



St Michael's Church, Alnwick

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22nd June 2014 The First Sunday after Trinity

A very warm welcome to St Michael's. If you are a visitor, and receive Communion at your own church, you are invited to do so here.

Large print books and a loop system are available.

This leaflet gives details of readings, services and other events in the near future – please take it home with you to read and then use as a reference for the coming days.

8.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

President and Preacher	The Rev'd Paul Scott
Reader	Rob Wilson

9.30 am PARISH EUCHARIST

Setting: Mass of St Thomas

President The Rev'd Paul Scott

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Parents with babies and very small children are most welcome to take them to the Children's Corner (at the back of church) at any time. For older children and young people, Junior Church takes place in the Parish Room.

INTROIT HYMN 203 O praise ye the Lord!

1ST READING **Jeremiah 20:7-13** **Reader: Bill Hugonin**
(Page 733 of the Old Testament in the Pew Bible)

Jeremiah has been subjected to punishment for preaching what he felt compelled to say. So he complains to God who forced him into the situation, while still affirming his trust. Jesus will tell his chosen Twelve that the disciples' task will not make them popular.

2ND READING **Romans 6:1b-11** **Reader: Georgina Lance**
(Page 152 of the New Testament in the Pew Bible)

Because Jesus Christ came and died, Paul has written, our faith brings God's grace to us. We receive that grace first in our baptism, then by a life in which all sin is conquered - new quality of life, in Christ and with Christ.

GRADUAL 483 Lift up your heads, you mighty gates

THE GOSPEL **Matthew 10:24-39**
(Page 10 of the New Testament in the Pew Bible)

Next Sunday at 10.00 am there are ordinations at Newcastle Cathedral. In the evening at St Michael's at 6.00 pm there will be a Sung Eucharist when Julia Myles will preside for the first time.

We are having a collection so that we may present Julia with an Ordination gift; if you would like to contribute, today is your last chance, so please pass your donation to Hazel Shell.



If you are travelling to the Cathedral, please note that the bus leaves St Michael's at 8.15 am and Alnwick Playhouse at 8.30 am. Please could you try to have the correct money for your fare; payment for which (£6 per person) will be taken on the bus.

Many thanks to those who have already offered to provide food for after the 6.00 pm Eucharist next Sunday. There are still some 'gaps' to fill so please look at the list at the back of church and put your name (and phone number if possible) in the appropriate box. It would be a great help if your contributions could be brought to the Parish Hall between 3.00 & 4.30pm next Sunday afternoon.

PLANNED SEASONS PATH at our First School – the school hopes to create a pathway that can be used all year round and planted with bulbs that flower at different times of the year (to mark the passing of the seasons). If you have any spare packs of bulbs perhaps you would like to donate them to the school. They can be brought to church and either handed to a churchwarden or left in the box provided.

FUTURE DIARY DATES – MAKE A NOTE OF THEM NOW

Tues 1 st July	9.30 am	Gateway Planning meeting in Parish Room (NOT 24th June)
	2.00 pm	Craft Group in the Parish Hall
4 th July	7.30 pm	Mini Michaels Grown-Ups Meal in Parish Hall
8 th July	7.30 pm	PCC meeting in church
15th July	7.00 pm	Mini Michaels planning meeting in the Parish Room

The Vicar and Jane are to be married in Newcastle Cathedral at 12.00 noon on Saturday 6th September. They hope that parishioners, past and present, will be able to join them and their families for the celebration and there is an invitation on the notice board at the back of church. A coach will be going down from Alnwick so please sign the list on the sidesmen's table if you wish to go.. Any queries, please see Pat Taylor.



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