

Notices

**Minster Men outing to Hogan's Cider
THIS WEDNESDAY
29 August
7.00 pm at St Nicholas Church Gates**

*HOPE YOU HAVE REPLIED!
Enquiries to Andrew Deeks
(763723/agdeeks@btinternet.com)*

Safeguarding Basic Awareness

Do you volunteer or would you like to know more about Safeguarding? If so come and join me in Church House
THIS THURSDAY 30 August at 10.00 am
Elizabeth Humphrey

**High Bailiff's Concert
THIS FRIDAY
31 August
7.00 pm
St Nicholas Church**

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

Men Only Prayer Group

The first Saturday of every month
7.30 – 8.30 am
at Alcester Baptist Church
Saturday 1 September
All men welcome

Kinwarton & Great Alne Fete THIS 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

**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.

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

HARVEST IS COMING!

Harvest Festivals

16 September @ Weethley (9.00 am)
23 September @ Arrow & Kinwarton (9.00am)
7 October @ Alcester & Haselor (9.00am) + Alcester & Gt Alne (11am)

More details to follow and look out for Harvest Suppers too!

'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 26 August 2018***

Trinity 13 Green

***Welcome and a special welcome to those who have
been baptised and are being officially welcomed at
St Nicholas this morning
or are being baptised at St Nicholas this afternoon***

"We have come to believe and to know that you are the Holy One of God."

John 6 v 69

Collect

Almighty God,
who called your Church to bear witness
that you were in Christ reconciling the world
to yourself:
help us to proclaim the good news of your
love,
that all who hear it may be drawn to you;
through him who was lifted up on the cross,
and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy
Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Alternative collect

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Next week's services and events

Sunday 26 August	Trinity 13	<i>Green</i>
St Nicholas	3.00 pm	Baptisms
Monday 27 August		
Tuesday 28 August		
Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Eucharist
Alcester	7.30 pm	NO St Nicholas Choir Practice
Wednesday 29 August		
Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Eucharist
Sambourne		NO Keep Fit for over 65s Minster Men Outing
Thursday 30 August		
Church House	10.00 – 12.00 noon	Safeguarding training – C0 module
Alcester	7.30 pm	Bell-ringing practice
Friday 31 August		
Alcester	10.00 am	NO Little Stars
Kinwarton	2.30 pm	Wedding
Alcester	7.00 pm	High Bailiff's Concert
Jubilee Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people
Saturday 01 September		
Baptist Church	7.30 am	Men Only Prayer Group
Glebe Farm, Kinwarton	12.00 – 3.30 pm	Kinwarton with Gt Alne Fete
Arrow	2.00 pm	Wedding
Sunday 02 September	Trinity 14	<i>Green</i>
Alcester	9.00 am	Holy Communion
Arrow	9.00 am	Morning Prayer
Coughton	9.00 am	Choral Holy Communion
Haselor	9.00 am	Family Service
Alcester	11.00 am	Sung Eucharist
Great Alne	11.00 am	Family Communion



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 56 – 69
Monday	Acts 10 v 34 – 48
Tuesday	Acts 11 v 1 – 18
Wednesday	Acts 11 v 19 – 30
Thursday	Acts 12 v 1 – 17
Friday	Acts 12 v 18 - 25
Saturday	Acts 13 v 1 - 12

Readings for Today (Year B):

Ephesians 6 v 10 - 20

John 6 v 56 – 69



Prayer

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

1. Give thanks to God for the acts of kindness (small or large) that you see, hear about or experience for yourself. Ask God to help you to look for opportunities to be kind to others.
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 – THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED A FORM. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY RECEIVED A FORM TO COMPLETE PLEASE CONTACT JULIETTE/ASK YOUR CHURCH WARDEN. DON'T FORGET TO TICK THE MINSTER DIRECTORY BOX IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NEXT ONE TO BE ISSUED.