

NOTICES

Mondays at St John's: 8.30am Morning Prayer, 9am Cleaning, 10.30am Mass, 11am Coffee.

Wednesdays at St Laurence: 9-9.30am Bible Study, 9.30am-12.30pm Welcome Space.

All hands on deck for Patronal **cleaning** at St Laurence: Saturday 1st, 10am Morning Prayer, 10.30am-12noon cleaning, coffee, and cookies.

Baptism of Ernest Pimlott at St John's this Saturday 1st at 2pm at St John's. All welcome.

On Sunday 9 August 3pm **Joel Gillin** will be ordained a deacon by the Bishop of Beverley, at St Wilfrid Cantley. All most welcome to attend.

We are thinking of organising **Family Day** at St John's with games, workshops, crafts, snacks, and all sorts on August 15th 11am-2pm. Want to help? Chat to either Clare or Fr Thomas!

On Sunday 16 August we are organising lots for the **Patronal Feast of St Laurence:**

-2-4pm Children's and family activities in and outside the Church. Highly recommended.

-4pm **Patronal Evensong** at St Laurence

-5pm Afternoon Tea in the Village Hall.

All most welcome to any or all. Do sign up to help bake, set up, serve, clean up, or join the choir.

On Wednesday 19 August we are organising another **Pop-up Cafe** at South Hinksey Village Hall. 11.30am-2pm with cakes and light lunches.

Do note a quintet of **Women Theologians** speaking for *Wine+Wisdom* on Mondays 7.30pm in September (with opening night on 31 August).

On *Saturday 5 September* a group from the Parish hope to go to the **Glastonbury Pilgrimage**. Solemn Mass at 12noon, pack your lunch, and 3pm Procession and Benediction. Want to come?

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THIS WEEK'S SERVICES AT ST JOHN'S:

-Mon-Sat 8.30am Morning Prayer

-Mon 10.30am Low Mass

-Wed 7pm Low Mass

-Sat 2pm Baptism Ernest Pimlott

-Sunday 10.45am Solemn Mass

NEXT SERVICES AT ST LAURENCE:

-Sunday 2 August - 9.15am Holy Communion

-Sunday 9 August - 9.15am Holy Communion



Donations:

In the offering plate, card machine, or by BACS:

Name: PCC of South with New Hinksey
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(We warmly encourage regular giving. Do discuss options with the Treasurer, including the Parish Giving Scheme: treasurer@hinkseychurch.org.)

or by scanning this QR code:



A very warm welcome to Church!



The Eighth Sunday after Trinity 26 July 2026 AD



Christ in Limbo, Benvenuto di Giovanni, probably 1491

*The Spirit himself bears witness
with our spirit that we are children of God,
and if children, then heirs—
heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ,
provided we suffer with him in order
that we may also be glorified with him.*

Romans 8:16-17

Today Fr Thomas Fink-Jensen is the Celebrant,
and Fr Richard Smail is the preacher.

Processional Hymn: 391

The Collect: O God, whose never-failing providence orders all things both in heaven and earth: We humbly beseech thee to put away from us all hurtful things, and to give us those things which be profitable for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

The Epistle: Romans 8:12-17

A reading from the Epistle of St Paul to the Romans:

So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God.

For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!”

The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual hymn: 394

The Gospel: Matthew 7:15-21

The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.**

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew, **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus said: “Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing but inwardly are ravenous wolves. You will recognize them by their fruits.

Are grapes gathered from thorn bushes, or figs from thorn bushes? So, every healthy tree bears good fruit, but the diseased tree bears bad fruit. A healthy tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a diseased tree bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Thus you will recognize them by their fruits.

Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord’, will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Offertory hymn: 302

Communion hymn: 312 (tune 388i)

Post Communion Prayer: Grant O Lord, we pray thee, that these heavenly mysteries may renew us both in body and soul: that we who have therein offered unto thee our outward worship may inwardly perceive the effectual benefit of the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Recessional hymn: 346

This Week’s Daily Bible Readings

Week of Trinity VIII – July 27 to August 1

	<i>Morning Prayer</i>		<i>Evening Prayer</i>	
<i>Mon</i>	2 Kings 14	1 Corinthians 10:1-11:1	2 Chron. 26	Mark 10:32-end
<i>Tue</i>	2 Kings 15:17-end	1 Corinthians 11:2-end	2 Kings 16	Luke 19:1-28
<i>Wed</i>	Isaiah 7:1-17	1 Corinthians 12:1-27	Isaiah 8:1-18	Luke 19:29-44
<i>Thu</i>	2 Kings 17:1-23	1 Corinthians 12:27-13:end	2 Kings 17:24-end	Mark 11:11-12:12
<i>Fri</i>	2 Kings 18:1-8	1 Corinthians 14:1-19	2 Chronicles 30	Matthew 22:1-22
<i>Sat</i>	2 Kings 18:13-end	1 Corinthians 14:20-end	2 Kings 19	Matthew 22:23-end