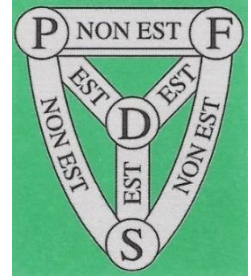


Trinity Parish News

June and July 2023



FROM THE PARISH HALL

I hope you were all able to enjoy the recent Coronation and Liberation weekend. I am conscious that many of you joined in our Parish celebrations. We were extremely fortunate to have His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Dr Kyd and the Bailiff join us for the Three In One Club and Parish Senior Citizens' afternoon tea on Thursday 4 May. Our Family Fun Day on the Sunday afternoon was a great success. It was wonderful to see our parish community come together with so many families out enjoying themselves. Yet again, we were fortunate that the weather was favourable on the day. It is impossible to thank everyone who was involved in making the event the success that it was by name – you know who you are, so thank you very much – but special thanks go to the “volunteers” who manned the barbeque.

Liberation Day followed its usual format starting with the church service at Ebenezer at which the collection, plus a contribution, raised a total of £545 towards the work of the British Red Cross. In the evening, our Liberation Supper at the Parish Hall was a sell-out event enjoyed by all which raised in the region of £900 for the British Red Cross.

Our first Branchage this year will be on **Friday 14 July**. Judging by the rate at which things are growing at the moment, it would be much appreciated if landowners with boundaries alongside the pavement on La Route de la Trinité in particular could keep them cut back thereby making it safer for pedestrians.

Finally, our recent recruitment drive for the Honorary Police has produced a couple of potential new members, which is great, but we still have vacancies. If you would like an opportunity to give something back to our community, please contact me to have a chat.

Kind regards,

Philip Le Sueur, Connétable

FROM THE RECTORY

Sunday 4 June is a special day in the life of our community, **Trinity Sunday**, and all are invited to the Parish Church to celebrate our life together and give thanks for the joy of living in the very best Parish!

Once again there are weddings at the Parish Church every weekend throughout these next few months, and our congratulations go to each and every couple. If you or your family would like to know more about getting married here at Trinity, do get in touch – 2024 is booking up fast!

In support of our link churches in the Diocese of Goma, Democratic Republic of the Congo, all are welcome to attend a **Coffee Morning, 10.30 am – 12 noon, Tuesday 20 June, in the Rectory Garden.** (Wet weather plan B in Church). I look forward to seeing you then.

The annual St Helier Pilgrimage, from the Town Church to the Saint's Hermitage at Elizabeth Castle takes place on the morning of **Sunday 16 July.** This year both the Bishop of Salisbury and the Lieutenant-Governor will be participating, and all are warmly invited to participate in this ecumenical, family event. Further details in our church porch soon.

The families and children of the Church are looking forward to their **Summer Treat** on **Saturday 1 July**, riding out in vintage lorries and enjoying a splendid picnic. Give them a wave or a toot as they pass. To join the fun and book a place on the lorries for your young family, email: sarah.prosser@trinitychurch.org.je.

With every blessing,

Canon Geoff Houghton, Rector

A WEDDING PRAYER FOR ALL

God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, bless, preserve and keep you; the Lord mercifully grant you the riches of his grace, that you may please him both in body and soul, and, living together in faith and love, may receive the blessings of eternal life. Amen.



TRINITY 3 IN 1 CLUB

1 June - Steve Pearce talks about the work of one of Jersey's largest social enterprises, Acorn Enterprises, based in Trinity. Followed by afternoon tea.

6 July - Sit back, relax and enjoy a west coast coach tour, departing the **Parish Hall** at the **EARLIER TIME OF 2PM.** Returning at 4/4.15 pm for afternoon tea in the Parish Hall. If you prefer to skip the tour and only have tea let a member of the Committee know. Capacity is limited so please ensure to book your seat.

TRINITY WI

6 June – Gabby Mason, Jersey Fishing Industry, at Trinity Parish Hall at 2.30 pm.

4 July – Mike Stentiford, Birds and Wildlife, Trinity Parish Hall at 2.30 pm.

1 August – Outing to La Hougue Bie followed by lunch at Holme Grown.

TRINITY VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT EXHIBITION – MONDAY 5 JUNE

Parishioners are welcome to attend from 5 pm to 9 pm to see the latest plans.

