

This week's image - a microscopic cross section of pine wood - St Paul invites those who have been raised with Christ to have a new focus: to look beyond everyday realities to the life hidden with the risen Christ. When has a new focus on a situation changed your perspective? Where do you need to change focus in your life right now? We will be approaching Parish Needs Process part 2 shortly when we will be looking at our original Mission Action Plan to discuss where we should be focussing as a parish. If you would like to be involved in this process please do speak to Revs Liz or Gill.

Today we leave aside the cares and worries of the world, and through our readings we come to hear of better motivations for our lives based on God's vision for our world. **We pray for peace** where there is war, for resolution where there is conflict. **We ask for guidance and insight** into ways that we can bring about change, however small. **We pray that God's glory** will be visible in all the world, in the small places where people work quietly and in the organisations and governments that everyone can see. **We pray for all those who suffer** in body, mind or spirit and especially for Jennifer, Tessa, Philomena, Nicky, Nick, George, Sally, Doreen, Joy, Shirley, Dianne, Hannah and Margaret. We name before you also our own loved ones who are no longer with us but have entered your eternal rest. **We pray for all who mourn** their loss especially Jessie and family and Shirley and family.

We look forward to welcoming the Ayling family to St Margaret's this afternoon where Scarlett will be baptised and welcomed into the fellowship of faith and join us as children of the same heavenly Father! We welcome you.

Volunteers needed for our next fundraising initiative at the Capel Show. Burgers and Hot Dog stall. Help needed between 11 and 4.30pm, flipping burgers, frying onions, slicing tomatoes, shedding lettuce, topping up sauces, serving food and soft drinks, taking cash, cleaning up...and when its over, taking down the tents. We also need able bodied volunteers to help put up our tent and set up tables etc the day before. If you can help on either day, sign the sheet in the back of church or email Helen on helenmb0909@gmail.com or call/text on 07990597553. Thank you!!

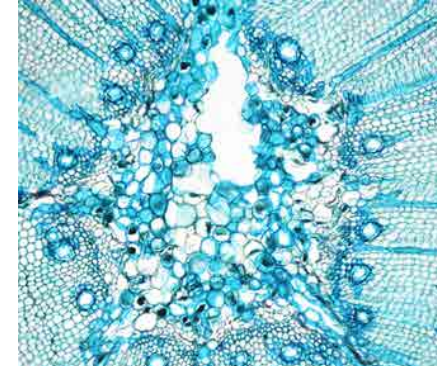
No services in our churches next Sunday 10th August - instead we are joining together with Okewood and Forest Green at Okewood recreation ground/ cricket club for Cafe Church together. Don't miss it! Let us know if you need a lift?

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

Sunday 3rd August 2025

Seventh Sunday after Trinity



*microscopic cross section of
pine wood*

TODAY

9.30 Matins - Ockley
10.30 Family Communion - Capel
3pm Baptism of Scarlett - Ockley

Sunday 10th August - Trinity 8 - Local Churches Together

10.30 Cafe Church at Okewood Marquee
Our 3rd annual event with the parish of Okewood and Forest Green held at Okewood Recreation ground in the big marquee the day after their Summer Show

Sunday 17th August - Trinity 9

9.30 Parish Communion BCP - Ockley
St Margaret's newly built 'loos' will be dedicated today - do join us in thanks to all those who made this much needed facility possible!

Sunday 24th August - Trinity 10

10.30 Parish Morning Worship - Capel

Sunday 31st August - Trinity 11

9.30 Parish Communion CW - Ockley

Every Wednesday 9 - 12 Pavilion Café in Ockley, Cricket Pavilion
with visit from Community Fridge

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above,
where Christ is seated at the right hand of God

Colossians 3.1

In case of changes to events in these notes,
the latest information can be found on:

www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/

