



THE PARISHES OF
St OSWALD'S HOOE

and

St. MARY'S NINFIELD

WEEKLY SHEET ~ 23rd September 2018

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THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND

A warm welcome to everyone, especially any visitors.

If you are new to our Churches please introduce yourselves to the sides people on duty. If you need help in any way during your time in church please talk to one of the sides people.

Please note that both churches are installed with hearing loops to help those who wear a hearing aid with the T setting.

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

St. Mary's:

Wednesday 10am ~ Holy Communion

Sunday 9.30am ~ Parish Eucharist - Rev John Hawkins

St Oswald's:

Sunday 11am ~ No Service

From the Diary

Friday 28th ~ Jo's Jammies Methodist Hall 7.30-9.00pm

Saturday 29th & Sunday 30th ~ Ninfield Art Exhibition and Sale
10am - 5pm Ninfield Memorial Hall

In the next month or so.....

Saturday 13th October ~ Hooe Harvest Supper ~ 6.30pm
Hooe Village Hall ~ Tickets £7pp ~ Contact 892576 or 845087

Sunday 14th October ~ St Mary's Harvest Service

Tuesday 16th October ~ Ninfield School Harvest Service

Saturday 27th October ~ **Ninfield Gala Night**, including the Village Awards. Tickets £13.50 including a fish and chip supper.

**If you are interested in joining the church table
please let the Church Wardens or Paul know.**

TODAY'S READINGS

Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

The Collect

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading **Jeremiah 11.18-20**

It was the Lord who made it known to me, and I knew; then you showed me their evil deeds. But I was like a gentle lamb led to the slaughter. And I did not know it was against me that they devised schemes, saying, 'Let us destroy the tree with its fruit, let us cut him off from the land of the living, so that his name will no longer be remembered!' But you, O Lord of hosts, who judge righteously, who try the heart and the mind, let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause.

Second Reading **James 3.13-4.3, 7-8a**

Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom. But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not be boastful and false to the truth. Such wisdom does not come down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, devilish. For where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace. Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? You want something and do not have it; so you

commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures. Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

Gospel Reading Mark 9.30-37

They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, ‘The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.’ But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, ‘What were you arguing about on the way?’ But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, ‘Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.’ Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, ‘Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.’



Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me (Mark 9:37)

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**A big thank you to all those who were involved in the thorough cleaning of both churches last week.
Your efforts are greatly appreciated!**

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PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

Pray daily for peace and all those who suffer from illness especially

Hope Green, Peter Green, Donna Morris, Aubrey Yull,
Donald Cornford, Amy Ballard, Mary Collings,
Val Masterman and Jane Holdway.

This week we pray for residents of Stocks Meadow, Ninfield,
Lower Road, Hooe and Explorers, Scouts, Cubs and Beavers.

In our CTiB cycle of prayer we pray for
The Society of Friends and Daphne Hill.

St Mary's and St Oswald's Opening Times:

Where possible St Mary's will be open from:

9am – 3pm Monday - Thursday,

Wednesday 10 a.m. - Only when there is a Holy Communion Service.

St Mary's is closed on Fridays, Saturdays & after the Sunday service.

St Oswald's is open from 9am to 5pm every day.

Prayer By Nick Fawcett

Lord Jesus Christ, Lord of all yet servant
of all, teach us your way of gentleness
and humility, so that we in turn may
serve you and others.

Nurture us now, as we worship you,
and put a new nature within us –
a childlike innocence and sincerity,
enthusiasm and spontaneity,
trust and dependence –
so that, open to fresh horizons,
we may be ready to learn more of you,
to grow in grace, and to respond
obediently to your call in faith
and love, to your glory.

Amen.

**Any items for the
Weekly Sheet**

to Sally Bobin
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and Sally Parry
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By Wednesday 6pm please.

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**Please put any used stamps
in the box at the back of
St Mary's. Collecting for
Eastbourne DGH.**

Thank you.