



TRINITY TIMES

SEPTEMBER 2021



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SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAYS

9.00 Holy Communion

11.00 Morning Worship
Contemporary service including
Kids Church

WEDNESDAY

10.00 Holy Communion



Kids Church is on Summer break at the moment—a crèche is provided at the back of church and all children are most welcome in services. Speak to James about children's groups and Zoe about youth group during term time.

A word from the Wardens

Sunday 15th August was an important day at Holy Trinity. It was the day of Graham and Lesley's final service before moving on into retirement. There had been a build-up of emotions leading to this special yet extremely poignant occasion. The church was full, the side chapel was full and the balcony could hold no more. The choir was in force, musicians were ready. It was a Communion service taken by Graham and assisted by Lesley at several points. After the taking of Holy Communion, a collection of people from the congregation gave their individual tributes to Graham and Lesley. They included many touching and heart-warming moments!

Gifts were then presented and opened so that the congregation knew how their generous donations had been used. Graham and Lesley walked slowly down the aisle to a surprise recessional rendering of: "You'll never walk alone". Much clapping and cheering (and wet eyes!) Ice-creams for everyone in the car-park allowed opportunities for chatting and farewells...



Photo by Wayne Kelly

Throughout this occasion, Graham and Lesley amazingly "held it together" but then they always have! The calm Spirit of God has always been visible in their faces, words and actions. They have been such examples of Godly, compassionate servants and we will miss them so much.

"In everything and in every way we show that we truly are God's servants".
(2 Corinthians 6:4).

We wish them every blessing in their retirement and future life nearer their family.

Continued.....

Trinity will now move into a period of vacancy while we begin the process of appointing a suitable vicar. There is a procedure to be followed (and not any short-cuts within it!) but we will try to do things as quickly as possible.

We are so blessed in having retired clergy in our congregation and excellent Lay Readers who are willing to be called upon.

We will look for the positives- one is that we'll soon be able to sing in church!

Love and blessings to all.

Libby and Chris.



Last Word from Graham

For our wonderful family at Holy Trinity Church

Just a couple of days ago, Lesley and I were with you for our last Sunday in post and were totally overwhelmed by the kindness and generosity of everyone. The wonderful gifts with which we were presented will be treasured and very well used with great pleasure. We will always hold dear the words of blessing and encouragement that were spoken and the many lovely messages we have received in cards, via emails and on Facebook.

To be played out by Gerry and the Pacemakers singing “You’ll Never Walk Alone” really did touch a very deep chord, and what an inspiration on the part of Chris Stafford to arrange for free ice cream in the car park so that we could all have the opportunity to mingle safely, and have that bit of fun together.

It is very hard for Lesley and I to contemplate a move away from Frome but you can certainly be very sure that we will always be holding you in our hearts and in our daily prayers. Walk on, walk on with the hope that you have in Christ, and you’ll never walk alone!

Thank you, thank you, thank you,

Graham and
Lesley, 17 August 2021



Some Messages from “Holy Trinity International!”

Regular followers of the live broadcasts from around the world

Isaac in Zambia: Graham’s first visit to Zambia changed not only my life, but the lives of a lot of young children in our community who by then were having classes under a cardboard box covered building which was at the same time used as classrooms, and gave us money to buy iron sheets for the roof. He encouraged me as a young Pastor to be strong and serve the Lord faithfully. Revd Graham’s life and service has been a huge blessing to me, the church and the community. He is a beacon of light.

Memories of Frome from Di in Busso, Western Australia: “I’ve seen Graham go home in socked feet having given his shoes to a shoeless marginal guy from our ‘coffee van’ “.

Marian and Tony in South Wales: ... Tony and I have tuned in to every broadcast and God has blessed us in ways too wonderful to be expressed in words. Graham’s Bible reflections and prayers continually bring us to the Lord’s banqueting table, whilst his wonderful supportive wife Lesley blesses and encourages us all in the ‘chat room’. Only God knows the full extent of our gratitude to this wonderful couple for their encouragement, love and sincerity in prayer during this past very difficult year. We thank God for the both and pray God will grant them a long and happy retirement.

