



Welcome to today's service.

If you need any help today, please ask the person who gave you your hymn book.

If you'd like a kid's activity bag, please help yourself.

Collect for 26th July:

Almighty Lord and everlasting God,
we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern
both our hearts and bodies
in the ways of your laws
and the works of your commandments;
that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever,
we may be preserved in body and soul;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever

Readings for July 26th:

2 Samuel 11 vs 1-15
Psalm 14
Ephesians 3 vs 14-21
John 6 vs 1-21

Notices:

- It would be lovely to have garden flowers on the sills in church during the summer- we've had some beautiful home-grown flowers already. If anyone has any they would like to display, there are vases in the cupboards in the chapel and plenty of water available. Do talk to Pam if you need more information.
- Ian has sent another car load of freight to our friends in Sierra Leone, including items from the congregation, as well as medical supplies, laptops etc. While the ebola crisis is easing, huge problems still remain. There will be another collection during August, so please start look out for mobiles (of any sort, with or without chargers), school items (pens, calculators, maths sets, pencils etc), shoes and socks (for all ages) and any clothes/items to do with sport! Do visit the website to find out more about the charity www.lovesierraleone.org
- We have been asked to pray again this week, for a new Bishop of Oxford. As you know, the process has been delayed. Can you also remember Alice Venning, our new curate who has been ill ever since her ordination.
- Some of you have asked what the numbers are for, against some of the gravestones. This is part of a cataloguing process, and a way of recording and monitoring their condition.
- Do remember to support the craft/produce stall on 2nd August, after the service at Yarnton. Jo and Sandy organise this for the first Sunday of each month. If you think you might have some fresh vegetables from your garden which could be sold, do let Jo and Sandy know. The stall always provides wonderful goodies to buy for afternoon tea, your home, gifts etc and is a great fund-raising idea.