



PEW NEWS

Sunday 30th August 2026

13th Sunday after Trinity

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You will be welcomed this week by Phil & Maria

Readings

Exodus 3: 1-15 - Page 57
Romans 12: 9-end - Page 1076
Matthew 16: 21-end - Page 930

Hymns

The Lord is My Shepherd - 1030
Be Stil for the Presence of the Lord - 40
From Heaven You Came - 120
Brother Sister Let Me Serve You - 54
Teach Me to Dance - 1013

Collect

Almighty God,
who called your Church to bear witness
that you were in Christ
reconciling the world to yourself:
help us to proclaim the good news of your love,
that all who hear it may be drawn to you;
through him who was lifted up on the cross,
and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Post Communion

God our creator,
you feed your children with the true manna,
the living bread from heaven:
let this holy food sustain us
through our earthly pilgrimage
until we come to that place
where hunger and thirst are no more;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Psalm 115

1 Not to us, Lord, not to us
but to your name be the glory,
because of your love and faithfulness.
2 Why do the nations say,
Where is their God?
3 Our God is in heaven;
he does whatever pleases him.
4 But their idols are silver and gold,
made by human hands.
5 They have mouths, but cannot speak,
eyes, but cannot see.
6 They have ears, but cannot hear,
noses, but cannot smell.
7 They have hands, but cannot feel,
feet, but cannot walk,
nor can they utter a sound with their throats.
8 Those who make them will be like them,
and so will all who trust in them.
9 All you Israelites, trust in the Lord –
he is their help and shield.
10 House of Aaron, trust in the Lord –
he is their help and shield.
11 You who fear him, trust in the Lord –
he is their help and shield.
12 The Lord remembers us and will bless us:
he will bless his people Israel,
he will bless the house of Aaron,
13 he will bless those who fear the Lord –
small and great alike.
14 May the Lord cause you to flourish,
both you and your children.
15 May you be blessed by the Lord,
the Maker of heaven and earth.
16 The highest heavens belong to the Lord,
but the earth he has given to the human race.
17 It is not the dead who praise the Lord,
those who go down to the place of silence;
18 it is we who extol the Lord,
both now and for evermore.
Amen.

Fire and Health & Safety Procedures

Fire Action Notices - there are fire action and evacuation notices on the noticeboards in the porch, church and annexe. Please make sure you read these and are aware of what you need to do in the event of a fire.

Health & Safety Policies - our health and safety notice and policy are also on these noticeboards. Please make sure you are aware of your rights and responsibilities.

Online Giving

If you would like to make a donation to the church but would prefer to do it online, please click on the link below or use this QR code:

<https://givealittle.co/c/5bv8hJOLVwYt1Bc20ESJk3>





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ST. AUGUSTINE'S
Scaynes Hill

We have a Sunday morning Holy Communion service at 10.00 am each week

This Week's Diary

Sunday 30th August

12 noon Baptism

Tuesday 1st September

8.30 am Wardens' Meeting

10am Anchor Coffee Shop

Wednesday 2nd September

8.45 am New Parents' Drop In

Thursday 3rd September

10.30 am Mid Week Communion

Sunday 6th September

10 am Holy Communion

With members of ZINAFE

12 noon BBQ in Church Garden

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New to St Augustine's

All are Welcome in this Place

Please do join us after the service for tea/coffee and biscuits.

Viewing Online

If you are viewing online and joining us from home you are especially welcome. If there is anything at all that you need or that we can do to help, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

<https://www.youtube.com/@staugustineschurchscaynes2087/streams>

Church News

Reverend Jean Sedgley - to celebrate Jean's ministry with us over very many years and to mark her retirement, there will be cake and coffee in the annexe after the 10.00 am service on Sunday 31st August. Please do join us to mark this special occasion.

Anchor Coffee Shop - is back on Tuesday 1st September! During the break, if we can help in any way, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Prayer Space - our next prayer space will be on Sunday 6th September at 6 pm.

Zimbabwe National Anglican Fellowship (ZINAFE) - on Sunday 6th September, at our 10.00 am service, members of ZINAFE will be joining us, and participating in, our communion service and our BBQ in the church garden at midday. We very much look forward to welcoming them.

Re-arranged Barbecue - the new date for our barbecue will be Sunday 6th September at 12 noon in the church garden. Everyone is very welcome to attend and please sign up on the list in the annexe.

Ride and Stride - we are participating in this wonderful event again this year where half the money raised is donated to Sussex Historic Churches Trust with the other half being gifted to St Augustine's Church. If you are interested in joining us on 12th September (or any other date close to 12th September), please let Mike Harding know. At the present time our six riders are - Mike Harding, Steve Argent, Stephen Horsfield, David Smith, Kerry Jones and Mark Jones. If you would like to sponsor anyone of them, please get in touch with them directly. Thank you so much for your fantastic support.

Woodland Wanders - our next session will take place on Tuesday 15th September. We meet at 9.45 am at the gate on the common for a 10 am start. You can book by emailing Karen at: lostwoodsteam@ruralsussex.org.uk or calling her on 07854 249014.

Apple Pressing - the annual Scaynes Hill apple pressing will be on Saturday 26th September from 2-4 pm in the church garden with refreshments in the annexe. We are now collecting plastic bottles for the event - the 500ml size is ideal but up to 1 litre is fine. There is a labelled box behind the font where bottles can be left. If you have apples that you can contribute, we are happy to arrange picking. Please let Helen Hicks or Jenny Walker know. Many thanks in advance.

Fruit and Veg Share - The Fruit and Vegetable Share table will be back outside St Augustine's Church on Tuesdays until 29th September. Bring your excess garden produce any time from 8 am to 6 pm and take away anything you can use. Nothing to bring? Then take what you can use anyway. No money involved!