

Weekly Notices



9th Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 17th August 2025

10am – Sung Eucharist

Rev'd Stewart Turner

Collect:

Almighty God,
who sent your Holy Spirit
to be the life and light of your
Church: open our hearts to the
riches of your grace, that we may
bring forth the fruit of the Spirit
in love and joy and peace;
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. **Amen**

First Reading: A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

Am I a God near by, says the LORD,
and not a God far off?

Who can hide in secret places so that I
cannot see them? says the LORD. Do I
not fill heaven and earth? says the
LORD.

I have heard what the prophets have
said who prophesy lies in my name,
saying, "I have dreamed! I have
dreamed!"

How long? Will the hearts of the
prophets ever turn back--those who
prophesy lies and who prophesy the
deceit of their own heart?

They plan to make my people forget
my name by their dreams that they tell
one another, just as their ancestors
forgot my name for Baal.

Let the prophet who has a dream tell
the dream, but let the one who has my
word speak my word faithfully. What
has straw in common with wheat?
says the LORD.

Is not my word like fire, says the
LORD, and like a hammer that breaks
a rock in pieces?

Second Reading: Letter to the Hebrews

By faith the people passed through the
Red Sea as if it were dry land, but
when the Egyptians attempted to do
so they were drowned.

By faith the walls of Jericho fell after
they had been encircled for seven
days. By faith Rahab the prostitute did
not perish with those who were
disobedient, because she had
received the spies in peace.

And what more should I say? For time
would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak,
Samson, Jephthah, of David and
Samuel and the prophets, who
through faith conquered kingdoms,
administered justice, obtained
promises, shut the mouths of lions,
quenched the power of fire, escaped
the edge of the sword, were made
strong out of weakness, became
mighty in war, put foreign armies to
flight.

Women received their dead by
resurrection. Others were tortured,
refusing to accept release, in order to
obtain a better resurrection.

Others suffered mocking and flogging
and even chains and imprisonment.
They were stoned to death; they were
sawn in two; they were killed by the
sword; they went about in skins of
sheep and goats, destitute,
persecuted, tormented--of whom the
world was not worthy. They wandered
in deserts and mountains and in caves
and holes in the ground.

Yet all these, though they were
commended for their faith, did not
receive what was promised, since
God had provided something better so
that they would not, apart from us, be
made perfect.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by
so great a cloud of witnesses, let us
also lay aside every weight and the sin
that clings so closely, and let us run
with perseverance the race that is set
before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer
and perfecter of faith, who for the
sake of the joy that was set before him
endured the cross, disregarding its
shame, and has taken his seat at the
right hand of the throne of God.

Gospel: Luke

"I have come to cast fire upon the
earth, and how I wish it were already
ablaze!

I have a baptism with which to be
baptized, and what constraint I am
under until it is completed!

Do you think that I have come to bring
peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but
rather division! From now on five in
one household will be divided, three
against two and two against three;
they will be divided: father against son
and son against father, mother against
daughter and daughter against
mother, mother-in-law against her
daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law
against mother-in-law."

He also said to the crowds, "When you
see a cloud rising in the west, you
immediately say, 'It is going to rain,'
and so it happens.

And when you see the south wind
blowing, you say, 'There will be
scorching heat,' and it happens.

You hypocrites! You know how to
interpret the appearance of earth and
sky, but why do you not know how to
interpret the present time?

Post Communion Prayer:

Holy Father,
who gathered us here around the
table of your Son to share this meal
with the whole household of God:
in that new world where you reveal
the fullness of your peace, gather
people of every race and language
to share in the eternal banquet of
Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Weekly Worship

Tuesday 10:15am

Said Eucharist

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Should you have pastoral needs or
require the assistance of a priest please

email: priest@stgluvias.org.uk

or

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Alternatively, please email

The Churchwardens:

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Weekly Notices:

Free Summer Holiday Club
St Gluvias Church Hall, Penryn
Thursdays 10am – 11.30am
31 July - 28 August
Fun activities, food and a story. All
0-11-Year-olds, must be
accompanied by an adult.
Contact Rev'd Emma on
07854 719 655 for further
details.

