

Notices

St Nicholas Christmas Market

This will be held on
Saturday 16th November.
There will be a meeting on
Wednesday 23rd October
at **2.00pm** in Church House
and all stall holders and any
others who would like to get
involved will be most welcome.

Alcester Refugee Fund.

Alcester Refugee Fund
meeting at the
Town Hall,
Friday 25th October, 7.30
start.

Expert speakers on the
present and likely future
situations in Iraq and Syria.
Tickets £8 from Café
Expresso, Frank Wood
(400300) or on the door.

*Light refreshments with a
Middle East twist.*

Family Memorial Service
St Nicholas Church,
Alcester
Sunday 03 November
at 4.30pm

*Everyone welcome
and if you would like a
loved one remembered in
the service
please contact Gill Wythes
01789 763163*

Don't Forget!

The clocks go back
next Saturday night.

FUNDRAISING LUNCHES

Thursday 24 October

2 sittings

12 noon and 1.15 pm

Booking essential

01789 763509

Greyhound House,
Henley Street, Alcester
in aid of St Basil's
Charity for Homelessness

DON'T FORGET MINSTER

PRAISE NEXT WEEK

Sunday 27 October

6.00 pm at Alcester.

The last Minster Praise for 2019



CHRISTIANITY **EXPLORED**
WHAT'S THE BEST NEWS
YOU'VE EVER HEARD?

Christianity Explored

meeting for group leaders.
For everyone who is interested
in being a discussion group
leader at the forthcoming
'Christianity Explored' course in
Jan/Feb organised by ACT.

Monday 28 October at
7.30pm in Church House

Arrow & Weethley PCC
Public Meeting
Saturday 09 November at
10.30 am

at Holy Trinity, Arrow.
To discuss the plans for the
proposed development of
Holy Trinity.

*Adrian Guthrie will give a
presentation. People will be
invited to walk round the church
to view what it is hoped to
achieve.*



Welcome to the Alcester Minster Group of Churches Sunday 20 October 2019

Trinity 18 *Green*

*"Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always
and not to lose heart."*

Luke 18 v 1

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 20 October

Trinity 18

Green

No Minster evening events

Monday 21 October

No Minster events

Tuesday 22 October

Coughton	10.00 am	Coughton School Harvest Service
Alcester	7.00 pm	Holy Communion
Alcester	7.30 pm	St Nicholas Choir Practice
'Dishley', Kinwarton	7.30 pm	Kinwarton with Great Alne Standing Committee meeting

Wednesday 23 October

Alcester	10.00 am	Holy Communion
Sambourne	1.30 pm	Keep Fit for over 65s

Thursday 24 October

Coughton	9.15 am	Prayer for Coughton & Sambourne Parish
Greyhound House, Alcester	12.00 & 1.15 pm	Fundraising Lunch <i>in aid of St Basil's Charity for the homeless</i>
Home of Pauline Vining	2.30 pm	Kinwarton with Great Alne and Haselor Mothers' Union meeting
Alcester	7.30 pm	St Nicholas Bell-ringing Practice

Friday 25 October

Alcester	10.00 am	Little Stars 'David's son'
Jubilee Fields	7.00 pm	Chocolate Run for Young People
Town Hall	7.30 pm	Alcester Refugee Fund meeting <i>with guest speaker</i>

Saturday 26 October

No Minster events

But the clocks go back 1 hour.

Sunday 27 October

Last before Advent

Green

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
Alcester	3.00 pm	Baptism
Alcester	6.00 pm	Minster Praise



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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

Today

Genesis 32 v 22 – 31

Luke 18 v 1 - 8

Monday

Mark 15 v 1 – 15

Tuesday

Mark 15 v 16 – 32

Wednesday

Mark 15 v 33 – 41

Thursday

Mark 15 v 42 – 47

Friday

Mark 16 v 1 – 8

Saturday

Mark 16 v 9 - 20



Prayer

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

1. Pray for all those who make decisions about our public finances, local and national, that they may work with integrity, wisdom and compassion.
2. Pray for ourselves as we manage our own finances, that we might remember that all we have is from God.

***The Minster has Home Groups meeting
[usually fortnightly] during 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 Tricia Berry (01789 509 278 or 07840 284 294 or
administrator@alcesterminster.org) by 6 pm on Tuesday to add notices of church
activities to next week's notice sheet.

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the **MINSTER MATTERS** magazine and if not would you like to in 2019?
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*Check out the website calendar for further details on
events/services coming up*