

Third Hymn everywhere today:

Sing to him in whom creation
Found its shape and origin;
Spirit, moving on the waters,
Troubled by the God within;
Source of breath
to all things breathing,
Life in whom all lives begin.

Holy ones, both priest and prophet,
Caught his accents, spoke his word;
His the truth behind the wisdoms
Which as yet know not our Lord;
He the love of God eternal,
Which in Christ was seen and heard.

Tell of how the ascended Jesus
Armed a people for his own;
How a hundred men and women
Turned the known world
upside down,
To its dark and furthest corners
By the wind of Whitsun blown.

Pray we then, O Lord the Spirit,
On our lives descend in might;
Let thy flame break out within us,
Fire our hearts and clear our sight,
Till, white-hot in thy possession,
We, too, set the world alight.

Praise, O praise the Holy Spirit,
Praise the Father, praise the Word,
Source, and Truth, and Inspiration,
Trinity in deep accord:
Through thy Voice which speaks within us
We thy creatures own thee Lord.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, WESTON LONGVILLE

Sunday 27th June at 2:30 pm



Musick for the Parson

on the 270th birthday of Parson James Woodforde
Music from performances attended by James Woodforde
& mentioned in his Diaries

Selections from oratorios & theatrical pieces sung and performed by

The Play-House Musick

directed by Michael Withers

Tickets £8 including interval refreshments
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Sunday 23 May 2010

PENTECOST

Collect:

God, who as at this time didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people by sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit: grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

First Reading: Acts 2.1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs – in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the

prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Gospel: John 14.8-17 & 25-27

Philip said to Jesus, 'Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.' Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, "Show us the Father"? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

'I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.'



This week we pray particularly for those who live in **Swan Close** in Swannington.

Please continue to pray for the sick & those in need:

Adam & Josie; Jack Coxall; Osvaldo Ferreira; Peter Frost; Peter Hodges; Guz Jones; Pauline Lomax; Wally; Paul McCoy; Sam and her family; Val; Freda.

Saints this week:

Tue Bede "the Venerable"; religious, historian, theologian (died 735)
Wed Augustine, first archbishop of Canterbury (died 604)
Fri Lanfranc, archbishop of Canterbury, reformer, (died 1089)

Events this week:

Mon 5:45 pm Great Witchingham PCC meets at The White House
8:00 pm Benefice Fete Committee meets at The Old Hart
Tue 7:00 for Archdeacon's Visitation and Churchwardens'
7:30 pm Swearing-In at Buxton
Thu 8:30 pm Weston Ringers' AGM
Sat 2:30 pm Wedding of BENJAMIN ROBERT SYMINGTON & ALEXANDRA JOAN GORDON HARRISON at Weston Longville

Next Sunday: THE HOLY TRINITY

10:00 am Joint Benefice Eucharist at Alderford

Sunday 30th May: CORPUS CHRISTI

(Thanksgiving for the Gift of the Eucharist)

9:00 am The Eucharist (Common Worship) at Ringland

10:15 am The Eucharist at Weston Longville

NB 5:00 pm **Informal Songs of Praise at Swannington;**

suggestions for favourites to sing, or new hymns to try, to Selwyn or Antoinette ASAP please!

Fête day is fast approaching - **June 12th**, starting at midday at Weston Longville village hall and playing field. We welcome any donations of raffle and tombola prizes, old crockery for smashing, books, plants and seedlings, home-made cakes and any offers of a spare pair of hands! Please leave any donations with Dot at The Old Hart. Set-up will start at 9am on the day - if you can spare an hour or so to help put up tents and arrange tables and chairs, please come along. The days events include a Children's Fancy Dress parade so don't forget to start working on your costumes!