

WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, ALNWICK



14th October 2018. THE 20TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

WELCOME!

A particular welcome if you are with us for the first time. Please do stay behind after the 9.30 and 11.15 services for tea/coffee and a chat. If you receive Communion at your own church, you are invited to do so here or, if you would prefer, you are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

*Large print books are available - please ask a sidesperson.
We have a Loop System – switch your Hearing Aid to the T position*

8.00 am **HOLY COMMUNION – in St Paul's Chapel**

President The Rev'd Canon Paul Scott
Preacher The Rev'd Gerard Rundell
Reader Hilary Atkin

9.30 am **PARISH EUCHARIST** *Setting: Peter Nardone: Mass of St Cedd*

INTROIT HYMN 827 Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

President The Rev'd Canon 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.

1ST READING **Amos 5:6-7 and 10-15** Reader: Paul Jarvis
(Page 868 of the Old Testament in the pew Bible)

The only good life is life with God. Therefore, says Amos, although worldly wealth and comforts seem desirable, they can bring harm, both to yourself and others.

2ND READING **Hebrews 4:12-16** Reader: Frances Allsop
(Page 217 of the New Testament in the pew Bible)

This treatise often switches between doctrine and ethics. In this short passage we find both a statement of our way to God through the work of Christ and the motive for all our behaviour.

GRADUAL **800** **The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want**

THE GOSPEL **Mark 10: 17-31**

(Page 44 of the New Testament in the Pew Bible)

It is not easy to be good, says Jesus. There are commandments to be kept; there is wealth to be handled wisely; there are many worldly attractions and ties which may distract us from receiving all the joys found in his kingdom.

SERMON **The Rev'd Gerard Rundell**

PRAYERS **Intercessor Patricia Kind**

OFFERTORY HYMN **612 Christ triumphant, ever reigning**

After the Offertory, the service continues with Eucharistic Prayer E on page 11 of the Ordinary Time Booklet

COMMUNION HYMN **335 My God, accept my heart this day**

CLOSING HYMN **453 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour**

11.15 am LATE MORNING WORSHIP

Leader **The Rev'd Canon Sue Allen**
Talk **The Rev'd Gerard Rundell**

11.15 am HARVEST EUCHARIST AT DENWICK

President: **The Rev'd Colin Perkins**
Preacher **The Rev'd Canon Paul Scott**



6.00 pm A CELEBRATION OF WHOLENESS AND HEALING

See separate booklet

Readings: **James 5:13-16; Luke 4:16-21**

Reader: **Cath. Hughes**

Preacher **The Rev'd Canon Paul Scott**

Hymns **669 I heard the voice of Jesus say**
 518 O Christ the healer, we have come
 629 Father, hear the prayer we offer
 23 Sun of my soul, thou Saviour dear

2.00 pm HOLY BAPTISM *Please pray for:*

Trixie Rae Yeadon



FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- That we may keep our eyes fixed on God's kingdom
- The Church's Ministry of Healing
- Our Cathedral Church and its new Dean, Geoff Miller
- Those suffering as a result of storms in Majorca and the U.S.A.
- All who work for peace and Justice

WORSHIP AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

Mon 15 th	2.30 pm	Afternoon Autumn Study Group at 30 Green Batt
Tues 16 th	7.00 pm	St Michael's Bowls Club in the Parish Hall
Wed 17 th	10.15 am	Holy Communion for St Luke the Evangelist. <i>Transferred from 18th</i>
Thurs 18 th	9.30 am 7.30 pm	Mini Michaels in church Autumn (Evening) Study Group at the home of Patricia Kind
Sun 21 st	12.30 pm 3.30 pm	Sunday Lunch in the Parish Hall St Michael's Young People: Bake-Off in the Parish Hall

Next Sunday 21st October. The 21st Sunday after Trinity

8.00 am	Holy Communion, BCP	Isaiah 53:4-12 Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10: 35-45	CW 699 CW 700 CW 700
9.30 am	Parish Eucharist		
11.15 am	Late Morning Worship		
6.00 pm	Sung Evensong, BCP (1662)	Joshua 4:6-14; Matthew 12:1-21	



Mini Michaels. Are you available to help serving tea/coffee at **MINI MICHAELS**? We are short of about 3 people. If you would like to help, please have a word with Anne Harrison. Mini Michaels meet on Thursdays between 9.30 and 11.00 am in church.

This month is the time for **CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES** to be brought to church for the annual count. Please bring yours as soon as possible and by 28th October at the latest. If you don't have one of these and would like one, please have a word with Lynne Moir.

Many thanks to all who supported last Sunday's Harvest Supper. The evening, together with donations, realized **£336.00** for the work of **WATER AID**.

We look forward to the new season of **MONTHLY SUNDAY LUNCHESES** which begins next Sunday (21st October) at 12.30 pm in the Parish Hall. If you would like to be there, please add your name to the signing sheet at the back of Church.

ANGEL TREE, part of Prison Fellowship, buys presents for the children of prisoners at Christmas. Today (14th) and next Sunday (21st) there will be a collection plate at the back of church for any donations you may like to make towards funds for this. There will also be a tombola after the 11.15 service. Gift Aid forms and envelopes are also available. Thank you for your support. *Rachel Robinson.*

Gerard is preparing a series of Reflective Worship for Advent entitled **PROPHETS AND PRAYER**. These sessions will be in church on Tuesday afternoons at 3.00 pm from 27th November to 18th December. Amidst all the busyness in the lead-up to Christmas an 'Oasis of Peace' may be just what you need. Do make a note of this in your diaries. More information to follow.

Over the summer many people have been involved in our **POPPY PROJECT** knitting, sewing, felting & crocheting sufficient poppies to represent every life that was lost in Alnwick & Denwick during the 1914-1918 World War which Centenary we observe on 11th November. There will be a short service of dedication, including the Two Minutes Silence in church that morning and the poppies will remain on display until Christmas.

A note for all Abba Fans! There is to be a **MAMMA MIA EVENING** in Whittingham Memorial Institute on Friday 19th October at 7.00 pm. Tickets are £7.50, and proceeds will be shared between the **GREAT NORTH AIR AMBULANCE** and **ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH**. If interested, please have a word with Paul.

FUTURE DIARY DATES – MAKE A NOTE OF THEM NOW

Sat 27 th	11.00 am – 1.00 pm	Messy Church in Church
Fri 2 nd Nov.	9.30 am	All Souls' Day Requiem Eucharist
Sun 4 th Nov.	6.00 pm	All Souls Memorial Service
Mon 12 th Nov.	7.30pm	PCC meeting in the Small Hall
Wes 14 th Nov	2.00 pm	Mothers' Union in church
Sat 17 th Nov	10.00am	St Michael's WINTER MARKET in the Parish Hall

If you are a UK taxpayer, St Michael's can benefit to the tune of 25p for each £1.00 donated by Gift Aid. Please use the brown envelopes which you will find at the end of each pew. Thank you.

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Curate: The Rev'd Gerard Rundell

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