Open Church
(August 2025)
Open Tuesday - Saturday,
2pm - 4pm.
If you can help, please sign the list
or let the Churchwardens know.

International Global week of
Prayer - From 1–7 September
Draw near to God and He will draw
near to you. James 4:8 24-7

Prayer is an international,
interdenominational movement of
prayer, mission and justice; a non-
stop prayer meeting that has
continued for every minute of this
century so far, in over half the
countries on Earth.

From 1–7 September there is an
opportunity to pray with people
across the world for the world, our
nation, our town, our community,
our family, ourselves, 24 hours a
day for 7 days.

Fairwinds Café, Church St, Falmouth

Glasney College Walks **31st Aug – 6th Sep**

Over a week there will be a series of
walks linking, in turn, every church
in the Penryn Benefice.

For further information please email
Mary - marynsophe@aol.com

Last call for items for the Town **Fair Tombola Stall – Sat 23 Aug.**

If you can donate something as a
prize (for a child or adult), please
speak to Kathryn Hodge.

Special Summer Holiday Club Sunday **Service with all the Penryn Churches** **Sunday 31st August** **10.30am-11.30am**

Mabe Community Hall

*We would love to invite all the families
and children who have come over the
summer to showcase some of the stories
and activities we have covered.*

*Suitable for all ages, following the
service we will be having a “bring and
share” lunch and enjoying the sunshine!*

Weekly Prayer Intentions:

Mission and Ministry of this Parish:

For those living and working in Penryn
and surrounding villages. For the
parish of St. Gluvias and a growth in
our congregation.

For the homeless in our parish and
throughout the country. For those that
rely on the support of the Foodbank.

For the World:

We pray for victims of terrorism the
world over; for all affected by
atrocities around the world and for
persecuted Christians.

***We pray for the people of Ukraine
and the people of Russia; for their
countries and their leaders.***

***We call upon you to show mercy to
the people Israel and Palestine and
protect them.***

***We pray for leaders on the world
stage; that they are inspired by the
wisdom and courage of Christ.***

We continue to pray for all people
fleeing violence and oppression. For
all exploited by people smugglers and
for refugees across the world.

For those affected by natural
disasters around the world. Help us
to value the environment so that we
can all work to reverse climate change
and global warming.

In the diocese cycle of prayer: **CHAPLAINS**

Glorious God, you call us to love
and serve, not only with words, but
also in presence and actions. We
give thanks for the work of hospital
chaplains and their role within the
NHS. Equip them to bring hope,
peace and love to patients, staff
and relatives. Give them strength
and wisdom as they minister to
people in all kinds of
circumstances. We ask all this in
the name of the one who came not
to be served, but to serve, Jesus
Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The Revd Dom Whitting,
Lead for Chaplaincy and Voluntary Services -
Royal Cornwall Hospital.*

Anglican Communion:

9th Sunday after Trinity - The Scottish
Episcopal Church

Prayers for the 9th Sunday after **Trinity**

That we and all people may discern
the time with wisdom, let us pray to
the Lord.

Keep the Church faithful, ever looking
to Jesus as her source and her
goal...As we serve you here on earth,
let us always remember the witness of
those gone before and who now
support us with their prayers.

Give wisdom to men and women, to
understand the needs of our time and
to work for justice and peace...May
those who hold power and authority in
the present be ready to learn from the
wisdom of the past.

Give us grace in our families, and let
each generation value what the others
have to give...Bless with love and
harmony the families of our
neighbours and those with whom we
work.

Come with your healing power to
broken and divided families...Restore
lost relationships and give patience to
those that are threatened by
difficulties.

We pray for those who suffer in
mind, body or spirit, especially...
Joan Wood, Claire Coombes,
Pat Rogers, Lilian Hosking,
Joan Whitford, Sharron Simcock,
and young Lilly.

We pray for those who have died after
much suffering...give them rest and
peace in your heavenly kingdom
where there is no more pain and all
sorrow is taken away.

We remember the souls of the faithful
departed, especially...
Maureen Sanders (20th),
Desmond Jenking (21st),
Bert Window (22nd),
William Boucher (23rd).

We pray through Christ that we might
be rightly interpret and faithfully
perform his will. **Amen**