Annie, at the ends of the earth, Aotearoa, New Zealand: My friend Marian sent me the link to Graham’s daily reflection. This was a changing point in my prayer life. Through daily reflections and Pause for Prayer, the rhythm of my prayer life is radically different. Graham, with Lesley in the background, has led me into seeking God in a way I never have before, never boisterously, always with tenderness and compassion that pours through him from God. The connections made in the international online congregation are precious and astounding, there is a sense that we are doing something vital and pleasing to God. The presence of God is palpable in these precious moments, drawing us not only to seeking His Face, but also to knowing the unity of being part of the worldwide Bride of Christ. A thankful heart just doesn’t seem adequate, but it is all I have to give to the humblest of men and the gentlest of women, Graham and Lesley.

Annie Herridge, Canada: I was feeling spiritually dry when I discovered Pause for Prayer. As soon as I tuned in, I felt the Presence of God in a very profound way, Ministering powerfully through this most humble man of God. I felt as if I had come ‘home’. Pause for Prayer became a lifeline for me and carried me through all the trials our family experienced. There have been times when I have sat, engulfed by the presence and love of God in perfect peace, ushered into my spirit through Graham’s careful choice of readings, Scripture and prayers.

Pause for Prayer has not only encouraged me but deepened my prayer life and brought me back into God's presence in a way I can't describe. Truly Graham and Lesley are a gift from God—both to their own community and to those of us around the world as we prayed together, wept together, and rejoiced together as the Body of Christ. I will never forget this time in my life when God kept me holding on through this difficult season through the humblest of his servants in the most unexpected way!

Christians Against Poverty

We are celebrating the first anniversary of the **Holy Trinity Debt Centre** which is partnered with Christians Against Poverty: a debt charity based in Bradford, W Yorkshire that was established 25 years ago.

Sunday 19th September will be CAP Sunday at Trinity,

we will hear about the national activities of CAP and also have news about our debt centre in Frome.

We have faced many challenges during the past year setting up the Debt Centre, but we have established some very good relationships with other agencies whilst seeing our first client go debt free and others engage with the management plan for a longer term. We have also been able to signpost others enabling them to determine their own way through their financial difficulties using the new Self Help Pack.

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christians
against
poverty
CAP
debt help

Please join us on Sunday 19th to give thanks to the Lord for his goodness and his provision as we help people from all walks of life who are facing financial difficulties and for giving us the opportunity to share our faith with folks in the community.

Phil Gray

PARISH NURSE NEWS

Greetings Trinity family!

As the evenings turn chilly with a distinct Autumn feel and we start to spend longer hours in our houses, I thought this month I would write some advice and helpful hints on how to avoid **slips, trips and falls!**

If you have two or more falls within six months you are considered to be at risk of repeated falls.

Several medical conditions can cause falls, and they may be treatable. If you have started to have falls and previously you had no problem, you need to contact your GP to find out why.



SAFETY AT HOME!

Remove rugs and mats, which could be trip hazards. I cared for many patients when I was District Nursing who refused to move favourite rugs and sadly then tripped, fracturing their hips which resulted in a traumatic hospital admission.

Do not put mats on hard floors unless they are secured underneath with tape to prevent movement.

Don't allow cables to trail across walkways, and keep areas free from clutter

Have adequate lighting particularly on stairs and between the bedroom and bathroom. A plug-in night light may be helpful, as long as it gives adequate lighting.

Check stair carpet tread is in good condition

Do you need an extra stair rail to hold onto?

Highlighting the edges of steps with tape can help

Use a non-slip shower mat, and consider a grab rail in the bath/shower

Outside your home, make sure paths are even and in good repair

Don't allow slippery moss/plants to trail over pathways.

Don't be tempted to climb on chairs/steps to reach things. Place them at eye level.

