

Our prayers are asked:

- for our parish and Cathedral Church
- for Jess Carr in her role as Hempsted Children and Families worker
- for wisdom & guidance for all our political leaders
- for our city as we celebrate our history and heritage and the inclusion of all
- for the Gill family
- for all who are sick
- for all who have died including Caroline Doyle, Richard Emery, Helen Brooks, Olga Dalby and Bill Wood.

Collections are taken during most services to pay for the running of the churches. If you are a UK tax payer, please use the Gift Aid envelope in the pew, complete your details and sign it. This is required to verify that it is you making the donation, so that we can recover tax at no extra expense to yourself. Better still, join our Planned Giving Scheme.

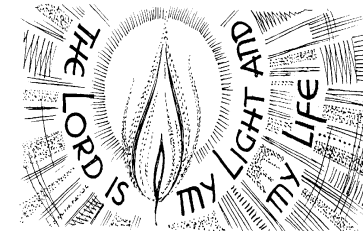
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**The Parish of Hempsted with St Mary de Lode
and St Mary de Crypt, Gloucester**
in partnership with Gloucester Cathedral



8 September 2019
Trinity 12

9.15am	Sung Eucharist	St Mary de Lode
Readings	Deuteronomy 30: 15-20; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14: 25-33	
Hymns	546, Psalm 1, 330, 538 (vv 1, 2, 4, 5)	
Preacher	Anna Griffiths	
11.00am	Holy Communion	St Swithun's
Reading	Deuteronomy 30: 15-20; Philemon 1-21; Luke 14: 25-33	
Hymns	551, 13, 625, 503	
Preacher	Anna Griffiths	
3.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral



Tuesday, 10 September

- 9.00am Coffee and Chat Lysons Hall
11.30am Holy Communion The Dean
12.30pm Funeral of Helen Brooks St Mary de Lode

Wednesday, 11 September

- 11.30am Launch of 'Hidden Lives' Discover DeCrypt
2.00pm Dementia-friendly Songs of Praise St Mary de Lode

Thursday, 12 September

- 8.45am Morning Prayer St Mary de Lode
10.00am Pastoral Assistants supervision The Rectory

Friday, 13 September

- 9.15am Morning Prayer St Swithun's
10.30am Coffee, Cake & Conversation Discover DeCrypt
1.00pm Prayers for the City Discover DeCrypt

Saturday, 14 September *St Mary de Lode Gift Day*

- 9.15am Prayers for Pride Discover DeCrypt
10.00am Coffee Morning St Mary de Lode
11.00am The Silver Singers in concert Discover DeCrypt
4.00pm 'Rotten Luck' (play) Discover DeCrypt

Sunday, 15 September *Trinity 13*

- 9.15am Sung Eucharist St Mary de Lode
11.00am Holy Communion St Swithun's
3.00pm Choral Evensong Cathedral

Please do come and celebrate the launch of '**Hidden Lives**' on Wednesday 11 September at 11.30pm; the book is the work of Discover DeCrypt's Historical Research Group, telling the extraordinary stories of some of the 'ordinary' people who have worked and worshipped in the parish over the last two hundred years.

This Friday's **Charity Lunch** at 12 noon in the Lysons Hall is hosted by the Hempsted Wine Circle and Social Club in aid of Footsteps, the charity offering support to anybody in Gloucestershire affected by pregnancy issues or the loss of a baby. Do come and support this good cause.

Saturday 14 September is **Gift Day** at St Mary de Lode whilst Saturday 21 September is Gift Day at **St Swithun's**. Once a year the PCC asks for donations towards the upkeep of the churches. Please leave your gift in one of the Gift Day envelopes available. If you are a UK taxpayer please do also fill in the details on the gift aid envelope.

We extend our **heartfelt sympathy**, love and prayers to church members John and Gwen Emery following the sudden death of their son, Rich. We keep Rich's wife Paula, sons Cai and Dan, John and Gwen and all the family in our prayers. Rich's funeral will take place in the Cathedral on Friday 20 September at 2.30pm. All are welcome.

Change of date: please note that the next **Messy Church** will take place on Sunday 13 October, not 29th September!