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Note from Ian: the name of our account is the same as St Clement but rest assured the account states **St Nicholas** on all our bank statements and correspondence. Thank you.

Please put something in the 'reference' box when using online banking, our treasurers will know what the payment is for and/or from whom, that is important. Thank you.

October 31st, 2024

Dear Friends of St Clement and St Nicholas

Dear friends of St. Clement and St. Nicholas,



A puzzle to start. The Diocese of Salisbury changed its logo recently from a rather strange traditional one to something much more modern.

Sonia has kindly painted a miniature version to be hung on the wooden screen at St. Nicholas when the bishop joins us on Sunday at 9am. to bless the refurbished church. Within the pattern you should find a D O F S - the 'f' is little bendy.

The visit is a good opportunity to do a final clear up - if anyone would like some free scaffolding let me know, the company in Southampton seems to have abandoned it !

Do come to the service (there will not be a service at 10.30am.)

There is parking outside St. Nicholas but if at all possible walk or park nearby.

We hope you are keeping well,

David

PS. if you are coming to the service at St. Nicholas please note the request by the Bishop to the diocese that communion is taken as bread eaten and if people wish wine drunk from the common cup. The key point is that the wafers are not saved to be dipped into the wine - so just have the bread if you prefer. We will explain the reasons why but not this Sunday !

Advent Calendars - real Advent calendars with delicious fair trade chocolate and the Christmas story in a booklet - only £5 from St. Clement and St. Nicholas - collect on Sunday

ST NICHOLAS CHURCH
(La Grande Charrière Mission)



Holy Communion

on the re-dedication of the Church by the Bishop of Salisbury
on Sunday 24th November 2024 at 9am

**St Nicholas Church, les Clôtures, la Grande Route de la Côte,
Grève d'Azette, Saint Clément**

Dedicated by Cecil Henry Boutflower
Bishop of Southampton on 30th April 1927

MINISTERS

Laurence Blackmur Lee (1927-1942)
Thomas Henry Labey (1942-1947)
Raymond Sefton Hornby (1947-1958)
Hugh W Langford-Sainsbury (1958-1961)
Cecil Paul Harrison (1961-1982)
Malcolm Beal (1983-1997)
David Michael Shaw (1997-)

TRUSTEES

Deans of Jersey

Samuel Falle (1927-37)
Matthew Le Marinel (1937-59)
Alan Giles (1959-71)
Thomas Goss (1971-85)
Basil O'Ferrall (1985-93)
John Seaford (1993-2005)
Robert Key (2005-17)
Michael Keirle (2017-)

Rectors of St Clement

Charles Walter Balleine (1927-32)
Thomas Henry Labey (1932-47)
Raymond Sefton Hornby (1947-58)
Hugh W Langford-Sainsbury (1958-61)
Cecil Paul Harrison (1961-82)
Malcolm Beal (1983-97)
David Michael Shaw (1997-)

Others

Vivian John Bailhache (1927-60)
Raoul Lemprière (1960-2021)
Martin John Dryden (2021-)

Opening Hymn

**Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the head and cornerstone,
chosen of the Lord, and precious,
binding all the Church in one,
holy Zion's help forever,
and her confidence alone.**

**To this temple, where we call you,
come, O Lord of hosts, today;
with accustomed loving kindness,
hear your servants as we pray;
bless your people now before you,
turn our darkness into day.**

**Hear the cry of all your people ,
what they ask and hope to gain;
what they gain from you, for ever
with your chosen to retain,
and hereafter in your glory
evermore with you to reign.**

**Praise and honour to the Father,
praise and honour to the Son,
praise and honour to the Spirit,
ever Three and ever One,
one in might and one in glory,
while unending ages run.**

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive them that trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. Amen.**

Prayer of Preparation

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open,
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid;
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love thee,
and worthily magnify thy holy Name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Summary of the Law

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: "Hear O Israel, the Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength.' This is the first commandment. And the second is like, namely this: 'Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.' There is none other commandment greater than these. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

**Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these thy laws in our hearts,
we beseech thee.**

Almighty God, whose kingdom is everlasting, and power infinite: have mercy upon the whole Church; and so rule the heart of thy chosen servant Charles, our King and Governor, that he (knowing whose minister he is) may above all things seek thy honour and glory; and that we, and all his subjects (duly considering whose authority he hath) may faithfully serve, honour, and humbly obey him, in thee and for thee, according to thy blessed Word and ordinance; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Ghost liveth and reigneth, ever one God, world without end. **Amen.**

The Collect for St Nicholas Day

Almighty God, lover of souls,
who chose your servant Nicholas to be a bishop in the Church,
that he might give freely out of the treasures of your grace:
make us mindful of the needs of others
and, as we have received, so teach us also to give;
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.**

The Epistle

Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains. as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness.

