

Notices



Welcome to the Alcester Minster Group of Churches Sunday 16 July 2017

Welcome

Trinity 5 Green

“But the seed falling on good soil refers to someone who hears the word and understands it. This is the one who produces a crop, yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown.”

Matthew 13 v 23

Thought for the Day
Tuesday 18 July
12.00 noon
at Sambourne
followed by
12.30 pm Hot Dog Lunch

Minster Praise
23 July
6.00 pm
at Arrow
Bethany
“A beautiful thing”

Fund Raising Lunch
27 July
12.00 & 1.15 pm
Two sittings
The Field House, Allimore Lane
Booking essential
Tel: 01789 763 509
In aid of Alcester Refugee Fund

Mothers' Union
Mary Sumner Celebration
Wednesday 09 August
2.00 pm
at St James, Weethley
followed by
a 'bring and share tea'

Saturday 19 August
12.00 – 3.00 pm
Kinwarton with Gt Alne
Summer Fete
at Glebe Farm, Kinwarton
with all the usual
attractions
plus 'Have-a-go' Archery
and at 2 pm Fun Dog
show

St Nicholas, Alcester
PCC
No meeting in July
August meeting with be
Wednesday 02 August
7.30 pm in Church House
Preceded by Prayers in
church at 6.45 pm

Project Restore - St Nicholas Progress.
Stonemasons have now removed dilapidated stone arches above south windows (you can see daylight!) and new stone is being sourced. Ways to contribute towards costs of replacements are on the display board and fliers at back of church

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church
is governed and sanctified:
Hear our prayer which we offer for
all your faithful people,
that in their vocation and ministry
they may serve you in holiness and truth
to the glory of your name;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Alternative collect

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister
the gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Next week's services and events.

Sunday 16 July

No evening service

Monday 17 July

Tuesday 18 July

Great Alne	9.30 am	Leaver's Service at Great Alne Church
Sambourne	12.00 noon	Thought for the Day followed by Hot Dogs & Trifle Lunch

Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Alcester	7.30 pm	St Nicholas Adult Choir
Church House	7.45 pm	MLT meeting

Wednesday 19 July

Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Sambourne	1.30 pm	Veterans Keep Fit

Thursday 20 July

Church House	2.00 pm	Knit and Natter
Alcester	7.30 pm	Bell-ringing practice

Friday 21 July

Alcester	10.00 am	Little Stars <i>Topic: Goodbyes</i>
Conway Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people

Saturday 22 July

Sunday 23 July

	Trinity 6	<i>Green</i>
Alcester	9.00 am	Holy Communion
Arrow	9.00 am	Holy Eucharist
Kinwarton	9.00 am	Holy Communion
Alcester	11.00 am	Sunday Live
Sambourne	11:00 am	Family Communion
St Nicholas	3.00 pm	Baptism
Arrow	6.00 pm	Minster Praise



Did you know that you can now 'LIKE' Alcester Minster on facebook?
Find details and pictures of events at www.facebook.com/AlcesterMinster
If you would like to submit event notices or photos to be published on the page then please email alcesterminsterfb@outlook.com

Readings for the week:

Sunday	Matthew 13 v 1 – 9 & 18 - 23
Monday	2 Corinthians 1 v 1 – 14
Tuesday	2 Corinthians 1 v 15 – 2 v 4
Wednesday	2 Corinthians 2 v 5 – 17
Thursday	2 Corinthians 3 v 1 – 18
Friday	2 Corinthians 4 v 1 – 18
Saturday	2 Corinthians 5 v 1 - 21

Readings for Today (Year A):

Genesis 25 v 19 - 34
Matthew 13 v 1 - 9 & 18 - 23



Prayer

The Minster Leadership Team
would like you to pray for
the following topics:

1. Pray for children around the world who live in war zones, in poverty, with disease or in fear.
2. As the children in the Minster finish school this week for the academic year, pray for them and their families over the summer. Pray especially for children who are worrying as they anticipate a change in September.

***The Minster has Home Groups which meet most days of the week.
If you are interested in joining one, please contact the Administrator
during the Rector's Sabbatical.***

Please ensure all mobile phones are switched OFF during the service.
Visitors are invited to Gift Aid their offerings in the envelopes provided.

Please take this sheet home with you

Contact John Berry [0784 028 4294 or administrator@alcesterminster.org] by 6 pm on Tuesday to add notices of church activities to next week's notice sheet.