

The Parish of All Saints' Ockbrook with St Stephen's Borrowash
'LOVING GOD, LOVING ONE ANOTHER AND LIVING OUT GOD'S LOVE IN THE WORLD'

Are you new to our Church?

Welcome to our services, particularly if you are with us for the first time. If you would like to find out more about us please fill in one of the cards in the pews at All Saints' or St Stephen's and we will be in touch.

Sunday 8th June 2014

Pentecost

All Saints'

8.00am Holy Communion
Acts 2: 1-11; John 14: 15-31
11.00am Holy Communion
Nehemiah2: 11-20

St Stephen's

9.15am Holy Communion
Nehemiah2: 11-20



Items for your prayers...

Please continue to pray for: Marion and Gwen Johnson, Ivy Johnson, Jeanette Williams, Margaret White, Christine and Edward Hunt, Hayley Kalinin, Janet Tonks, Dinah Holyoak, Beryl Haines, Kay Atkinson and Martin Bevis.

Pray for the family of Esme Littlewood, who died last week and for Ruth Green and her family following Ruth's mother's funeral last week. Pray also for the family of Bill Dugard whose funeral is on Wed. 11th June at 1.20 pm.

Please pray for Tim as he preaches at HMP Oakwood on Sunday 15th June.

A Prayer for Pentecost:

Spirit of the living Christ, come upon us in the glory of your risen power and in the humility of your wondrous love, that new life may course within our veins, new love bind us together in one family and a new vision of the Kingdom of God spur us on to serve you with fearless passion. Amen.

A prayer based on Nehemiah:

Lord God, we thank you for the message of Nehemiah, that through waiting, prayer, patience, vision, teamwork and your sovereign power, all things are possible for those who trust in you. Help us to take risks for the sake of your kingdom and guide us over our vision to build your church and to develop our buildings in this parish. Amen.

Things you should know about...

Prayer breakfast: 8.15 am at the Church Hall (GLH) on Sat. 7th June.

Baptism: We welcome Simon and Rachel Dean, their families and friends as they bring Ethan for baptism at the 11.00 am service at All Saints' this Sunday (8th June).

Road Closures: Please be aware that due to the Ramathon on Sun. 8th June, there will be road closures in and around Elvaston, Thulston, Ambaston & Shardlow. Further information can be found at www.ramathon.co.uk/public-information/

Living Beautiful Lives: Monday 9th June 9th from 8.00 – 9.30 pm at the Church Hall (GLH) Gordon Lacey Hall (7.45 for refreshments). We have **30** people signed up for this course! Please bring a pen, pad, Bible and the £4.00 for the course booklet.

Convergence: Wednesday 11th June at All Saints' Church Ockbrook from 8.00 – 9.30 pm blending music group led worship, Anglo-Catholic liturgy & Eucharist (led by Fr. Glenn Martin), exegetical preaching (Rev. Tim Sumpter), prayer with silence led by the Provincial Superior of the Convent of the Holy Name (Sr. Pauline). Prayer ministry and refreshments will be available and an offering will be taken of non-perishable food items for the Padley Centre.

From the PCC meeting please note the following diary dates:

1. This years' service of Remembrance & Hope (to which families of recent funerals are invited) will be on Sun. 2nd Nov. at All Saints' commencing at 6.30 pm. **2. The PCC away day** to refresh our vision is on Sat. 11th October from 10.00 am – 4.00 pm (Venue TBC). **3. Our 2015 AGM** will be on Sun. 26th April from 11.00 am – 12.30 pm at All Saints', followed by a shared lunch. It will be preceded by a short joint service beginning at 10.00 am (there will be NO other service that day). It is hoped this new time will encourage more of the church family to attend the AGM. We also hope to run a children's group alongside the AGM led by Sunday school leaders from other churches.

