

19th July – Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Collect

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. **Amen**

Romans 8.14-16

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

Matthew 19.13-15

Then little children were being brought to him in order that he might lay his hands on them and pray. The disciples spoke sternly to those who brought them; but Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs.' And he laid his hands on them and went on his way.

Post Communion

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life, ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

Readings for the week ahead:

Monday 20th July

Psalms 1, 2, 3; 1 Samuel 10.1-16;
Luke 22.24-30.

Tuesday 21st July

Psalms 5, 6; 1 Samuel 10.17-end;
Luke 22.31-38.

Wednesday 22nd July – Mary Magdalene

Psalms 30, 32, 150; 1 Samuel 16.14-end;
Luke 8.1-3

Thursday 23rd July

Psalms 14, 15, 16; 1 Samuel 12;
Luke 22.47-62.

Friday 24th July

Psalms 17, 19; 1 Samuel 13.5-18;
Luke 22.63-end.

Saturday 25th July – James the Apostle

Psalms 7, 29, 117; 2 Kings 1.9-15;
Luke 9.46-56.