THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST MICHAEL, ALNWICK 'ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE'



Sunday, 26th JUNE 2022 SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

A warm welcome to our worship today.

We hope you will stay for tea/coffee after the 10.00am service –

but please try to gather in groups of no more than six.

The wearing of a mask is a personal choice in St Michael's

TODAY'S WORSHIP

8.30am Holy Communion

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6.00pm Taizé Style Evening Prayers & Address

Officiant : Annette Playle

Galatians 5: 1, 13 - 25

Paul has destroyed the arguments of those who wanted Christians to keep all the Jewish Law. He now warns that this freedom does not mean giving free rein to our desires, but a life of love for every neighbour with every action guided by the Spirit.

Luke 9:51 – 62

Luke's Gospel now sets Jesus on his way to his destiny in Jerusalem, though we shall hear of many encounters on the way. He, and the men and women with him, are not always welcomed; some who are at first attracted are not prepared to leave everything for his sake.

HYMNS AT 10.00am

827	Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim
757	One more step along the world I go
692	Jesus, good above all other

Will you come and follow me

CHANTS AT 6.00pm

Holy Spirit come to us, kindle in us the joy of your love, Holy Spirit come to us, Holy Spirit come to us.

Bless the Lord my soul, and bless God's holy name. Bless the Lord my soul, who leads me into life.

Ubi Caritas et amour, Ubi Caritas deus ibi est. (Translation: Where charity and love are found, God is there)

DURING THIS WEEK PLEASE PRAY ...

- ... for all those preparing for ordination as Deacons and Priests in God's Church in the coming days.
 - Pray too for an increase in vocations to ordained and lay ministries and the religious life not least from members of our own congregation.
- ... for the peace of the world and especially for the peoples of Ukraine.
- ... for all asylum seekers and refugees.
- ... for all who suffer, especially those who have lost their lives and the millions displaced because of severe flooding in Bangladesh.
- ... for each other; giving thanks for all the blessings we receive from God's bounty.

Faithful Shepherd, we want to follow you wherever you lead. Reach out to us this day, stirring our souls and spirits with the winds of your power that we may faithfully be your disciples. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday, 29th

10.15am Holy Communion

Thursday, 30th

9.30am Mini Michael's

Friday, 1st July

12 noon Wedding of Stephen Edward Henry and Sarah Jane Ramsay

2.30pm Funeral of David Purves

Sunday, 3rd THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.30am Holy Communion

President & Preacher: The Reverend Colin Perkins

10.00am First Sunday Eucharist

President: The Reverend Robert Chavner TSSF Preacher: The Reverend Canon Dr Philip Bourne

6.00pm Deanery Evensong (BCP)

LOOKING AHEAD

Wednesday, 6th

10.15am Holy Communion

Thursday, 7h

9.30am Mini Michael's

CRAFT TABLE

Calling all crafters and knitters.

As we get back to normal lots of holiday makers are visiting church and buying from our craft table, together with our usual customers from Mini Michaels etc. We are therefore needing more goods to sell. Can you help? Small knitted or crocheted goods, children's knitwear and jams and preserves all sell well and any new handmade ideas will add to our stall and would be very welcome. If you need any more information please speak to Anne, Pat or Eve.

Many thanks.

THIS WEEK'S ECO TIP

Keeping our homes clean cont.

Another golden oldie- bicarbonate of soda. (This can be bought in larger quantities than the familiar small tubs used for cooking). It has many uses, one of which is as a deodoriser for fridges and microwaves. Using a clean damp cloth, simply wipe a little around the interiors then wipe off having

rinsed the cloth in clean water. Alternatively, leave a small amount in an open container in the fridge.

OBERAMMERGAU 2022

This is a last shout for anyone who may be interested in a visit to the Oberammergau Passion Play, preceded by 6 days holiday in Austria. The dates are 1 - 8 August. Fr Robert has brochures/details.

I know some folk have been hesitant about booking so far in advance for this once in a life time trip but we have a few places left and if anybody is interested in joining us, please speak to Robert or Philip today.

Thank you.

COMMUNITY DROP-IN DAY

On Tuesday, 12th July there is to be a Community Drop-In Day to explore the way forward for our Community Graffiti Project. Year 5 from our school will explore the St Michael's Graffiti Mystery in the morning. A display of their work and ideas will be open to all from 2pm – 4pm. Please come and see all the possibilities it gives us to be a very visible and interactive part of the community. We will need some help to set up in the afternoon of Monday, 11th and in providing and helping with refreshments for the afternoon of the 12th.

Please contact Jean Darby if you can help in any way.

COFFEE MORNING

Wednesday July 6th from 10:30am – 12:30pm At Michelle Duff's house:- The Coach House, Bondgate Within. All proceeds to go toward the cost of oasis for the Flower Festival Tea, coffee, juice and cake. £3 entrance

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