

COLLECTS AND READINGS

*These are the Collects and Readings covering
Sundays 18 July – 3 October*

SUNDAY 18 JULY – TRINITY 7

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Ephesians 2:11-22

Psalms 23

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

SUNDAY 25 JULY – JAMES, APOSTLE

Merciful God, whose holy apostle Saint James, leaving his father and all that he had, was obedient to the calling of your Son Jesus Christ and followed him even to death: help us, forsaking the false attractions of the world, to be ready at all times to answer your call without delay; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Jeremiah 45

Acts 11:27 – 12:2

Psalms 126

Matthew 20:20-28

SUNDAY 1 AUGUST – TRINITY 9

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

Ephesians 4:1-16

Psalms 78:23-29

John 6:24-35

SUNDAY 8 AUGUST – TRINITY 10

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

1 Kings 19:4-8

Ephesians 4:25 – 5:2

Psalms 34:1-8

John 6:35, 41-51

SUNDAY 15 AUGUST – TRINITY 11

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14

Ephesians 5:15-20

Psalms 111

John 6:51-58

SUNDAY 22 AUGUST – TRINITY 12

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

Ephesians 6:10-20

Psalms 34:15-22

John 6:56-69

SUNDAY 29 AUGUST – TRINITY 13

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.**

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

James 1:17-27

Psalms 15

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

SUNDAY 5 SEPTEMBER – TRINITY 14

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Ezekiel 35:4-7a

James 2:1-17

Psalms 146

Mark 7:24-37

SUNDAY 12 SEPTEMBER – TRINITY 15

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Isaiah 50:4-9a

James 3:1-12

Psalms 116:1-9

Mark 8:27-38

SUNDAY 19 SEPTEMBER – TRINITY 16

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Jeremiah 11:18-20

James 3:13 – 4:3, 7-8a

Psalms 54

Mark 9:30-37

SUNDAY 26 SEPTEMBER – TRINITY 17

Almighty God, you have made us for yourself and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at the last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

James 5:13-20

Psalms 19:7-14

Mark 9:38-50

SUNDAY 3 OCTOBER – HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Joel 2:21-27

1 Timothy 2:1-7

Psalms 126

Matthew 6:25-33