PCC Accounts month ending 30th September, 2024

	£		£
Balance B/F	617.82	Electric	68.17
September Income	1,302.80	Durham Cathedral shop	51.94
Total	1,920.62	Gas	73.31
Expenditure	<u>1,391.80</u>	Church Insurance	374.77
Balance C/F	<u>528.82</u>	Books/cards-Confirmation 59.67	
		Water Aid	300.00
		Visiting Clergy	137.25
		Copies-Total Bus Group	5.35
		Pest Control	101.11
		Durham BF	220.23
		Total	<u>1,391.80</u>
Parish Share Pledged Parish Share Paid Parish Share Due	£15,000 £6,300 £8,700		

P.C.C. meeting: Monday 28th October, 7.30pm in Jubilee Room.

S.M.D.T. meeting: Monday 21st October, 7pm in Vestry.

Church Hall meeting:

Friday 18th October, 9.30am in Vestry after flowers.

Steering Group meeting: Thursday 24th October, 2.00pm

Sunday 3rd November, 3pm. ALL SOULS SERVICE.

If you would like a loved one or friend remembered at our All Souls Service, please add their names to the list at the back of church.

Sunday 13th October, 2024 The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 23)

9.45am: Parish Communion. (Proper 23)

Welcome – Susan Dick

Celebrant and preacher: Rev. Norman Shave

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Hymn – 251; "How sweet the name of Jesus"

O.T. reading: Job 23: 1-9, 16-17 – Charles Martin

N.T. reading: Hebrews 4: 12-16 Hymn – 59; "Blessed assurance,"

Gospel: Mark 10: 17-31 – Rev. Norman Shave

Sermon – Rev. Norman Shave

Prayers – Joanne Martin

Collection hymn – 498; "O God, our help in ages past," (Omit v4)

Holy Communion Music – "Psalm 23"

Holy Communion hymn – 673; "There is a Redeemer,"

Final hymn – 784; "Ye servants of God,"

Mid-week Services

Wednesday 16th October, 10.00am.

Mid-week Communion: **Rev. Paul Grundy** Readings: Gal. 5: 18-end; Luke 11: 42-46

<u>Prayers for:</u> Mary Brewis; Florence and Derek Coffey; Dianne Watcotte; Michelle McDonald; Dorothy Orrell; Dawn McDonald and Elly Ford.

Departed:

Joyce Dixon Olive Gibson

Dates for the diary

- Saturday 30th November, 2pm. Christmas Fayre in church hall.
- Friday 6th December, 6pm. Village Christmas Tree Lights switch on. Coffee, hot chocolate and mince pies served afterwards in the church hall.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX APPEAL

Boxes and leaflets are now available at the back of church for anyone wishing to participate in this year's appeal. Please make sure you pick up a shoebox leaflet as it gives details of what, and what not to put into the boxes this year.

Church Hall cleaning

If anyone is available to help/volunteer with cleaning of the church hall once a month, would you please speak to Marjorie.

Sunday 20th October, 2024 The Twenty-First Sunday after Trinity (Proper 24)

9.45am: Parish Communion (Proper 24)

Celebrant and preacher: Rev. Michael Beck

Welcome – Vera Marshall

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O.T. reading: Job 38: 1-7 – Jacqui Harriman

N.T. reading: Hebrews 5: 1-10

Gospel: Mark 10: 35-45 – Rev. Michael Beck

Prayers – Stephen Holmes Sermon – Rev. Michael Beck

12.00pm: Baptism Rev. Tim Wall

Food Bank

The P.C.C. is accepting donations of tinned food and other nonperishables to support those going through a hard time. As well as occasionally giving out emergency hampers, we feed into Space4's foodbank at St Michael's at Houghton.

Suggested items: <u>UHT Milk Instant Mash Cereal Jar of coffee Tinned</u> – Soup, Baked Beans, Spaghetti, Tomatoes, Rice, Sponge Pudding, Meat, Fish, Vegetables (peas, carrots etc.) Long Life Fruit Juice (boxed or tinned), Pasta, Rice, Pasta Sauces Tea Bags, Sugar, Biscuits and Snacks.

Please make sure items have a fairly long use by date/shelf life.