Standing up is easier if chairs, toilet, and beds are slightly raised (ask me for advice on this)

Use a carrier bag for laundry and not a laundry basket.

What else can you do to avoid slips trips and falls at home?

MEDICATION

All drugs can cause side effects, and these can sometimes cause falls, especially if you are taking more than three. This could be blood pressure tablets, sleeping pills/ antidepressants, drugs affecting nerves and muscles, and those that could affect your hearts rhythm. **SPEAK TO YOUR PRACTICE NURSE OR GP FOR ADVICE IF YOU START TO FALL WHILE TAKING REGULAR NEW MEDICATION**

FAINTS, DIZZINESS AND LOW BLOOD PRESSURE

If you find you're having blackouts, dizzy turns, or a sense of weakness when you get up in the morning, or on standing or getting out of a warm bath this could be due to your blood pressure falling. Your blood pressure medication may make this worse. An inner ear condition may also cause a sense of head/room spinning which in turn will affect your balance and could cause a fall. Your GP can help you minimise this by showing you specific head/body movements which can help

ALCOHOL

Drinking over the recommended limit will make you more prone to falling as it can affect your balance and coordination.

EYE HEALTH

Make sure your eyes are tested regularly by an optician and glasses updated to prevent you miss stepping and falling over hazards.

MUSCLES, JOINTS AND NERVES

Nerves supplying muscles can become weak and cause falls. Muscles can become weak too after illness.

Damage to nerves.

HEALTHY EATING

Eating a well-balanced diet will help keep us fit and healthy. You may feel dizzy and lightheaded if you miss a meal, and this could cause a fall as your blood sugar level will drop. So, if you are not able to eat a large meal try to eat smaller meals more often to maintain your sugar levels.

Your GP may review your medication, check your blood pressure, and can refer you to physiotherapy or the Occupational therapist. You may also be referred to a Falls clinic. Please do ask me if you are having problems with falls and I can advise you.

OTHER NEWS!

I will be working each Monday from September 9-5pm until I can reduce my hours in my other role in a surgical unit, then I will resume my two Trinity days.

The Bereavement Journey Course I ran was a real success, with those attending really benefiting from being able to talk about their own bereavement journey in a safe space with friends. Around 12 people attending. I will be running the course again in January 2022.

Please let me or Sue Martin (Pastoral Care) know if you or a Trinity family member has been admitted to hospital. I am putting together a comfort pack for those in hospital. These will contain an olive holding cross, a comforting laminated bible verse to stand on a bedside table, tissues, a lip balm, and a bookmark with a bible verse on. If anyone would like to contribute to the cost of putting these together, please let me know, or if you can think of any additional item, which someone might find useful at a time of illness. Thankyou.

Podiatry is back on Monday 4th October from 1:30 in Trinity Hall. It is a drop-in session so please just arrive if you are struggling with your feet and are on a low income and/or not eligible for NHS care and Caroline a Registered podiatrist will be happy to treat you. The service is free, or you can give a donation if you are able.

Love & blessings

Jan x

COMMEMORATION SERVICE

You are warmly invited to the service to be held on

Sunday 31st October 2021

at 3pm

when we will commemorate our loved ones who have died. During the service there will be the opportunity to light a candle. Also, if you wish, the names of the departed will be read out. If you would like the name(s) of any loved one(s) to be included please enter them in the book in the Parish Office beforehand. There will be an opportunity to add names to the list on the day of the service.

Please share this invitation with anyone you know who have lost loved ones.

We pray that those who have been bereaved will receive comfort in the love of our Lord Jesus Christ and we will be free to share fellowship over refreshments afterwards.

With love, the Bereavement Team



MISSIONS

Dear Trinity Family

You may remember when we left to go to Cambodia it was with a 2 year commitment, which became 3, then 4 and then 5 ½, and it is now a year since we arrived back in the UK. Reverse culture shock was not easy, and it has been hard to feel we were really ‘home’ until recently. We have much appreciated the opening up of the community and church, finally getting to know our neighbours etc. But, as has been the way for us much of this year, we are now back in America at the time of writing, for the memorial service of Mike’s mother who died earlier this year, as well as selling her house. Mike, his sister, and our daughter Megan all spoke about her life at her memorial service—the recurring theme of which was her graciousness, hospitality and determination.

