

Notices

Special Service Coming Up:-

Stillness Service
'God: mirrored in Creation'
THIS THURSDAY 23 August
8.00 pm at Sambourne
*Reflective inputs, silence, prayer
and music*

*Do come along and bring someone
else with you who would appreciate
this quiet time with God*

Minster Men outing to Hogan's Cider Wednesday 29 August 7pm at St Nicholas Church Gates

*£7.50 to cover Hogan's costs
including snacks
(eat before you come)
replies by this coming Friday to
Andrew Deeks
(763723/agdeeks@btinternet.com)*

Kinwarton & Great Alne Fete
Saturday 1 September
12.00 – 3.30 pm
Glebe Farm B49 6HB
BBQ, bar, teas, stalls, games,
slow bicycle race
& Fun Dog Show from 2.00 pm

Morning of Fun & Chat
Saturday 8 September
10.30 am – 1.00 pm
Gt Alne Memorial Hall

St Nicholas Garden Party
Saturday 25 August
3.00 – 5.30 pm
**The Field House, Allimore Lane,
Alcester, B49 5PR**

*Tickets are now on sale
(£5 to include afternoon tea) and lists
are at the back of St Nicholas Church if
you are able to donate sandwiches,
cakes or produce.
Contact Marion on 01789 763723.*

*In aid of St Nicholas Church
Restoration Fund*

High Bailiff's Concert
Friday 31 August
7.00 pm
St Nicholas Church

Tickets (£7.50) available from
Alison Brown – 07763 492821 /
abrown@thames-side.co.uk

Lunchtime Concert
Thursday 6 September
12.30 – 2.00pm
St Nicholas Church
*In aid of St Nicholas Church
Restoration Fund*

Chamber group and organ.
Music of Bach, Handel, Haydn,
Telemann, and others.
Tickets £5 + donations towards
interval sandwich lunch.

'Silence' Booklets

*In the run up to the WW1 Centenary free prayer reflection booklets will be placed in
Minster churches.*

*In some churches this will be combined with an art installation or
a prayer station encouraging visitors to pause and pray.*

If you know someone who might find the booklet helpful please take one and pass it on.



***Welcome to
the Alcester Minster
Group of Churches
Sunday 19 August 2018***

Welcome

Trinity 12 Green

*"Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, always giving
thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus
Christ."*

Ephesians 5 v19b-20

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 mediation
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 19 August	Trinity 12	<i>Green</i>
Monday 20 August		
Tuesday 21 August		
Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Alcester	7.30 pm	NO St Nicholas Choir Practice
Church House	7.45 pm	MLT Meeting
Wednesday 22 August		
Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Sambourne		NO Keep Fit for over 65s
Thursday 23 August		
Alcester	7.30 pm	NO Fundrasing Lunch this month St Nicholas Bell-Ringing Practice NO Kinwarton, Gt Alne & Haselor Mothers' Union meeting
Sambourne	8.00 pm	Minster Stillness Service
Friday 24 August		
Alcester	10.00 am	NO Little Stars
Jubilee Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people
Saturday 25 August		
The Field House, Allimore Lane, Alcester, B49 5PR	3.00 – 5.30 pm	St Nicholas Garden Party
Sunday 26 August	Trinity 13	<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



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 6 v 51 – 58
Monday	Acts 8 v 26 – 40
Tuesday	Acts 9 v 1 – 19a
Wednesday	Acts 9 v 19b – 31
Thursday	Acts 9 v 32 - 43
Friday	Acts 10 v 1 – 16
Saturday	Acts 10 v 17 - 33

Readings for Today (Year B):

Ephesians 5 v 15 - 20

John 6 v 51 - 58



Prayer

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

1. Pray for all those young people who have recently received their exam results, especially those who are disappointed and may have to change their plans for the future. May God give wisdom to the teachers and others who advise them, and a sense of hope and anticipation to the young people.
2. Please pray for anyone who may feel they are being called to find out more about the Children's and Family Worker role, that they may be guided by the Holy Spirit to reach out and be known.

***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.

Data Consent Forms

***In response to the requirements of the new data protection regulations we will contact everyone asking them to complete a consent form – If you are part of the Minster Directory or are on an electoral roll then these are now available and should already be with you/will be with you shortly - please complete and return in the envelope provided – includes a tick box to complete for the Minster Directory too.
If you are not in either of those categories then one will be on its way to you soon/please ask for one (enquiries to Juliette). Many thanks.***