

Holy Trinity Cannes



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The Cannes OPENER

Welcome to Holy Trinity on this Sunday after Ascension, we're delighted to have you worshipping with us and we also extend a warm welcome to any visitors here for the Film Festival.

Our service at 9:00am is Holy Communion followed at 10:30am with Morning Prayer which will be live-streamed as usual via Facebook. During the service, Bishop Henry will confirm Alba Garcia.

There's a Sunday Club for the young people, so they will leave after the children's talk.

Jesus' promises affirm that his ascension is not the end of a story; rather, his departure initiates the next chapter in the story of God's salvation. While his words include a command (to remain in Jerusalem for the time being), their dominant thrust is descriptive, almost matter-of-fact: he tells them what God will do, and what their lives will look like as a result. The Lord's charge comes with a promise: *"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth"* Acts 1.8

Prayer for Sunday after Ascension

Eternal Father,
your Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven
where he rules over all things as Lord and King;
keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit
and in the bond of peace,
and bring the whole creation to worship at his feet. Amen

After the service

Join us after the service for coffee, tea or a cold drink in the church centre and continue our time of fellowship together.

This Week

Sunday

Readings: Acts 1.6-14;
John 17.1-11

Wednesday

8pm Bible Fellowship via
zoom

Sunday

10:30 All Age Worship

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Confirmation

Bishop Robert has granted his permission for Bishop Henry to confirm Alba Garcia. This will be done during our 10:30 service. We're delighted to welcome Alba into our Church family.



Wednesday Bible Fellowship

Bishop Henry will lead our Bible fellowship study on Wednesday via zoom at 8pm. The link to join in will be sent out by email later.

Cannes Film Festival

The Cannes Film Festival is well underway until the 27th May. Parking around the church may be difficult but there are usually places available in Parking Lamy just off rue d'Antibes, a couple of minutes' walk away which offers 3 hours free parking on Sundays.



Church Fellowship Lunch

There'll be a Church fellowship lunch on Sunday 4th June. As places will be limited, please sign up on the notice board if you would like to join us.

Next Sunday's Service

Next Sunday, there'll be no Holy Communion service at 9:00am. The 10:30 service will be as usual and will be an All Age Worship service.

Thy Kingdom Come

Between Ascension Day and Pentecost we are asked to pray especially for our friends, family and contacts who don't yet know Jesus. Please think of 5 people to pray for over the 10 days of Thy Kingdom Come. You can download the app onto your phone to receive daily prayers and meditations.



Retreat at St. Honorat

There are still some places available for the retreat at St. Honorat from 19th-21st June which is being led by Sylvia Epifanic. The cost is €60 per night and if you would like to participate, please contact Mark Porter by email: porter.markg@gmail.com

David Sinclair's Teaching Days

David has had problems with his website which includes all his studies and lecture notes associated with his Teaching Days. The website is now restored and you can access the teaching material at the following link <https://davidsinclairmc.com/>

Bishop Henry Scriven

Today is Bishop Henry's last Sunday with us (he leaves on 27th May) and we would like to thank him for his encouraging ministry, pastoral care and what a blessing that he was able to initiate the confirmation of Alba. We wish him and Catherine, God's blessing as they return to the UK.

Donations to the Church

Thank you to all who give so generously to the ministry of Holy Trinity Cannes. If you're not able to come to Church on a regular basis and you're not already doing so, please consider setting up a banker's order to contribute to the church or go to the donations page on our website (via Yapla.) We rely entirely on your generosity. Thank you.

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