

Notices

Reminder
Little Stars will meet on
Friday 08 September 10.00 am

Women@One
11 September 2017 at 7.30 pm
Alcester Baptist Church
"Come and stand before the King"

The Bible in an Evening
*A walk through the story of
God's peace with Revd Canon
Dr Richard Cooke*
**Wednesday 13 September
7.30 – 9.30 pm at St Nicholas**

Minster Directory

In 2016, we issued a list of names, addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses of regular church attendees in a blue directory. If you would like to be included in the directory for the first time or if any of your details have changed please complete a form which will be available in all the Minster Churches from this week. Give the completed form to your Churchwarden who will ensure your details are included in the updated information that will be available to everyone listed in the directory at the Minster Celebration on Sunday, 29 October 2017.

Alcester Garden Party
Saturday 09 September
3.00 – 5.30 pm
The Field House,
Allimore Lane, Alcester
Tickets £5.00 including
afternoon tea.
Live music, Produce, Crafts, Raffle

Short talk on the Middle East
2.00 pm Saturday 16 September
with food, drink & music
'The Limes', Church Street £8 donation

Arrow & Weethley Harvest Supper
7.00 pm at Arrow Village Hall
Saturday 23 September
Tickets £8 available from Bill
Baldwin Tel: 01789 762 638

New BCDM Modules
Music 7.00-9.30 pm
Monday 11 September
at St James', Snitterfield
Prayer 7.00-9.30 pm
Tuesday 03 – 31 October
at All Saints, Leamington
Creation Care 7.00-9.30 pm
Tuesday 03 – 17 October &
07 – 14 November
at St Edmund's, Shipston-on-Stour
to register & find out cost etc.
[www.dioceseofcoventry.org/BCDM
register](http://www.dioceseofcoventry.org/BCDM/register)

Next Sunday
Fairtrade Stall
Between 9 am and 11 am
Services in Church House



***Welcome to
the Alcester Minster
Group of Churches***
Sunday 03 September 2017

Welcome

Trinity 12 Green

"What good will it be for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul?"

Matthew 16 v 26a

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
you are always more ready to hear than we
to pray
and to give more than either we desire or deserve
pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy,
forgiving us those things of which our
conscience is afraid
and giving us those good things
which we are not worthy to ask
but through the merits and meditation
of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Alternative collect

God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us:
Remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may
grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Next week's services and events.

Sunday 03 September

No evening service

Monday 04 September

Sambourne 7.30 pm Coughton & Sambourne PCC meeting

Tuesday 05 September

Alcester 7.00 pm Holy Communion

Alcester 7.30 pm St Nicholas Adult Choir

Wednesday 06 September

Coughton School 9.00 am Assembly

Alcester 10.00 am Holy Communion

Thursday 07 September

Alcester 7.30 pm Bell-ringing practice

Malt Mill Lane 7.30 pm Alcester & Arrow Mothers' Union
Centre MU Past, Present & Future Discussion

Friday 08 September

Alcester 10.00 am Little Stars Jesus meets
Peter and Andrew

Conway Fields 7.00 pm Chocolate Run for young people

Unionist Club 7.30 pm Quiz in aid of St Nicholas restoration

Saturday 09 September

The Field House 3.00 pm Alcester Garden Party

Sunday 10 September

Alcester 9.00 am Trinity 13 *Green*
Minster Communion

*Refreshments will be served in Church House
between the 9.00 am and 11.00 am services*

Alcester 11.00 am Minster Family Communion

Alcester 1 – 5 pm *National Heritage Open Day*

Coughton 6.00 pm Stillness Service

All monies collected at the Minster Services on the second Sunday each month will be given to Minster Funds including monies given in the special Minster gift aid envelopes which can be found in the pews on this Sunday. This pays for minster-wide expenses, and reduces PCC contributions to the Minster.



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 16 v 21 - 28
Monday	Mark 6 v 45 – 56
Tuesday	Mark 7 v 1 – 13
Wednesday	Mark 7 v 14 – 23
Thursday	Mark 7 v 24 – 30
Friday	Mark 7 v 31 – 37
Saturday	Mark 8 v 1 - 10

Readings for Today (Year A):

Exodus 3 v 1 - 15

Matthew 16 v 21 - 28



Prayer

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

1. The people in the USA who are suffering the results of Tropical Storm Harvey. Pray for relief and progress moving forward.
2. Pray for the staff and children returning to education especially for those starting in a new school, college or university.

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

*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.