

## Churchwardens' Chat

A very warm welcome to the Abbey today. Please note that there will be **no Evening Prayer** in the Abbey today. It will resume next Sunday at 5pm.

### *This week we pray especially for:*

**The sick:** Evelyn Davies, Mary Fletcher, Marion O'Connor, Julia Parker, Roy Pulsford, James

**Recently departed:** Neville Groom

**Years Mind:** Gordon Semmence

For Jade and Laura who are renewing their marriage vows on Friday.

Theo Allen to be baptised on Saturday.

Fr Andrew as he moves into the Vicarage this week.

### **A big thank-you from Robert**

**The flower demonstration on Tuesday** raised a staggering £1,094 which will be shared between the Dementia Society and the Abbey.

A massive thank-you to everyone who took part, supported the event and those who volunteered. Extra special thanks go to Doris Waymark and Joyce Reynolds who masterminded the event.

**It is time to 'spruce up' for Summer.** Please come to the next Abbey Cleaning Day on **Tuesday 23 July** from 10am. If you can only manage Saturdays please make a note of the following session on **Sat. 31 August** from 9am–12.

### **Forthcoming events:**

**Saturday 27 July at 11am: Organ recital** given by Daniel Ayers. Come and support our 'home-grown talent'. Includes wonderful music by Buxtehude, Lefébure-Wely and Stanford. Remember the date – it's **Norfolk Day!**

**Sunday 28 July at 3pm:** Talk by Revd Tony Redman – 'The history of sanitation', a potted history of toilets or 'How we used to go'. Free entry, retiring collection, refreshments. It promises to be a very enlightening talk – do bring your friends.

### **Abbey Summer Fair – Saturday 3 August**

Items for the tombola and lots of cakes and other goodies are still needed. And, how about making some home-made jams for the tombola? Queries to Hayley [pa@wymondhamabbey.org.uk](mailto:pa@wymondhamabbey.org.uk)

**Fr Christopher's last service** will be on **Sun. 8 Sept.** at 10.30am.

**The licensing and installation of Fr Andrew** will be on **Thurs. 12 Sept.** at 7pm.

## Wymondham Abbey ❖ 21 July 2024 ❖ Sung Eucharist

### TRINITY EIGHT

#### The hymns, readings and prayers for the day:

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| <b>Hymn</b>         | <b>NEH 448</b> | <b>Sing, ye faithful, sing with gladness</b>  | Neander (351)                              |
| <b>Gloria</b>       |                | <b>Glory in the highest</b>   | Camberwell arr. Goodrich                   |
| <b>Hymn</b>         | <b>NEH 297</b> | <b>Lord Jesus Christ</b>  | Living Lord                                |
| <b>Hymn</b>         | <b>NEH 401</b> | <b>Light's abode, celestial Salem</b>   | Regent Square                              |
| <b>Setting</b>      |                | <b>Mass of St Thomas</b>  | David Thorne                               |
| <b>Anthems:</b>     |                | <b>Ubi caritas:</b><br><i>Where charity and love are, God is there.<br/>Christ's love has gathered us into one.<br/>Let us rejoice and be pleased in Him.<br/>Let us fear, and let us love the living God.<br/>And may we love each other with a sincere heart.</i> | Tchaikovsky<br>amalgamation<br>by Goodrich |
| <b>Junior Choir</b> |                | <b>Medley of Spirituals</b>   | Traditional                                |
| <b>Hymn</b>         | <b>NEH 294</b> | <b>Just as I am</b>   | Saffron Walden                             |
| <b>Hymn</b>         | <b>NEH 486</b> | <b>We have a gospel to proclaim</b>   | Fulda                                      |
| <b>Voluntary</b>    |                | <b>Fanfare</b>  | William Mathias                            |

### **The Collect**

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. **Amen**

### **The first reading: Jeremiah 23: 1-6**

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people:

It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD.

Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land.

In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'

### **Gospel reading: Mark 6: 30–34 and 53–56**

The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, 'Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.' For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

### **Post Communion Prayer**

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you forever. **Amen**

## **This Week at Wymondham Abbey**

|                    |          |   |
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| <b>Mon 22 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 10.30am  | Private tour  |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |
| <b>Tue 23 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 10 – 1pm | <b>Abbey cleaning day</b>   |
|                    | 10.30am  | Centering Presence  |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |
| <b>Wed 24 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 10.30am  | Eucharist   |
|                    | 10.30am  | Crochet and Conversation  |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |
| <b>Thu 25 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |
| <b>Fri 26 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 3pm      | <b>Renewal of Vows: Laura &amp; Jade Poll</b>   |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |
| <b>Sat 27 July</b> | 11am     | <b>Organ Recital – Daniel Ayers</b>   |
|                    | 1.30pm   | <b>Baptism of Theo Allen</b>  |
| <b>Sun 28 July</b> | 10.30am  | Sung Eucharist  |
|                    | 3pm      | <b>Sundays at Three:</b> Talk by The Revd Tony Redman about the History of Sanitation |
|                    | 5pm      | Evening Prayer with hymns   |
| <b>Mon 29 July</b> | 10am     | Morning Prayer  |
|                    | 2.30pm   | <b>Funeral of Dr Neville Groom</b>  |
|                    | 3.45pm   | Evening Prayer  |

Note from Fr C: Mary Hudson would welcome visits from those who know her.

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**Pastoral visits:** If you know anyone who might welcome a pastoral visit please let Fr Christopher know: [canon@wymondhamabbey.org.uk](mailto:canon@wymondhamabbey.org.uk)  
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