Some people have asked if we are now retired now that we are “back” in the UK. The answer is ‘NO’. Mike hopes to resume face to face First Response Radio (FRR) training with teams in Asia eventually. Currently he is starting work on a succession plan to ensure that FRR training can continue even after he does retire (in another 5 years or so). His proposal will include the (possible) formation of an FRR ‘academy’ which could offer ‘rapid response radio training’ to a variety of organisations. While he is able to do zoom calls now with individuals, group training via zoom

will not be possible until restrictions are lifted for the teams that he would like to work with. So for now he is in a bit of ‘holding pattern’, liaising with and providing information for anyone interested in how to use radio to provide humanitarian relief in disaster situations, but not able to do as much as he would like.

The one thing we are certain of is that there continues to be a huge need for radio in disaster situations. A friend who used to work for the United Nations OCHA (Office for Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs) recently told Mike “There is no other organization like FRR, that provides rapid response radio within 24 hours of a disaster.” When Mike told him he is restricted to the 24 countries FEBC works in, his UN friend said “The humanitarian world needs more of this on all continents across the world” and asked Mike to “Please find a way to give away the FRR solution to other outside of FEBC.

Having realized that our chances of returning to Cambodia any time soon are slim, we decided we needed to have a few bags that we had left there shipped to the UK. Even though we are not assigned there we still have many friends there and enjoy hearing about how the work at FEBCambodia is going.

The radio station staff have had to be very inventive during covid, learning how to record their various programmes

from their homes, and adapt to varying levels of lockdown and curfews. Mike regularly listens to the 'whatsapp' messages that the engineering group uses, and is sometimes pleasantly surprised to find out how much Khmer language he still knows – enough at least to decipher the gist of the messages! We are still having weekly Khmer lessons with our friend Sinet to keep our grey cells active.



For several years while we lived in Cambodia, Brigit used to go to Myanmar to help with 'English camps', which provided encouragement to the local churches, as well as a gateway into the community. Since the takeover by the military earlier this year life has been very difficult, with covid numbers increasing, political and social instability, human rights abuses, increased prices and food shortages. Sadly a dear man she got to know there died of covid recently. Pray for peace and justice to return to the country.

We were very encouraged recently to hear from Mike's long-time friend, Hazeen, who is our senior FRR trainer in Pakistan. Life is hard in Pakistan with the 3rd wave of Covid-19 hitting there. Recently Hazeen accepted the challenge to pastor a church after their current pastor died. The

congregation are enjoying Hazeen's practical approach to ministry as he focuses on the practical impact of the Gospel in peoples' lives, and since he is a disaster responder he is much less academic and this lower class community really resonate with him. He has set up an aid fund as many in the church struggle to make ends meet during the pandemic and is slowly working to renovate the church and install a few fans which REALLY helps when the temperatures in June was peaking over 40C/105F!

We look forward to returning to Frome later in September. Thank you for the welcome we always feel, and continuing to pray for and support us.

Brigit & Mike

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12 (Trinity 15)	13	14	15
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19 (Trinity 16)	20	21	22
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	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Communion on us on Faith	17.00 Food @ Five 19.30 Gateway Club		1.30—16.30 Hall Booking
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	16	17	18
Communion R Magazine e on us on Faith	10.00 Trinity Toddlers 17.00 Food @ Five 19.30 Gateway Club	10.00—11.30 The Glaziers Society visiting to see Burne- Jones Windows	13.30—16.30 Hall Booking Trinity North Street Party
	23	24	25
Communion on us on Faith URSE	10.00 Trinity Toddlers 17.00 Food @ Five 19.30 Gateway Club		Hall Booking Oakfield Choir Performance Faure Requiem
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A walk and/or cycle will be arranged for a date after the 11th as that is Cheese show day. If you are interested please speak to (01373 453425) or email (holytrinityfrome@gmail.com) the church office



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11th SEPT. 2021**

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PANDEMIC**
AN EXHIBITION
SEPTEMBER 2021


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THE BRIDGE CAFÉ

“ Truly I tell you, as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.”