TRINITY SCARECROW FESTIVAL - SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 24-25 JUNE

The Parish Hall is the main hub where you can collect the free trail map. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun from 10 am to 3 pm both days. Bring some money as we have a number of stalls and refreshments to tempt you.

DURRELL TORTOISE TAKEOVER – SATURDAY 15 JULY, 10 AM TO 3 PM

On the Glebe Field at the Parish Hall we are holding a fun, tortoise-themed fundraiser event in aid of the Durrell Tortoise Takeover which is taking place island-wide from 1 July to 31 August. Watch out for more details soon.

MONTHLY PARISH COFFEE MORNINGS - 10 AM TO MIDDAY

Remember this takes place on the last Friday of each month: **30 June, 28 July** and **25 August** at the Parish Hall. All ages welcome. Ideas for future coffee mornings will be warmly welcomed by the team at the Parish Hall.

CAKE AND CABARET WITH BALLET D’JERRI FOR TRINITY SENIOR CITIZENS

On Tuesday 22 August. Contact the Parish Hall for more details.

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

We are using both social media and our Parish Website more frequently to advise of news and events. Follow our Facebook page “Parish of Trinity” and sign up to receive the latest news via email – follow the sign up link via www.parishoftrinity.je.

RJA AND HS SUMMER COUNTRY FAIR – 10-11 JUNE, 10.30 AM TO 5 PM



Includes a Cattle Show and the Early Summer Flower Show. Adults £5, Seniors £3 and free for Children and Members. Lots of local trade stands, children’s area and entertainment.

ALL-ISLAND GARDEN COMPETITION - JUDGING ON 11, 12 AND 13 JULY

Open to members and non-members. Entries close Monday 3 July. Free entry for Members and £5 entry fee for non-members. Sponsored by Ransoms Garden Centre with vouchers for 1st, 2nd & 3rd plus and a 10% discount voucher for every entry. See <https://www.royaljersey.co.uk/garden-compertitions>.

SUMMER FLOWER AND PRODUCE SHOW: 19-20 AUGUST, 10.30 AM TO 5 PM

Adults £4, Seniors £2, Children and Members free. Lots of local trade stands, children’s area, plus refreshments. The schedule will be available soon from the office or RJA&HS Website. Entries close on Thursday 10 August. For more info on all RJA&HS events contact Rachelle: 860648 or rachelle@royaljersey.co.uk

EBENEZER COMMUNITY OUTREACH WORK: Monthly Generations sessions for youngsters and seniors are held on Friday afternoons from 2.45 pm to 4.30 pm. There is space for more senior folk if you would like to come along. Visit our website and Facebook page “Ebenezer Methodist Church Jersey” for updated details on all services and community activities. June session is Friday 23 June.

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Catholic Community: tel. 720235

USEFUL WEBSITES

For Trinity Parish Matters, including dog licence and driving licence downloadable forms and forthcoming events: parishoftrinity.je

For Trinity Parish Church: trinitychurchjersey.com

For Ebenezer Methodist Church: ebenezerjersey.org/

For Roman Catholic Services: catholicchurch.org.je

GLASS & RECYCLING COLLECTIONS:

Thurs 22 and Friday 23 June; Thurs 27 and Friday 28 July; 24 and 25 August.

TRINITY CLIMATE CHANGE GROUP meets on the 3rd Monday of each month at 7pm at the Parish Hall. Next meetings: 19 June, 17 July, 21 August, 18 September, 16 October, 20 November and 18 December. All welcome. Please come and support this group. More information from the Parish Hall.

FIRST VISITE DE BRANCHAGE – Friday 14 July. Please make sure all hedges are cut and cuttings are cleared away. **Visite Royale** – Wednesday 2 August.

SECOND VISITE DE BRANCHAGE – Friday 8 September.

MAIN PARISH ASSEMBLY – Thursday 13 July at 7 pm at the Parish Hall.

DRIVING LICENCE RENEWALS: Remember to check the expiry date on your driving licence. Licences can be renewed up to three months before expiry.

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