

The Parish of Cannock and Huntington

Building Community with Christ at the Centre

Parish News

Sunday 21st July 2024

Trinity 8

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The Church takes the safety of everyone within the church very seriously and expects that everyone will work within the church safeguarding policy. In particular, the Church expects anyone who becomes aware of a safeguarding risk or of actual abuse, to report it immediately to our Safeguarding Coordinator, Teresa Atherton

Collect

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven
and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride,
when we are needy save us from despair,
that we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Strengthen for service, Lord,
the hands that have taken holy things;
may the ears which have heard your word
be deaf to clamour and dispute;
may the tongues which have sung your praise
be free from deceit;
may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love
shine with the light of hope;
and may the bodies which have been fed with your body
be refreshed with the fullness of your life;
glory to you for ever.

Readings

21st July	Ephesians 2:11-22	Mark 6:30-34,53-56
28th July	Ephesians 3:14-21	John 6:1-21
4th August	Ephesians 4:1-16	John 6:24-35
11th August	Ephesians 4:1-16	John 6:24-35

*The Lord your God is with you, he is mighty to save. He will
take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he
will rejoice over you with singing.* Zephaniah 3:17

Prayer Page

Give Thanks For

- The licensed ministry team
- All the volunteers who have helped with the St. Luke's summer fete and those who supported it.
- Those who generously give their time, talents and treasures to the work of the Kingdom
- The Food Bank and the people supporting all those in need

Pray for

- School children that they will have a safe and restful holiday period.
- The conflict resolution between Israel and Palestine as well as the conflict in Russia and Ukraine
- Five people who you know to come to know Jesus as Lord
- Please pray for the people living or working in these roads that God will bless them:

**Ascot Drive, Ash View, Ashdale Close, Avon Road,
Backrofts, Badger Close**

**The Lord be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us. Help us to be a
blessing to each other and our communities that
your ways may be known among us. Let all the
people praise you O God.**

Let all the people praise you! Amen

***Everyone is important and everyone has
a part to play***

Let's give thanks for the Licensed Ministry Team

Loving God we thank you for the team who prepare for and lead our worship services. May they be anointed by your Holy Spirit as they serve you and witness to your love as together we build Community with Christ at the Centre. Protect and bless them richly in the name of Jesus our Saviour. Amen

Saints Alive Course

Once again we will be running the 'Saints Alive Course' this year. It's a brilliant course to look again at the Christian Faith and be inspired. If you would like to attend please tell Rev. Vicky and depending on numbers we will choose a time and venue.

We are also planning for Confirmation in September so please let Rev. Vicky or Rev. Marie ASAP if you want to be confirmed or if you know someone who would.

An invitation to join us for prayer as we pray together for God's blessing and empowerment for ministry and witness in our communities.

Every Tuesday & Thursday **Morning Prayer** at 9.15 in the Centre unless otherwise announced

We are God's Family and like other families it would be good to celebrate birthdays and the milestones of life.

Don't be shy or embarrassed—we won't give your age away! We want to thank God for you, and ask him to bless you as you. Why



not give permission to the Parish Office to put your special days in the Pews News or at least give the Ministry Team the details so that we can pray for you in church?



Our JustGiving Page can be found on the St Luke's Church website <https://www.stlukescannock.org.uk/> for people to be able to make a donation towards the Fabric of our church. Or type "St Luke's Church Cannock" into the search box on the JustGiving Website

<https://www.justgiving.com>

We really appreciate your donations.

St Luke's Friendship Group

Invite you to a **cream tea** in the Church Centre

Monday 22nd July 2pm-4pm

All are welcome

To help with catering please contact Linda Hopley (01543 503369) or Margaret Walker (01543 505869) or sign sheet at back of church to let us know if you will be attending.

Minimum donation £3 Raffle— proceeds to be split between St Luke's Fabric Fund and Christian Aid



ST LUKE'S FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Day Trip to the two beautiful Cotswold towns Moreton in the Marsh & Bourton on the Water. Tuesday is market day in Moreton. Tuesday 24th September

Depart Hednesford (bus stop by Tesco) & Church Street, Cannock Cost £27.50 Contact Margaret 01543 505860 or email

margaretwalker@hotmail.co.uk Payment by cash, bank transfer or cheque payable to Margaret Walker

Coach seats will be allocated on receipt of payment.

This Week's Diary

Mon 22nd	2.00pm	Cream Tea	Centre
Tue 23rd	2.00pm	Funeral Ray Heslop	St Luke's
	7.00pm	PCC	St Thomas'
Wed 24th	10.00am	Holy Communion	St Luke's
	1.30pm	Places of Welcome	St Thomas'
	7.30pm	Bell Practice	St Luke's
Thur 25th	12.00pm	Funeral Margaret Dicaccavo	St Luke's
	3.00pm	Prayer Meeting	Dartmouth Rd
	7.00pm	Deanery Road Show	Centre
Fri 26th	7.00pm	Choir Practice	St Luke's
Sun 28th	8.00am	Holy Communion	St Luke's
	9.30am	Morning Prayer	St Luke's
	11.00am	Holy Communion	St Thomas'

Let the **Parish Office** know by **Wednesday Morning**

A prayer by Julian of Norwich

Lord, you know what I long for.

It is your will that I should have it, grant it me.

And if it is not your will that I should have it, do not be displeased, because I wish for nothing that is not according to your will.

God of your goodness, give me yourself,

for you are enough for me—

In you only I have everything

Covid is still about

If you take risks you are not caring for others!

Please DO NOT come to church if you are feeling under the weather

Services Week Beginning 28th July

Trinity 9

Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Morning Prayer

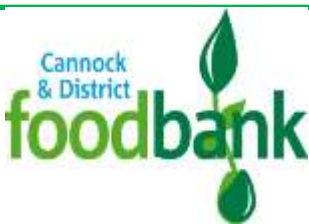
Tuesday 9.15am Morning Prayer

Wednesday 10am Holy Communion

St. Thomas'

11.00am Holy Communion

We look forward to welcoming you



Please help those in need...

WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF: SOUP, BEANS AND PASTA. WEEKLY NEEDED FOOD ITEMS: TINNED MEAT, RICE PUDING, TINNED FRUIT, JAM, SQUASH AND UHT MILK.

****NB: THE FOOD BANK ARE DESPERATE FOR CARRIER BAGS****