## Reading: Exodus 3:1:14

Now Moses was tending the flock of Jethro his father-in-law, the priest of Midian, and he led the flock to the far side of the wilderness and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. <sup>2</sup> There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in flames of fire from within a bush. Moses saw that though the bush was on fire it did not burn up. <sup>3</sup> So Moses thought, "I will go over and see this strange sight—why the bush does not burn up."

<sup>4</sup> When the Lord saw that he had gone over to look, God called to him from within the bush, "Moses! Moses!"

And Moses said, "Here I am,"

<sup>5</sup> "Do not come any closer," God said. "Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy ground." <sup>6</sup> Then he said, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob." At this, Moses hid his face, because he was afraid to look at God.

<sup>7</sup> The Lord said, "I have indeed seen the misery of my people in Egypt. I have heard them crying out because of their slave drivers, and I am concerned about their suffering. 8 So I have come down to rescue them from the hand of the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey—the home of the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. 9 And now the cry of the Israelites has reached me, and I have seen the way the Egyptians are oppressing them. <sup>10</sup> So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt."

11 But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?"

<sup>12</sup> And God said, "I will be with you. And this will be the sign to you that it is I who have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you will worship God on this mountain."

<sup>13</sup> Moses said to God, "Suppose I go to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' Then what shall I tell them?"

<sup>14</sup> God said to Moses, "I am who I am. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: 'I am has sent me to you."

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

#### **Sermon Link**

Check out the website for Life Group Notes and to listen again, or contact Rachel in the Office to receive the weekly email with these notices in.

#### 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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# to Holy Trinity

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 lesus 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 23rd September** 10am Holy Communion Service Andrew Keith

**Sunday 30th September** 10am Morning Worship David King

6.30pm Bible Course

**6.30pm Churches Together Service at Priors Park Chapel** NB No service at Holy Trinity

#### **Core Values**

ALL INVOLVED. **B**ECOMING DISCIPLES, **C**REATING COMMUNITY. **D**OING 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 **TIC** 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

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



#### G'Loot—God's Loot!

G'loot is about freely giving away unwanted goods without cost. If you have any G'loot items to go in the Notice Sheet, please email the details into the office.

The Herricks are downsizing, do ask them for a list of G'Loot items!

#### Christian books available at Bookworm on Tewkesbury High Street.

A large collection of Bibles, theological and Christian books have recently been donated. Do ask at the counter to see the full selection available.

#### Sue Perks singing students concert, Saturday 29 September at 7.30pm

Everyone welcome. No entry fee but retiring donation suggested for Sue's chosen Charity. In the church!!

MOP Fair—9th and 10th October. If you can help with providing hospitality as we open our doors to welcome all visitors to the Fair, do let Liz and Tony Walker know. Email: nurseniggly@aol.com

#### Church Weekend Away—5-7 July 2019

Bookings open today! Visit the table in the Hall after the service to book your place at Cefn Lea next year. There will be information available for anyone wanting to learn more about our Weekend Away of fellowship and teaching. Information also on the Church website under Church Life.

#### Harvest Sunday 7th October 10am

We will receive donations of non-perishable items for the FoodBank or vegetables that can be made into soup e.g. pumpkins, butternut squash, carrots, onions, for the Soup Lunch on 14th October. See your flyer for items the Foodbank are in need of.

## Our Mission Partner for September are: Wayne O'Leary and the Slavic Gospel Association

See your insert for more news and prayer points for this month. More information on the Mission Board.

#### **Golden Wedding Anniversary**

Joy and Andrew Thomas extend an open invitation to all in the church to drop in and share in coffee and cake on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> (our anniversary day) in Room 4 between 10.00 – 11.30 as we celebrate this special occasion. Let them know if you can come.



#### ICE Kids Residential—8-10 February 2019

Children in Years 3-6 are invited to next years residential at Viney Hill Christian Adventure Centre, Lydney. Cost: £66 per child Do speak to Lucy to register interest, receive letter or more information.

#### Ladies Film night Friday 28th September

"A Same Kind of Different as Me" 7.15pm for 7.30 start - Main church. It told the real-life story of Ron Hall and Denver Moore, respectively a wealthy white Southern art dealer and a Louisiana-born African-American homeless man who became friends after meeting in a shelter at which Ron was volunteering with his wife Deborah. Starring Greg Kinnear, Djimon Hounsou, Renée Zellweger.

#### Ladies Exercise Class Saturday 29th September

Join Liz Walker for 6 weeks in Room 2 from 9.15 to 10 on a Saturday morning exercising to the DVD 'Body Groove by Misty Tripoli'. The reviews say "it's a different way to work out that doesn't have you just mindlessly following an instructor's moves..." Instead, while I'll give you the basic choreography, it's up to you to make each movement your own by adding exactly the style that you want... Whatever feels right to you... and it is INSANELY FUN!

## Baroness Cox speaking at Priors Park Chapel on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September 6.30pm

There will be no evening service on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September here at Holy Trinity so that we can support the Churches Together service at Priors Park Chapel. Baroness Cox, who heads up Humanity Aid Relief Trust, is an inspirational person who at great personal risk to herself has championed the poor and destitute of many war torn regions of the world.

#### Bible Course, Sunday evenings from today at 6.30pm

Find the link to the weekly readings accompanying the series on our website. The course book that accompanies it costs £5 and can be ordered from the clipboard in the Foyer.