Matthew 25 : 40

It has been a very busy and significant year for us personally, for the Bridge Café and for all involved in this lovely ministry. We began the year in Lockdown, wondering whether we could manage to undertake a limited facelift to what had become a tired looking premises. It became apparent by early Summer that the Small Business Government Grants, to which we were entitled, would be more than enough to cover rent, ongoing expenses and a complete refurbishment. We saw this as a wonderful provision from the Lord, and a confirmation that he wanted the work, begun so faithfully by Tony and Margaret, to continue and expand.



The café was effectively gutted and a new boiler, flooring, lighting and kitchen units were installed. Redecoration and new soft furnishings and furniture have effected a complete physical transformation, appreciated by both customers and staff, but of course, this physical transformation is only a small, yet significant part of the story. At the heart of the café is what we refer to as Our Bridge Family, encompassing staff, regular customers and those on the fringes, who

occasionally drop by for a chat and drink. Most of our pre lockdown customers have gradually returned and it has been lovely to renew friendships. Others have still not come back, but we pray for them and entrust them into the care of our loving Heavenly Father. Prayer is at the heart of all that we do and without it we could not function. The team of faithful volunteers meets fortnightly to talk and pray, and these are precious, life-giving times, when we are re energized and envisioned for the work.

It is essentially a work of love and grace, in which we seek to serve our Lord by loving and caring for those who come into the café, seeking to see the image of Christ in each one, and ministering to them as we would to Jesus Himself. Many, though not all, of our Bridge family have become marginalised in one way or another, through mental, emotional, learning or physical disability, or financial difficulties. The café is a place where they can

rest and enjoy caring company, nutritious, affordable food and CAB advice from Tony if needed. We preach the Good News primarily in loving deeds, though we are always ready to give an account of the hope we have in Christ, should people ask us. Our Fortnightly Teas, which should recommence this Autumn, are an excellent opportunity for us to share the love of God in a more challenging way, as they feature a short Christian message, alongside the lavish tea and fun Board games.



You can become involved in the ministry of The Bridge Café, primarily by praying for us. At the moment the team comprises John and Wendy Rootes, Audrey Lyons, Susie Hicks, Richard Loveless, Jackie Platt and Felicity Hill, and Tony continues with his CAB advice. Once our fortnightly teas recommence, there will be opportunities for more volunteers to join us, so please get in touch if you are interested.



At some point, it will be possible to purchase £3.50 vouchers at the back of the church or from the office. You can either keep these to give to anyone for a meal at the café or give to us to be used when customers struggle to pay. Our food tends to be heavily subsidized to enable everyone to have the opportunity of a drink or meal out, something most of us take for granted.

Another thing you can do is to come down yourselves to the café to eat and drink. It would help with our takings, but it is also an excellent way of getting to know people you would never perhaps meet in your daily lives. Who knows what friendships and opportunities to share God's love might develop? We would love to see you. In case you don't know, the café is at the corner of Trinity Street and Selwood Road, in the heart of our Parish, and we are open Tuesday to Friday from 11am to 1.30pm.

John and Wendy Rootes

John_rootes@yahoo.co.uk

01373 300168, 07766504832



WHO

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WHY

WHAT

TRINITY NOTICEBOARD

Amazon donates to your chosen charity for every purchase you make

If you are buying anything on Amazon, you could donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible purchases to Trinity at no extra cost to you.

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This is to notify you that Amazon has donated £11.25 to your organisation (The Parochial Church Council Of The Ecclesiastical Parish Of Holy Trinity, Frome) as a result of AmazonSmile programme activity between January - March, 2021.