1 Timothy 6:6-11

Gradual Hymn

**Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known?
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?**

**Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare, should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?**

**Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?**

**Lord your summons echoes true when you but call my name,
let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In Your company I'll go where Your love and footsteps show,
thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.**

The Gospel

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
Glory be to you, O Lord

When Jesus saw the crowd around him, he gave orders to cross to the other side of the lake. Then he got into the boat and his disciples followed him. Suddenly a furious storm came up on the lake, so that the waves swept over the boat. But Jesus was sleeping. The disciples went and woke him, saying, 'Lord, save us! We're going to drown!' He replied,

'You of little faith, why are you so afraid?' Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the waves, and it was completely calm. The men were amazed and asked, 'What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the waves obey him!'

Matthew 8:18, 23-27

This is the gospel of the Lord
Praise be to you, O Christ

The Creed

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and of all things visible and invisible:
and in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten son of God,
begotten of his Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made:
who for us men and for our salvation
came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary,
and was made man,
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried,
and the third day he rose again
according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of the Father.
And he shall come again with glory
to judge both the quick and dead:
whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceedeth from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
together is worshipped and glorified,
who spake by the Prophets.
And I believe one Catholick and Apostolick Church.
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins.
And I look for the Resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Sermon

The Bishop of Salisbury

Offertory

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works,
and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

Offertory Hymn

**'Come to me', says Jesus,
'all who are distressed;
take my yoke upon you,
I will give you rest.**

**I am meek and humble,
find, with me, release
from false airs and graces;
come, and be at peace.'**

**Hear the call of Jesus,
come, be deeply blessed;
his the invitation,
you the honoured guest.**

**Here, where bread is broken,
here, where wine is poured,
thankfully receive him,
find your faith restored.**

**Pardon, feed and heal us,
humble, courteous Lord,
gracious host, for ever
honoured and adored.**

Prayers of Intercession

Rev Tracy Bromley

Confession

Ye that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways; draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God.

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, judge of all men; we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy Divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honour and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him; have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hear what comfortable words our Saviour Christ saith unto all that truly turn to him. "Come unto me all that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you."

"So God loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Hear also what Saint Paul saith. "This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners."

Hear also what Saint John saith. "If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propitiation for our sins."

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

It is meet and right so to do.

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name, evermore praising thee and saying,

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Glory be to thee, O Lord most High. Amen.

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption; who made there (by his one oblation of himself once offered) a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death, until his coming again; hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee, and grant that we, receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood: who, in the same night that he was betrayed, took Bread; and, when he had given thanks, he brake it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise after supper he took the Cup; and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of this, for this is my Blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins: do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me." Amen.

Come for Communion or a blessing

Prayers after Communion

**Creator and Father of eternity,
whose martyr Clement bore witness with his blood
to the love he proclaimed and the gospel that he preached:
give us thankful hearts as we celebrate your faithfulness
revealed to us in the lives of your saints
and strengthen us in our pilgrimage as we follow your Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil:
for thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee, for that thou dost vouchsafe to feed us, who have duly received these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom, by the merits of the most precious death and passion of thy dear Son. And we most humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. **Amen.**

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Final Hymn

All my hope on God is founded;
he doth still my trust renew.
Me through change and chance he guideth,
only good and only true.
God unknown, he alone
calls my heart to be his own.

Human pride and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray his trust;
what with care and toil he buildeth,
tower and temple, fall to dust.
But God's power, hour by hour,
is my temple and my tower.

God's great goodness aye endureth,
deep his wisdom, passing thought:
splendour, light, and life attend him,
beauty springeth out of naught.
Evermore from his store
new-born worlds rise and adore.

Daily doth th' Almighty giver
bounteous gifts on us bestow;
his desire our soul delighteth,
pleasure leads us where we go.
Love doth stand at his hand;
joy doth wait on his command.

Still from earth to God eternal
sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising
for the gift of Christ his Son.
Christ doth call one and all:
ye who follow shall not fall.

The Blessing

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always. **Amen**



*The path of Storm Ciarán in the morning of 2nd November 2023
(St Nicholas Church is marked in green)*





