

Notices

HARVEST IS COMING!

Harvest Festivals

**NEXT WEEK - 7 October @ Alcester & Haselor* (9.00am) + Alcester & Gt Alne* (11am)
21 October @ Coughton* (& Sambourne) (9.00 am)**

*donations for the Food Bank gratefully received ie UHT (long life) Milk, UHT (long life) Fruit Juice, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Vegetables (eg, peas, carrots), Tinned Fish (eg tuna, salmon, large pilchards), Tinned Cold Meats (eg corned beef, ham, spam), Tinned Hot Pies, Pasta Sauce, Tinned Rice Pudding, Tinned Custard, Toiletries (eg soap, shampoo, shower gel, loo rolls) or money.

Alcester will again be taking contributions to the Coventry City Mission so anything non-perishable including tins, dried food etc.

Harvest Suppers

**THIS FRIDAY 5 October – Coughton & Sambourne – Sambourne Church
THIS SATURDAY 6 October – Arrow & Weethley @ Arrow Village Hall
THIS SATURDAY 6 October – Haselor @ Haselor School – Supper & Barn Dance
Saturday 13 October – combined with Alcester Churches Together
at Alcester Baptist Church – Supper & Quiz**
Look out for further details/check out the website calendar

Safeguarding Training – C0 module

THIS TUESDAY 2 October
*for volunteers, those who missed
the last session etc*
10.00 - 12.00 @ Church House

Safeguarding Training – C1 module

THIS WEDNESDAY 3 October
1.00 – 3.45 pm @ Church House
*Online booking required and C0 module
completed in advance*
www.dioceseofcoventry.org/safeguarding/safeguardingtraining

Men Only Prayer Group

The first Saturday of
every month
7.30 – 8.30 AM
at Alcester Baptist Church
THIS SATURDAY 6 OCTOBER
All men welcome

St Nicholas Christmas Festival Meeting

THIS WEDNESDAY 3 Oct
11.30 am @ Church House
*Any stall holders, new or old very welcome,
and anyone else with an interest. We need
your help. If you want to know more do get in
touch with Lizzy - 01789 764640*

Lunchtime concert

THIS THURSDAY 4 Oct
St Nicholas Church at 12.30 pm
Starring Julian Davey
in aid of St Nicholas Church Restoration Fund

*Hope you have bought your tickets/signed up to
bring something for lunch?*

PLEASE NOTE –
**THIS TUESDAY NO EVENING SERVICE/
CHOIR PRACTICE**
NEXT SUNDAY SECO 10K RUN IN & AROUND ALCESTER
– beware of runners & road closures!



***Welcome to
the Alcester Minster
Group of Churches
Sunday 30 September 2018***

Welcome

Trinity 18 Green

“Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray”.

James 5 v 13

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
increase in us your gift of faith
that, forsaking what lies behind
and reaching out to that which is before,
we may run the way of your commandments
and win the crown of everlasting joy;
through 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, our judge and saviour,
teach us to be open to your truth
and to trust in your love,
that we may live each day
with confidence in the salvation
which is given
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Next week's services and events

Sunday 30 September	Trinity 18	<i>Green</i>	
Monday 01 October			
Alcester	4.00 pm	NO Tower Tours/Spot the Teddy Treasure Hunt during the Mop as previously advertised	
Tuesday 02 October			
Church House	10.00 am	Safeguarding Training – C0 module	
Alcester	4.00 pm	NO Tower Tours/Spot the Teddy Treasure Hunt during the Mop as previously advertised	
Alcester	7.00 pm	NO Holy Communion	
Alcester	7.30 pm	NO St Nicholas Choir Practice	
Wednesday 03 October			
Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion	
Church House	11.30 am	St Nicholas Church Christmas Festival Meeting	
Church House	1.00 pm	Safeguarding Training – C1 module	
Sambourne	1.30 pm	Keep Fit for over 65s	
Thursday 04 October			
Alcester	12.30 pm	Lunchtime Concert	
Alcester	7.30 pm	St Nicholas bell-ringing practice	
Friday 05 October			
Alcester	10.00 am	Little Stars	
Jubilee Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for young people	
Sambourne	7.15 pm	Coughton & Sambourne Harvest Supper	
Saturday 06 October			
Baptist Church	7.30 am	Men Only Prayer Group	
Arrow Village Hall	7.00 pm	Arrow & Weethley Harvest Supper	
Tudor Grange Primary Academy, Haselor	7.00 pm	Haselor Harvest Supper & Barn Dance	
Sunday 07 October	Trinity 19	<i>Green</i>	
Alcester	9.00 am	Harvest Holy Communion	
Arrow	9.00 am	Morning Prayer	
Coughton	9.00 am	Choral Holy Communion	
Haselor	9.00 am	Harvest Family Service	
Alcester	11.00 am	Harvest Sung Eucharist	
Great Alne	11.00 am	Harvest 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	Mark 9 v 38 – 50
Monday	Acts 26 v 1 – 23
Tuesday	Acts 26 v 24 - 32
Wednesday	Acts 27 v 1 – 26
Thursday	Acts 27 v 27 – 44
Friday	Acts 28 v 1 – 16
Saturday	Acts 28 v 17 - 31

Readings for Today (Year B):

James 5 v 13 - 20

Mark 9 v 38 - 50



Prayer

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

- Let us give thanks for each and every member of our churches within the Alcester Minster.
- Please pray for all who are involved in the teaching and nurture of children in our Minster churches and schools.

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 [07840 284 294 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 – HAVE YOU HAD A CHANCE TO COMPLETE A FORM? IF NOT 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.