Dates for your Diary Tuesday 12th July 7.30pm Lectio Divina

Monday July 18th Crafts and Chatter 2pm

...... this group is now up and running again. Meetings will take place on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th (when applicable) **Mondays** of each month, from **2pm- 4pm** in the Parish Room.

We aim to broaden our activities to include a variety of interests, to be inclusive for everyone to share their hobbies, interests and Christian Fellowship. *ALL ARE WELCOME.* Come along and share your ideas.

MONDAY JULY 25TH AT 11.45am

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR ALAN CONKLETON

Sunday 24th July 5.30pm Deanery Choral Evensong,

preceded by a **Strawberry Tea** at **3.30pm.** ALL WELCOME. <u>Please sign up on the Notice Board</u> and speak to Angela if you have any queries. Lay 5 Tables Provide Table Decorations (5) Provide home baked scones- quantity 12 x 3 lots Provide a home baked cake - quantity 4 3 people to assist Angela—serving / clearing / kitchen

ALSO please sign up if you are coming

(deadline Sunday 17th) —by signing the sheet or email Paul on revdpauldeakin@gmail.com The payment will be by donations on the day.

Please take this leaflet home with you.

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SUNDAY 10th JULY 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY <u>8.45am and 10am Eucharists</u>

Welcome to St Cross for our morning eucharists.

The Collect for the Day

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy:

The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe. *Deuteronomy 30.9-14*

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke: Glory to you, O Lord

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.' Luke 10.25-37

This is the Gospel of the Lord: Praise to you, O Christ.

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

SERVICES IN THE NEXT WEEK

This evening 7pm COMPLINE (on Zoom) Wednesday 13th June 10am Said Eucharist

Sunday 17thJuly Trinity 5 8.45am SAID EUCHARIST 10am SUNG EUCHARIST and YOUNG CHURCH