



HOLY TRINITY

BRUSSELS

All Saints Sunday
30 October 2022

Our readings this week

Worship this week

Sunday 30 October, 2022

9:00 Holy Communion

Leading & Preaching:
John Wilkinson

10:30 Holy Communion

Leading: John Wilkinson
Preaching: Ozzy Baron

[Zoom](#); [YouTube](#)

**14:00 Holy Communion & Licensing of
Grace West and Eric Sibomana**

Leading: Jean-Bosco Turahirwa
Preaching: Sam Van Leer

[YouTube](#)

18:00 Service of the Word

Leading: Guido Bowen
Preaching: Paul Vrolijk

[Zoom](#); [YouTube](#)

Contact our Interim Youth Coordinator
[Philip Milton](#) for more details about
children's and youth activities.

Wednesday 2, November 2022

12:30 Holy Communion

Preacher & Leader
Annie Bolger

**19:30 A Service to Remember Those who
have Died**

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18 Daniel sees the seemingly invincible powers of the world from the viewpoint of the court of heaven. Four terrifying kings arise from chaos of the earth, but the heavenly viewpoint puts them in perspective. The kingdom will not go to them, but to God's holy ones, who will possess it forever.

Psalms 149 The psalmist well understands God's way towards those who keep faith with him. As the humble receive victory and the faithful exult in glory, those who threatened and abused them find that their power has vanished. We are invited to join in this great song of praise to the God who redeems his faithful people.

Ephesians 1:11-23 Christian believers are God's own people, living as a community of saints in the church. We know this because we are marked with the Holy Spirit, God present in our midst. Christ is the head, the church his body. God has given Christ authority over all things, including all hostile power. Therefore we have nothing to fear. This is the hope in which Christians live: a rich and glorious inheritance of redemption for us all, demonstrated in God's raising of Jesus from the dead.

Luke 6:20-31 We are given a twofold picture. The beatitudes portray "God's people on the march". They may suffer all sorts of deprivation now in service to Christ. In this, they like the prophets of old. But their situation will be reversed in the kingdom of God. The woes warn those who prosper now. Their situation will also be reversed. Jesus calls his people to show the kingdom values of love and forgiveness, doing to others as we would have them do to us. Jesus did this on the cross. It is the pattern of the path to glory.

Pointers for prayer

- Pray for all who suffer under the abuse of human power to know that such arrogance will be overwhelmed by the power that raised Jesus from the dead;
- Are we among God's people, on the march towards his kingdom? If so, do we show the kingdom values?
- God wonderful salvation of those who trust him calls for our praise.

[Our Service programme for the month](#)

Welcome to Holy Trinity!

!!Our clocks go back an hour this weekend!!

Gift account for **pledges and donations:**

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The Prayer Chain

welcomes requests for prayer for any situation with complete confidentiality. Please contact Janine Vrolijk on janine.vrolijk@gmail.com or Carole Ludlow on celudlow@gmail.com.

Please avoid taking photos or videos during the Service unless you have sought prior permission to do so.

Thank you!

On **2nd November at 19:30** we will be holding a **Service to Remember Those who have Died**. This will be a simple service of prayer and remembrance, with music, and the opportunity to lay a small stone in memory of someone who was important to you who has died, to light a candle, or simply to remember. You may like to bring a small stone or stones, on which you could write the names of the people you want to remember. We shall also read out the names of anyone you would like to remember on that day. Please send the names to admin@holyltrinity.be. We hope to broadcast the service on [our YouTube channel](#).

A note from the Treasurer about energy costs. Our energy supplier has raised our monthly contribution from €736 to €2,011 starting in November. Gas accounts for 75% of the charge and should help us to understand the Council decision to reduce the heating in church from 19°C to 15.5°C. We trust that this move will soften the blow and keep the actual charge below the estimate of the energy supplier.