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What's on w/c 8th June 2014

Sunday 8 th June	4.00pm	Inspire Youth Group at GLH (til 5pm)
Monday 9 th	9.30am	Admin meeting at Vicarage
	8.00pm	Beautiful Lives at GLH (til 9.30pm)
Tuesday 10 th	9.30am	Staff meeting at the Vicarage
	2.00pm	Kaleidoscope "Treetops Bereavement Counselling Service" – Penny Lockwood
	8.00pm	4ALL Team meet at the vicarage
Wednesday 11 th	10.00am	Morning Worship at St Stephen's
	8.00pm	Convergence Service at All Saints' (All Welcome)
Thursday 12 th	9.30am	Shining Stars at GLH
	7.45pm	Bell Ringers meet at All Saints'
	8.00pm	Music Group Practice at All Saints'
Friday 13 th	7.30pm	Choir Practice at St Stephen's
Saturday 14 th	10.00am	Summer Sale at GLH (til 12noon)
Sunday 15 th	8.00am	Holy Communion at All Saints'
	9.15am	Holy Communion at St Stephen's
	11.00am	Morning Worship at All Saints'
	4.00pm	Inspire Youth Group at GLH (til 5pm)
	6.30pm	Compline at St Stephen's
	7.30pm	Social for all Christian Aid Volunteers at Royal Oak.

The sermon theme in our two main Sunday morning services for May, June and July is **Nehemiah: Building the Future**. Alongside our regular preachers, we are welcoming some guests: (Rev'd Andy Chalkley, Rev'd Anupama Hansell and Steve Sharp) as well as three from inside the parish new to preaching: (Geoff Peel, Gemma Crammond and Ros Weetman). Please do pray for all the sermons and the preachers.

Special Services – Summer 2014:

(Please refer to regular news sheets for all *usual* services):

August 3 rd	10.00am	Joint Anglican Morning Worship	St Stephens
August 10 th	10.00am	Joint Anglican Family Communion	All Saints'
August 17 th	10.00am	Joint Anglican Family Communion	St Stephen's
August 24 th	10.00am	Joint Anglican Family Communion	All saints'
August 31 st	10.00am	Joint Anglican Family Communion	St Stephen's

(Please note, there are no 9.15am, 11.00am or 6.30pm services in our churches throughout August; normal services will resume in September).

Summer Sale: We are fast approaching our Summer Sale in aid of the building fund on Saturday 14 June from 10am to 12 noon at the Gordon Lacey Hall. We would be very grateful for donations of homemade cakes for sale, so please could you let Nat Cochrane, Ros Weetman or Anne Frearson know ASAP if you are able to help in this way, and to make arrangements for safe and timely delivery of the cakes! Also, we are having a plants and produce stall, so if anyone can donate plants, jams and chutney, gardening books etc for sale, we would be very grateful. Please come along and bring your family and friends - we would love to see you there! £1 entry which includes tea/coffee and biscuits.

Pastoral Care Group

If you have, or know someone who has, specific pastoral care needs, please contact one of the group leaders:

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Notices for the Next News Sheet to be issued w/c 9th June 2014

Any notices to be included in the News Sheet, must be with Moira Dick by **no later than 5pm on Tuesday 10th June 2014. Thank you.**

Other Notices

3 Choirs Choral Evensong: Joint Service 29th June 2014 – 6.00pm at All Saints' Sawley with 3 choirs (Sawley, Breaston and Ockbrook & Borrowwash) & Robert Russell preaching; all welcome.

Spring Harvest 2015: Gemma is again organising a group for this week of Christian celebration, great teaching and relaxation. Come as a couple, by yourself or as a family. With a big enough group we are able to get a good discount and this is a great way of getting to know people in church, and deepening friendships. Please see Gemma after the 11am services at All Saints' by 22nd June at the latest (the booking line opens on 25th June); to find out more and pick up a leaflet. Alternatively, email her or phone her to get hold of the information.

Please note that a selection of cards is still available for sale in All Saints' Church. They are now located on the cupboard on the right hand side at the back of church (as you walk in), next to the "pigeon holes". **All proceeds from the sale of these cards goes to the Building Fund.**

An Exploration of Pain: Wed. 16th July and Wed. 23rd July from 8.00 pm – 9.30 pm at the Vicarage in Ockbrook. All of us experience pain of one sort or another in our lives. These two evenings are designed to help us explore such pain from a biblical, theological and personal perspective, within a safe and confidential environment. Please contact Tim for more details.