ALPHA COURSE IN SEPTEMBER

We hope to commence the next Alpha course in September 2021, however whether this is in person or online all depends on **volunteer resources** and of course what social distancing restrictions there will be at the time. A big plea for volunteers to help with the planning and implementation of this year's Alpha, do please contact Sarah on 07722 386491 or fromezoomalpha@outlook.com. *Sarah Williamson*

Church Flowers for September are in Loving memory of

- * 12th Sept—David and Claire Jukes
- * Harvest 26th Sept—Peter & Elaine Liardet, Sheila Hannam's parents.



FOCUS
ON FAITH

Focus on faith:

is an interactive study group looking at key elements of the Christian faith. We use it as a follow up course for Alpha but it is open to anyone who wants to explore together what we believe. For more information email: tomharflett@hotmail.co.uk or phone 01373 462408.

I was deeply touched to receive the lovely *Prayer Quilt*

I realise it was given to me on behalf of so many praying members, and friends. Yes, I do have a life threatening illness, however I intend to live as normally as possible where music remains a part of my life. I am in Gods hands like so many folk these days

The lovely gift will receive due care, and be a constant reminder of the power of Christian love

I am so grateful

Vere Collins



Image from: https://zeenews.india.com/business/taxes/tax-news/thank-you-says-income-tax-department-to-taxpayers_1938913.html

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Shroud of Turin Exhibition

A full-size replica of the world-famous Shroud of Turin is coming to
ALL SAINTS' CHURCH,
ROCKWELL GREEN, WELLINGTON. TA21 9DH

The exhibition includes original Roman nails, a replica whip and a spear.
Also there are information boards about art, history and the latest research on the Shroud.



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It will be on display
Saturday 11th September 10am - 4.30pm
Sunday 12th September 11.15am Sung Eucharist and a Reflection on the Shroud
followed by viewing from 12.30pm - 4.30pm
Monday 13th September 10am - 4.30pm

Refreshments will be available during opening hours.
Large groups please book at least 24 hours in advance.
Call 01823 660358 or 01823 660535

VOLUNTEERING AT TRINITY

Frome Child Contact Centre is currently looking for volunteers on a Saturday afternoon between 1.30pm-4.30pm once a month. The Centre is open on alternate Saturdays and meet in Trinity Church Hall. A child Contact Centre is a safe friendly and neutral place where children of separated families can spend time with one or both parents, sometimes other family members. It is a child-centred environment that puts the needs of the child first. Please contact Jackie Lobley, Co-Ordinator on 07726420285 for more information about volunteering. Will need a DBS. Lynne White

Church Flowers—artistic flower arrangers WANTED! please speak to the church office if you are keen to be involved in arranging flowers for Sundays, weddings and funerals.

Weekly sheet music organisation—help to get out sheet music for the musicians for Sunday services and put away after. To help alongside the current volunteer, once a week, usually on a Thursday or Friday morning. The filing cabinet could do with a once-off clear out and organisational help too. Speak to the church office.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD Shoebox gifts: annual project for a few weeks in October and November, posting notices, arranging for collection, mostly email. Please speak to the church office for details.

THE OAKFIELD CHOIR ARE BACK!

Changes in Covid restrictions have allowed the choir to resume their programme of music making, and they intend to mark this with a performance of the Gabriel Faure *Requiem* together with his *Cantique de Jean Racine*, both works being popular with choirs and audiences alike.

The choir will be joined by soloists Eleanor Little (soprano) and Niall Hoskin (baritone) accompanied on organ by Nick Edwards, all under the direction of Neil Moore.

The Concert will be in Holy Trinity Church at 7.30pm on Saturday 25 September, and the choir would be delighted to have your company on an evening which we hope will be our first step in the return of live choral music making.

Tickets £10 from members of the choir or from Hunting Raven Books, Cheap Street, Frome, on the door (subject to availability) or by telephone 01373 464839.



Eco Church...



