

October Diary 2009

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Vicar's October Jottings

St John's first epistle begins: *From the very first day, we were there, taking it all in—we heard it with our own ears, saw it with our own eyes, verified it with our own hands. The Word of Life appeared right before our eyes; we saw it happen! And now we're telling you in most sober prose that what we witnessed was, incredibly, this: The infinite Life of God himself took shape before us. We saw it, we heard it, and now we're telling you so you can experience it along with us, this experience of communion with the Father and his Son, Jesus Christ. Our motive for writing is simply this: We want you to enjoy this, too. Your joy will double our joy!* [from The Message]

As I read those words I found myself reflecting upon both our Mission Statement - **Making Jesus Visible by Word and Power** - and the theme of our Church Weekend at the end of the month - **Touching Heaven; Changing Earth**. John is speaking of an experience so significant that he struggles to put it into words and yet he feels compelled to re-shape his whole life because of it. Just as Jesus was revealed to him and the other disciples, so they now speak of Jesus that he may be revealed to others.

We all share in being part of Jesus' mission to bring God's Kingdom on Earth as in Heaven. Together we are the Body of Christ and by the work of the Holy Spirit we pray that our words and actions will enable the *infinite life of God* to *take shape* in our community. To do that we must constantly be shaped ourselves by that life of God; repeatedly reaching out to touch the Kingdom like lightning rods 'earthing' Jesus' love in the here and now; daily being transformed ourselves by the Holy Spirit that we may bring transformation to others.

Go and read that passage again and then pray through it with expectancy and hope for all that God will do among us, especially through our church weekend, to his glory and to our increasing joy!

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Date & Day	Time	Details	Venue
1 st Thursday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	St Saviour's Church
	12noon	Not-so-Young	Kings House Coffee Shop
	1.15-2.45pm	Parent & Toddler Group	Holy Trinity Church Hall
3 rd Saturday	8.00am	Prayer Meeting	Holy Trinity Coffee Room
4th SUNDAY <i>Trinity 17</i>	8.00am	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity Church
	9.30am	Morning Service	Holy Trinity Church
	9.45am	20:20 Church	St Saviour's Church
	6.30pm	Evening Hour	Holy Trinity Church
	6.30-8.00pm	Youth Cell Group (school yrs 10 & 11)	H Trinity Upper Rm
	7-9pm	Youth Club (age 14-18)	St Saviour's Hall
5 th Monday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
6 th Tuesday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
	4.00pm	Archdeacon's Parish Visitation	Holy Trinity Church
	8.00pm	Wardens Meeting	Trinity House
7 th Wednesday	1.45-2.45pm	Intercessors for Healing	HTrinity Church via Vestry
	7.30-9.00pm	Lighthouse	Holy Trinity Church Hall
8 th Thursday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	St Saviour's Church
	1.15-2.45pm	Parent & Toddler Group	Holy Trinity Church Hall
10 th Saturday	8.00am	Prayer Meeting	Holy Trinity Coffee Room
	3.30-5.30pm	Messy Church 1st Birthday!	St Saviour's Church/Hall

11th SUNDAY <i>Trinity 18</i>	9.30am	Hands Free : Parents to Ju:C!	Holy Trinity Church
	10.30am	Holy Communion	St Saviour's Church
	11.15am	Morning Prayer & Thanksgiving for William & Jessica Eyles	Holy Trinity Church
	6.30pm	Evening Worship	Holy Trinity Church

11th Sunday (Cont'd)	6.30-8.00pm	Youth Cell Group (school yrs 10 & 11)	H Trinity Upper Rm
	7-9pm	Youth Club (age 14-18)	St Saviour's Hall
12th Monday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
	9.15-10.45am	Knaphill Lower School Harvest Rehearsal	Holy Trinity Church
	8.00pm	Standing Committee	61 Percheron Drive
13th Tuesday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
	9.30am	Brookwood School Harvest Assembly	St Saviour's Church
	7.45pm	Deanery Synod	Holy Trinity Church
	8.00pm	Men's Curry Club	Khyber Pass, Knaphill
14th Wednesday	11.00am	Harvest Service	The Vyne
	1.45-2.45pm	Intercessors for Healing	H Trinity Church via Vestry
	7.30-9.00pm	Lighthouse	Holy Trinity Church Hall
15th Thursday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	St Saviour's Church
	12.30-2.30pm	'Lunch with Others'	Brookwood Memorial Halls
	1.15-2.45pm	Parent & Toddler Group	Holy Trinity Church Hall
17th Saturday	8.00am	Prayer Meeting	Holy Trinity Coffee Room

18th SUNDAY <i>Trinity 19</i>	9.30am	Hands Free Holy Communion & Thanksgiving for Hannah Bowen	Holy Trinity Church
	10.30am	Intergen	St Saviour's Church
	11.15am	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity Church
	6.30pm	Evening Holy Communion	Holy Trinity Church
	6.30-8.00pm	Youth Cell Group (school yrs 10 & 11)	H Trinity Upper Rm
	7-9pm	Youth Club (age 14-18)	St Saviour's Hall

19th Monday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
	11.30am	Knaphill Lower School Harvest – Yr 2	Holy Trinity Church
	8.00pm	LLM & Clergy Meeting	Trinity House
20th Tuesday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
	11.30am	Knaphill Lower School Harvest – Yr 1	Holy Trinity Church
21st Wednesday	10.30am	Holy Communion: Isaiah 6	St Saviour's Church
	11.15am	Knaphill Lower School Harvest – Yr R	Holy Trinity Church
	1.45-2.45pm	Intercessors for Healing	H Trinity Church via Vestry
	7.30-9.00pm	Lighthouse	Holy Trinity Church Hall
22nd Thursday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	St Saviour's Church
	1.15-2.45pm	Parent & Toddler Group	Holy Trinity Church Hall
23rd Friday	6.30pm	*Touching Heaven, Changing Earth	St Saviour's Hall & Church
24th Saturday	9.30am	*Touching Heaven, Changing Earth	Holy Trinity Coffee Room

25th SUNDAY <i>Trinity 20</i>	9.30am	*Touching Heaven, Changing Earth Extended Family Holy Communion	Holy Trinity Church
	12.45-2.00pm	THCE Agape Lunch	Holy Trinity Church Hall

Half-term

26th Monday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
27th Tuesday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	Holy Trinity Church
28th Wednesday	1.45-2.45pm	Intercessors for Healing	H Trinity Church via Vestry
29th Thursday	8.45am	Morning Prayer	St Saviour's Church
31st Saturday	8.00am	Prayer Meeting	Holy Trinity Coffee Room
	5.00-7.30pm	Crazy Colour Party	Knaphill Methodist Church