



St. Lawrence Church & St. Mary's Church

Newsletter 28th July 2019

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Welcome to Church on the Sixth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 28 th July	7:45am 10:30am 1:00pm 6:30pm	Communion by Extension Holy Communion Baptism of Olly Bayliss Evening Worship	Rev Cathy	Sunday 4 th August	7:45am 10:30am 6:30pm	Holy Communion Holiday Club Service Evening Worship	Rev Kathryn Rev Kathryn & Club Team
Monday 29 th July	9:00am - 12 noon	Team Builders					
Tuesday 30 th July	8:45am 9:30am 9:00am - 12 noon 6:15- 7:15pm	Tea & Toast Morning Prayer Team Builders Office Hour at Vicarage					
Wednesday 31 st July	9:00am - 12 noon	Team Builders					
Thursday 1 st August	9:15am	Morning Worship					
Friday 2 nd August	9:00am - 12 noon	Team Builders					



THE COLLECT

Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Colossians 2:6-15 [16-19]

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it. Therefore do not let anyone condemn you in matters of food and drink or of observing festivals, new moons, or Sabbaths. These are only a shadow of what is to come, but the substance belongs to Christ. Do not let anyone disqualify you, insisting on self-abasement and worship of angels, dwelling on visions, puffed up without cause by a human way of thinking, and not holding fast to the head, from whom the whole body, nourished and held together by its ligaments and sinews, grows with a growth that is from God. This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

GOSPEL READING

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you O Lord

He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, John taught his disciples.' He said to them, 'When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.' And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything." I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. 'So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you O Christ.



Year's Mind

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PRAYER CHAIN

Please remember that we have a prayer co-ordinator who every fortnight sends around names of people to be included in our prayers. If you would like to receive this list then please contact Hayley – h_a_p@hotmail.com

Christian
Food Bank



CHRISTIAN FOOD BANK

Please do remember that we collect tinned food here at the back of church that is collected every two weeks and taken to the Food Bank at Stafford. Your donations are appreciated. **Please bring any tinned food to the box at the back of church – making sure the tins are well within their sell by date.**

Please take this sheet home with you to remind you of the readings and notices and also please take one for anyone whom you know is missing from today's service and would like to feel included

CHURCH SERVICES AT MORETON

Sunday 4th August 6.30pm Evening Worship with Rev Kathryn
Sunday 11th August 9am Holy Communion with Rev Cathy
Sunday 18th August 10am Morning Worship in the Community Centre with the Benefice Worship Team

TEAM BUILDERS

Are you in school years 1-6? Join us this summer for our Holiday Club to become Team Builders on Monday 29th July to Friday 2nd August, 9:30am to 12 noon each day at the Gnosall Memorial Hall. £10 per child for the week. For more information contact Adie Harris on 01785 284927 or 07715618966 or sbgoholidayclub@gmail.com

HOLIDAY CLUB

Please pray for our Holiday Club which takes place each morning from Monday July 29th to Friday August 2nd.

CHURCH NEWSLETTER



If you wish to have anything included in the Church Newsletter please let Jim McGregor have it by the Wednesday of the previous week.

Tel 01785 822156 or email jjmf.mcgregor@tiscali.co.uk

If you know of anyone in the community who would appreciate a visit, please let Rev Kathryn know. Many thanks.

ADVANCE NOTICE

On the evening of Saturday 14th September there will be a concert of light classical music, songs and poetry.
There will be a full Orchestra conducted by Mr Ron Large
Refreshments will be served.
Details and Tickets will be available soon - please watch this space.



Lord,
Teach
Us To
Pray