The Churches of St Bartholomew and St Chad Thurstaston and Irby 13th October – Trinity 17



Welcome to Church today.

We hope that you enjoy the service and gain a sense of God's presence with us.

Children are Welcome at our Services

In St Chad's, we have activity bags available and there is also a box of toys and cushions in the foyer, in case you feel your child would be happier playing there. In St Bartholomew's, there are some colouring sheets and toys at the back of church.

Children from age 2½ can attend Junior Church (term time) at St Chad's

Collect

Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For the World: Please pray for all those involved in the Brexit negotiations as things change day by day and we get closer to 31st October.

For the Parish: Please pray for Reverend Jane, that her week on retreat has been restorative.

For the Sick: Please pray for Daffyd Jones-Evans and for all those who are sick at home or in hospital.

From the Diocesan Prayer Cycle: Pray for those admitted to licensed lay ministry in our diocese yesterday.

From the Anglican Prayer Cycle: Archbishop Daniel Sarfo - Primate & Metropolitan, CPWA; Archbishop of the Internal Province of Ghana and Bishop of Kumasi

Services Today - Trinity 17

8:00 am Holy Communion St. Bartholomew's

9.30 am Holy Communion St Chad's

11.15 am Morning Worship St Bartholomew's

Services next week

Wednesday 16th October

10.15 am Holy Communion St Chad's

Sunday 20th October - Trinity 18

8.00 am Holy Communion St Bartholomew's

9.30 am Morning Worship St Chad's

11.15 am Holy Communion St Bartholomew's

Notices and Announcements



Sidespeople: One of the St Chad's Team of Sidespeople will be helping in Junior Church from September so we need a new sidesperson. Anyone interested in helping in this way (approximately once a month) should speak to Revd Jane – you need to be fit enough to put chairs out and able to arrive about 9.00am

Saturday, 19th October 2019, 10am - 12noon at Jean Heath's, 'Barnstables', 233 Irby Road All Welcome to a COFFEE MORNING FOR THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY with Bring & Buy, Craft Stall, Shoe-B-Doo (Continental Shoes and accessories) and Honey Bundles(Gifts for baby showers and newborns). Please return House Boxes to either Church from September or bring them to the Coffee Morning

Leprosy Mission Boxes – The time has come once more for the collection of your Leprosy Mission Boxes. I would be most grateful to the members of both congregations if you could being your boxes to either church. The boxes will then be collected, emptied and returned to you. Please may I remind all the congregation that a one off donation, put in an envelope marked Leprosy Mission, can be given at any time of the year. Pat Hulme (0151 538 1953)

Tots and Tinies raised £100 for Macmillan at their coffee morning last week.

Crosstalk – October magazine now available

Dawpool Open Afternoons: Parents who would like their child to join our Foundation 1 (year before reception) or Foundation 2 (reception) class in September 2020 are invited to attend one of our open afternoons in November and December. Please contact the school office to book your appointment on 0151 648 3412. We look forward to meeting you.

Christmas Fair: We need someone to organise the Christmas Fair which is our only major community fund raising event each year. It is currently pencilled into the church diary for Saturday 30th November, but it will only take place if an individual or small group of people agree to organise it. You will have the freedom to run it how you choose – this could be as it's been in the past (in which case Julie DeBoorder would be willing to share with you the wisdom and knowledge she has gained over many years) or it could be in a completely new form. Please speak to Revd Jane if this is something that you could take on.

EMU – Wednesday 16th October –will be meeting at St. Stephens Church, Prenton at 7.30pm, to listen to a talk by Joan Colwell (Mothers' Union Action and outreach).

Thank you Julie, Pat and Judith and to all those that contributed to the Harvest Supper. It was a great evening enjoyed by all who attended.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 17:11-19

All: Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus Heals Ten Men With Leprosy

- ¹¹ Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him. They stood at a distance ¹³ and called out in a loud voice, "Jesus, Master, have pity on us!"
- ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed.
- ¹⁵ One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. ¹⁶ He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan.
- ¹⁷ Jesus asked, "Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? ¹⁸ Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ Then he said to him, "Rise and go; your faith has made you well."

All: Praise to you, O Christ

Readings for 13th October	Readings for 20th October
2 Kgs 5:1-3,7-15c	Gen 32:22-31
2 Tim 2:8-15	2 Tim 3:14-4:5
Luke 17:11-19	Luke 18:1-8

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