEDON CHURCHES**

#### **All Saints Church**

## Trinity 19 - Sunday 10th October 2021

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#### Collect

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; 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.

#### Amos 5: 6-7, 10-15

Seek the Lord and live, or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire, and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it. Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood, and bring righteousness to the ground!

They hate the one who reproves in the gate, and they abhor the one who speaks the truth. Therefore, because you trample on the poor and take from them levies of grain, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not live in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine. For I know how many are your transgressions, and how great are your sins—you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and push aside the needy in the gate. Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time; for it is an evil time.

Seek good and not evil,
that you may live;
and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you,
just as you have said.
Hate evil and love good,
and establish justice in the gate;
it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts,
will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

# Mark 10: 17-31

As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, 'Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: "You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honour your father and mother." 'He said to him, 'Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.' Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, 'You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, 'How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!' And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, 'Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a

needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.' They were greatly astounded and said to one another, 'Then who can be saved?' Jesus looked at them and said, 'For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.'

Peter began to say to him, 'Look, we have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.'

#### IN OUR PRAYERS...

In our benefice we pray for those who are sick; Alan Smith, Ray Weaver, John Leighton, Doug Todd, Kevin Cheverton

We pray for those who have recently died; Graham Bloxham, Sandra Ellins (Yvonne Flanaghan's sister), Tamara Willcocks, Mollie Judge.

In our year's mind we remember, Claude Withers, Joan Navarra, and we pray for all who are mourning the loss of loved ones at this time.

#### **Notices**

The funeral service for Mollie Judge is on Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> October at 2.30pm at All Saints and the funeral service for Graham Bloxham will be on Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> October at 11.00am also at All Saints.

**All Saints Floodlighting** -I 5th October - Dear Andrew - It is your birthday today and we are sending all our love from Sally, Emily and Charles xxx

## Light Up The Night-Saturday, 30th October, All Saints Church between 4pm and 8pm.

All Saints will host the Cruse Bereavement Care event "Light The Night" when hundreds of candles will illuminate the churchyard. Refreshments will be available in the church porch to raise money for All Saints and a small donation is requested by Cruse Bereavement Support.

Folk at Christmas - Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December at All Saints. The eleven-strong folk band BadgerSet presents a miscellany of Christmas-themed songs, dances, readings and tunes. Tickets £10.00 including seasonal refreshments. Available from Parish Office (873257), Monica Gore (791764) or Mo King (07377 387722) Proceeds in aid of All Saints' Church Interior Restoration.

**Deadline for magazine** – the deadline for November's Parish Magazine is <u>9am</u>, 18<sup>th</sup> October. Please send your contributions to Sandra Sallis at allsaintspcc@gmail.com

#### Services for the week ahead

# Monday (IIth October)

12.00am Funeral of Norma Hoddell

#### Wednesday communions

9.30 am St Peter and St Paul at Boxwood Cottage 10.00am St Mary's

7.00pm Church wardens meeting - All Saints Vestry

# Thursday (14th October)

11.30am – Burial of ashes of Joan Ford 12.30 – 2pm Little Saints, All Saints Vestry

## **Next Sunday (17th October)**

8.00am All Saints Holy Communion
10.00am St Mary's Holy Communion
10.00am St Peter and St Paul Morning Prayer (Village Hall)
10.30am All Saints Holy Communion
11.15am St Paul's Morning Prayer