Seniors' Autumn tea party

We will hold an in-person tea party at the home of Pam Clements at 31 Avenue Leopold III, 1970 Wezembeek-Oppem on **Wednesday, 23 November** from **15:00 to 17:30**. You are welcome to come along! Please let admin@holyltrinity.be or Pam Clements (pamclements@outlook.com / 0474 970 876) know if you would like to attend.

Can you join a Team? ... We need **Service hosts, Coffee team and Crèche helpers** for the 10:30 service. If you would like to volunteer for these, and other church activities, feel welcome to [register here](#).

Our annual **Men's Retreat** with the German-speaking Protestant Church in Belgium (DEGB) will be held at **Maredsous Abbey** in the Ardennes from the evening of **Friday 11 to the afternoon of Sunday 13 November**, and will be led by former HTB Associate Chaplain, Chris Martin, and KU Leuven theologian, Armin Kummer. For more information and registration details, please see the [flyer](#) on the notice board in the church lobby.

Advent Meditations We are starting to organise Holy Trinity meditations. These are meditations written by members of our congregations. Each meditation is based on a reading from the daily lectionary. We assign the days; you choose which of the four readings on which to write a few lines. If you would like to write a meditation, please let us know. Jane and David Brown jmdjbrown@gmail.com or 0471 06 07 11.

Ministries Fayre 13 November is proving to be a busier day than we anticipated. Consequently, we are having to postpone the Ministries Fayre again. The new date will be in **January, the 29th**.

The latest edition of the magazine **European Anglicans** is available [here](#).

Online Morning and Night Prayer

On weekday mornings at 9:00 some of us from the various congregations join together to pray. We use the app found at <https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/apps/time-to-pray> Everyday the congregation is different, you may know the people you may not but we join together as children of God. The service lasts about 15 minutes. The zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82809036058#success> and the password htb.

On weekday evenings at 21:00 some of us from the various congregations join together to pray. We use the app found at <https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>. Everyday the congregation is different, you may know the people, you may not but we join together as children of God. The service lasts about 20 minutes. The zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89837499334#success> and the password htb.

It has been mentioned by some that it is difficult to have a conversation in the Walker Hall after the morning service because there is too much noise. We would like to assess to what extent this is a problem. If you have any comments on this issue, please send them to Daniel – Daniel.Maleki@holytrinity.be. Thank you! – Sue Bird, Facilities Working Group.

COP27 is fast approaching, and climate justice needs lots of prayer! **Christian Climate Action** invite you to join our monthly Prayer in the Park on **Tuesday 1st November**. Meet at 18h Parc Cinquantenaire (Schumann end) for 30 minutes of outdoors climate prayer and reflection. All welcome, look for the Christian Climate Action banner.

The Wider Church

FCJ Centre of Spirituality 211 Ave. Winston Churchill, 1180, Brussels offers the following:

Sunday 30th Oct. 15.00 - 17.30

'Labyrinth Retreat': 'Autumn Surrender'(Potluck supper included in timetable).

Sunday 13th Nov. 15.00 -17.00 (Zoom event)

'Companionship with Jesus and its intrinsic relationship with caring for our World'

Saturday 19th Nov.10.30 - 13.00

'Come as you are, that's how I want you' (Paul Gurr) (Potluck lunch included in timetable)

Sunday 27th Nov. 15.00 - 17.30

'Advent Retreat' (in person). (Potluck supper included in timetable)

For further information, visit www.fcjcentre.be or, email fcj@fcjcentre.be, or tel.02 348 9561

Vineyard Brussels will be hosting two events – one is an **All-age event on 13 November** and the other is **a youth concert on 18 November** with a troupe of Native American musicians and dancers. There is a [detailed poster](#) up in the church lobby. For more info visit their websites "Broken Walls" (music, culture, and respect) - <http://brokenwalls.com/> and "Carry The Cure" (suicide prevention) - <https://www.carrythecure.org/>

Be part of Research If you are over 65 years of age and would like to contribute and be part of a patients & carers council, send an email to info@besafe.eu. More info available on www.be_safe.eu and the poster in the church lobby.

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