

Notices

Fund Raising Lunch
THIS THURSDAY - 26 April
12.00 & 1.15 pm
Two sittings
1 Old Rectory Garden
Booking essential
Tel: 01789 763 509
In aid of St Nicholas
'Project Restore'

Women's World Day of Prayer
THIS FRIDAY - 27 April at 7.30pm
Alcester Methodist Church
All Welcome
(Rescheduled from snowy 2 March)

Meeting to discuss the way forward for the
Garden Party
The Field House, Allimore Lane, Alcester
Tuesday 01 May at 1.30 pm
Everyone welcome

Annual Bluebell Walk
29 April 2018
Leaving from the lay-by on
Henley Road at 2.30pm
Shorter walk available with cars ferrying
people
Walk will be followed by a sandwiches
and cake tea. £3.00 for adults £1.00 for
children under 12 years.
Contact: John & Tricia Berry
01789 763 246

Lunchtime Concert at
St Nicholas, Alcester
Thursday 03 May at 12.30 pm
by Syncopated Rhythm
In aid of St Nicholas
'Project Restore'

£5 tickets (+ donations towards lunch)
from churchwardens/Mike Newey (762 579)

Christian Aid Coffee Morning
Saturday 05 May at 10.00 – 12.00 noon
at Church House

Organised by
Alcester Churches Together
in support of the work of Christian Aid

See Your Teddy Fly
Bank Holiday Monday
07 May at 1.00 – 4.00 pm
at St Nicholas Church
In aid of St Nicholas 'Project Restore'

All offers of help to Mike Newey (762 579)

Coventry Diocese Centenary Celebration
with Archbishop Justin Welby at
Coventry Cathedral
Saturday 05 May
10.30 am – 4.00 pm

check out the website: www.cov100.org

Special Services
Stillness Service THIS THURSDAY at
Weethley at 8.00 pm
Ascension Day Service at Coughton
Thursday 10 May at 10.00 am

YoungMinster

Unfortunately we had very few applications
for our Children and Families Worker and
none were short listed for interview. We
will re-advertise more widely soon. Please
continue to pray about this process.

Coming Soon – Saturday 26 May
Arrow & Weethley BBQ, Haselor Plant
Sale and Gt Alne Organ Recital



Welcome to
the Alcester Minster
Group of Churches
Sunday 22 April 2018

Welcome

Easter 4 White

*"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down
his life for the sheep."* John 10 v 11

Collect

Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and
the life:
raise us, who trust in him,
from the death of sin to the life of
righteousness,
that we may seek those things which are
above,
where he reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

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Alternative collect

Risen Christ,
faithful shepherd of your Father's
sheep:
teach us to hear your voice
and to follow your command,
that all your people may be
gathered into one flock,
to the glory of God the Father.

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Next week's services and events

Sunday 22 April	Easter 4	White
Alcester	3.00pm	Baptisms
Monday 23 April		
Tuesday 24 April		
Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Alcester	7.30 pm	St Nicholas Choir
Wednesday 25 April		
Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Sambourne	1.30 pm	Keep Fit for over 65s
Thursday 26 April		
1 Old Rectory	12noon &	Charity lunch in aid of St Nicholas
Garden, Alcester	1.15pm	Project Restore
Alcester	7.30 pm	Bell-ringing practice
Weethley	8.00 pm	Stillness Service
Friday 27 April		
Alcester	10.00 am	Little Stars
Jubilee Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people
Alcester		
Methodist Church	7.30 pm	'Women's World Day of Prayer' Service
Saturday 28 April		
Alcester	7.30 pm	Alcester Singers Concert
Sunday 29 April	Easter 5	White
Alcester	10.00 am	Minster Celebration
Great Alne	2.30 pm	Bluebell Walk and tea

All monies collected at the Minster Services on the fifth Sunday will be given to Minster Funds including monies given in the special Minster gift aid envelopes which can be found in the pews on the fifth Sunday



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 administrator@alcesterminster.org

Readings for the week:

Sunday	John 10 v 11 – 18
Monday	Luke 2 v 41 - 52
Tuesday	Luke 3 v 1 – 14
Wednesday	Luke 3 v 15 – 22
Thursday	Luke 4 v 1 – 13
Friday	Luke 4 v 14 – 30
Saturday	Luke 4 v 31 - 37

Readings for Today (Year B):

Acts 4 v 5 - 12
John 10 v 11 - 18



Prayer

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

1. Pray for all those whose lives have been disrupted and who have been put in fear of deportation, that their situations may be quickly sorted out.
2. Pray for all our local schools, pupils and teachers, that they may have a good term and may find school to be a safe, fulfilling and inspiring place.

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