*“²⁴ How many are your works, LORD!
In wisdom you made them all.” Psalm 104 verse 24.*

For my daily Bible readings, I choose the IBRA (International Bible Reading Association) notes, partly because each week there is a contributor from a different part of the world and often from a different worship tradition. I find it so important to remember that God’s Family is multi national, multi cultural and yet held together by a common faith. Recently the contributor was writing from Brazil, and she based one of her contributions on Psalm 104. (Do look it up, it s a magnificent reminder of how wonderfully God has created the world) . The Brazilian contributor focused on verse 13.. “

*He waters the mountains from his upper chambers;
the land is satisfied by the fruit of his work.”*

She then asked whether, if these words were addressed to us humans, whether the Earth would be satisfied with the fruit of our work. Whether we are using all our advances in technology, progress, development to benefit the creation we have been charged with...and the very recent report from the UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report underlines that the Earth would most certainly not be satisfied. Indeed it makes very frightening reading. So frightening that it is very easy to plant our heads firmly in the sand and say...“it’s far too great a problem..Let governments sort it out” . Governments must indeed be a very important part of the solution. But we also have a responsibility to do our little bit. We are charged with care for Creation, not its destruction.

So, on a local level, what could we do? Well, Frome Town Council is joining in “The Big Green Week” in the run up to COP26, and as part of that Holy Trinity will be joining with the other churches to repeat the Frome Churchyard BioDiversity Trail on Sunday 26th September, starting at Holy Trinity at 2.00, and moving on to the Dissenters’ Cemetery, Christchurch and St John’s. This will be a ticketed event, but no charge, to reserve your place please email holytrinityfrome@gmail.com, places are limited to 30 so please do get in early to avoid disappointment. Also – we will need you to let us know if you cannot make it. Do come along and see what small seeds are being sown here in Frome. For more details look at the Frome Town Council website for the Big Green Week programme. <https://www.frometowncouncil.gov.uk/your-community/sustainability-and-resilience/great-big-green-week-2021/>

Maggie Hancock



Love nature? Love art?

We want to tell your story of why you love our green spaces, our planet and the action you want to see from our leaders to protect it.

This November the UK is hosting a major UN climate summit, known as COP26, where politicians will set out how they plan to fulfil their promise of reducing greenhouse gases across the world.

In the run up to COP26, Great Big Green Week will be a nationwide celebration of how communities are taking action to tackle climate change and protect green spaces.

As part of Frome's Great Big Green Week we are inviting all of Frome's residents to create art, poetry and stories to deliver Frome's message to the leaders at COP26.

Please bring your creations to the Town Hall where they will be displayed during Great Big Green Week,
18th-25th September 2021.

Mothers' UNION

Christian care for families

Mary Sumner, the founder of Mothers' Union, was well celebrated during August. Members across the UK and around the world met to mark the anniversary of her death 100 years ago. She would have been proud that her movement still exists today but the need to continue to support marriage and family life is as important now as it was then. The special service was available on the MU YouTube and will stay there indefinitely. It has already achieved over 3000 views.

There will be '**A Virtual Gathering**' on **25th September 2021**. The programme will include an address from our Worldwide President, Sheran Harper, and our CEO, Bev Julien, as well as a financial update and a range of inspiring and informative contributions from members across Britain and Ireland and beyond.

The event is in two sessions, with the morning session including an Act of Worship led by Bishop Emma, The Mothers' Union Central Chaplain, from 11am until 12.30pm and the afternoon session will be from 1.30pm until 2.30pm.

Members are keeping fit and raising funds for MU by running the Royal Parks Half Marathon on 10th October.

The new MU Gift Guide (Christmas & Autumn/Winter) is available with a good selection of Christmas cards, cards for every occasion, and a wide assortment of ethical gifts.

Beckington Branch hopes to be able to meet again on **Wednesday 1st September at 2.15pm**, possibly back in our normal venue of Lah's Place, Beckington. More information will be on the Church Weekly Notice Sheet.

For more information please contact Mary Earle or Susan Clark.

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