

Reading: Matthew 15 v.21-28 CEV

²¹ Jesus left and went to the territory near the cities of Tyre and Sidon. ²² Suddenly a Canaanite woman from there came out shouting, "Lord and Son of David, have pity on me! My daughter is full of demons." ²³ Jesus did not say a word. But the woman kept following along and shouting, so his disciples came up and asked him to send her away.

²⁴ Jesus said, "I was sent only to the people of Israel! They are like a flock of lost sheep."

²⁵ The woman came closer. Then she knelt down and begged, "Please help me, Lord!"

²⁶ Jesus replied, "It isn't right to take food away from children and feed it to dogs."

²⁷ "Lord, that's true," the woman said, "but even dogs get the crumbs that fall from their owner's table."

²⁸ Jesus answered, "Dear woman, you really do have a lot of faith, and you will be given what you want." At that moment her daughter was healed.

**This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God**

Sermon Link

If you would like to listen again to Sunday's sermon, receive the Life Group Notes and the Weekly News Sheet, email Rachel at the Church office to opt in to receiving the weekly email.

There will be Family Services during August so no Sermon Links will be sent out. You can still sign up over the summer so you won't miss out in September!

Financial Giving

If you would like to give to the work of Holy Trinity, do join the Planned Giving Scheme, please pick up a form from the Foyer. If you wish to make a cash contribution and are a taxpayer, please ask for a Gift Aid envelope.

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Holy Trinity welcome
TEWKESBURY
to Holy Trinity
MEET GOD • FIND LIFE • MAKE FRIENDS

Welcome to Holy Trinity. If this is your first visit to Holy Trinity, or if you have recently joined us, we'd just like to say how great it is to have you with us. We are a church full of people who are trying to live lives that reflect Jesus and would be so pleased if you would consider joining with us. Please don't go away today without touching base. You can do that by filling in one of the 'Welcome Cards' in the foyer and joining us for refreshments after the service in the Hall. All the information on our church family life is on our website:

www.trinitytewkesbury.org.uk

We look forward to getting to know you.

With our blessing, Stephen and Sharon Walker



Sunday 29th July
10am Family Service
Jean Herrick
'The woman with no name'

Sunday 5th August
10am Family Service
Sue Perks & Stephen Walker
'The Power of Praise'

6.30pm Churches Together
@ Baptist Church

Core Values

**ALL INVOLVED,
BECOMING DISCIPLES,
CREATING COMMUNITY,
DOING EVANGELISM,
ENCOUNTERING GOD**

Looking for a Life Group?

Speak to Alison Cirel to find your nearest group for friendship, fellowship and discipleship during the week

PARENTS

Kindly please note, once the church service and **TJC** have finished, you are responsible for your children's supervision and safety. Thanks

The office is open Mondays to Thursdays 9am - 2.30pm, closed Fridays

Email: office@trinitytewkesbury.org.uk

Facebook: [HolyTrinityChurchTewkesbury](https://www.facebook.com/HolyTrinityChurchTewkesbury)

Wi-Fi is available upon request



Weekly Events

Mondays	Life Group	10.30am
Tuesdays	Youth Life Groups, Sch Yrs 7-13 (Term time only)	7.00-9.00pm
	Music & Movement Group	10.30-11.30am
Wednesdays	Coffee Morning	10.00am
	Holy Communion	10.30am
	Life Groups	7.30pm
Thursdays	Smarties - for parents & carers of pre-school Children (Term time only)	10.15- 11.45am
	Life Groups	7.30pm
Fridays	Life Group	10.30am

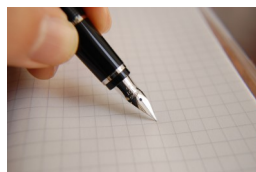


Church Weekend Away 2019 – Date for your Diary!

We have booked Cefn Lea in mid Wales for our Church weekend away 5-7th July 2019 – Put the date in your diary. More information coming out in September.

Contact Details Form

Today we are continuing to issue a Contact Details Form for you to fill in. We are updating the printed Church Directory and asking for your consent to be included in it as well as consent for your photograph or appearance in a video to be used on our new Church Website, in church publicity and/or the church Facebook page. If you would like to share any other information with us, for example, any gifts/skills you may have then you have the availability to do so on the back. If you would like to see the new Privacy Policy to go with this, there are copies in the Foyer.



Pray for Church Summer Activities Sunday 2nd September

Please pray for:

28th July—4th August—New Wine
6th—10th August—Holiday Club
14th August—'Day for You' Summer Party
18th—23rd August—Soul Survivor

Join us for Step Up Sunday, which is also when TJC and Young People's groups resume after the holiday. If you have been called to serve on these teams do speak to Lucy or Sam.

Could you be our next PCC Secretary?

After some 8 years Rachel is stepping down as PCC Secretary. We are hugely indebted to Rachel for the excellent work she has done in this role. If you are able to take minutes at our PCC meetings (short hand not necessary) then please do speak to Rachel to find out more what the role entails.

Our Mission Partner for July are: Chris and Suzy Wilson and Ajikune

See your insert for more news and prayer points for this month.

Next week do pick up the Mission Update from Jenny Green, who is our Mission Partner for August. Jenny Green is working in multiracial Bradford. More information on the Mission Board.

Get Creative!

The Holy Trinity Art Exhibition is planned for 4th to 10th October, including Mop Fair days. We hope to exhibit works from individuals and groups that reflect faith and the glory of God in his world. For further information, contact Jean Herrick or Catherine Folkes.



Treasure Hunters!

Lucy is organising the Summer Holiday Club 6-10 August, 10-12 for children going into school Years 1-6. There will be games, stories, craft and lots more, all for Free!!

Register online <https://tinyurl.com/HTTreasure>

Urgent Appeal from our Youth Pastor on 23rd August

Looking for any willing persons to help with operation clean up following our return from a week camping at Soul Survivor. We aim to arrive back from 12pm on Thursday 23rd August. If you are ready, willing and able come to Room 4 from 12noon. Any help appreciated!



Office closure in August

There will be days when the office is closed over August due to staff holidays. Please view the monthly diary page before visiting or phone and leave a message. Thank you.

Would you like someone to pray with you?

Throughout the service our prayer ministry team is available to pray with you at the far end of the church by the Vestry door.

Church Picnics this summer

Join us in Vineyards after church for fellowship, food and fun. Bring your own picnic and blankets on:

12th August
26th August

