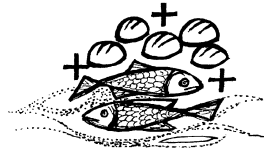




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 Little Drayton  
 A Traditional Church  
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## Sunday 28th July The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

### MESSAGE FROM THE FOODBANK:

**IF YOU ARE ABLE TO DONATE, WE NEED THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER OF URGENCY PLEASE...**



**CARTONS OF LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE, DRY CAT FOOD, TINS OF HAM, SIZE 6 PULL-UPS/NAPPIES**

**\*\*THANK YOU!\*\***

### Monthly Bible verse:

Praise the Lord, my soul;  
 all my inmost being, praise his holy name.  
 Praise the Lord, my soul,  
 and forget not all his benefits!  
*(Psalm 103 vs 1 and 2)*



### Prayer for the week:

Almighty God,  
 who sent your Holy Spirit  
 to be the life and light of your Church:  
 open our hearts to the riches of your grace,  
 that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit  
 in love and joy and peace;  
 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.



**Amen.**

Lord let me share your work, open my eyes to the burdens borne by others. Open my heart to the pain that cannot be shared, to the fear that cannot be spoken, to all those that face darkness alone.' **Amen.**

### Readings:


A reading from 2 Kings 4:42-end  
 A reading from the Letter to the Ephesians 3:14-end  
 A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John 6:1-21



### Hymns:

**12 Alleluia sing to Jesus**  
**305 I danced in the morning**  
**381 Let all mortal flesh keep silence**  
**876 O when the Saints go marching in**



 Readings to use in the last week of July:

Day	Date	Reading	Psalm
Sunday	28	1 Peter 4:7-14	75
Monday	29	Acts 1:1-14	44
Tuesday	30	Acts 1:15-end	48
Wednesday	31	Acts 2:1-21	119.57-80
Thursday	01	Acts 2:22-36	57
Friday	02	Acts 2:37-end	51
Saturday	03	Acts 3:1-10	68
Sunday	04	2 Peter 1:1-15	86

**Tea / coffee rotas for July:** 28th July—Chris and Carol.

**The Three Parishes News Sheet for August is available at the back of church**

We have a new recycling bin for glass and plastic next to the other bins at the side of the church.

**OUR FIRST AID BOX IS LOCATED ON THE CUPBOARDS AT THE BACK OF CHURCH**

Please pray for the recently departed: **Brenda Davies, Catherine Roberts**

Please pray for the people of our parish: **Andrew Bailey, Pat Bullen, Jodie, Gracie, Robert and Family, Bill Hughes, Grace Roberts, Ann, Ray, Will and Pat James, Margy Taylor, Wyn, John, Nadine Gawleta, Eric, Jane, Diane, Charlotte, Heather Winstone, Lily Barnett, Hazel Haskayne**

Please pray for members of our church family: **Harry Hitchen, Diana Holland, Jean Hopwood, Rachel Hughes, Brian Hughes**

Please pray for the life of our church: **churchwardens and assistant warden; Outreach and Fundraising team; Revd. Jane, James, Margaret, Carol, Revd. David, Revd. Angela and James Butter, the pastoral team**

**Our friends at Loggerheads are holding an 'in person' Safeguarding Course at Ashley on Thursday, 1st. August at 2.00 pm in the Chapter House, on 'Raising Awareness of Domestic Abuse.'** Any members of our congregations who may be interested in this are warmly invited to join them. Please sign up at the back of church

**Alex's Pilgrimage**—Christ Church to Lichfield Cathedral. From **Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th August**, Alex is walking the 38.5 miles to the cathedral to raise money for the church. There is a sponsorship form at the back of church or you can donate on his Go Fund me page: [gofund.me/dbfbab0e](https://gofund.me/dbfbab0e) Thank you.



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Joan has agreed to be responsible for the church flowers. She will put artificial flowers on the altar unless approached by individual members of the congregation, who can either give her flowers, flower money, or can opt to do the arrangement themselves.



**Thank you for your continuing contributions to the church. If you would like to give your collection by Standing Order, here are the church's bank account details:**

**Account name: Christ Church Little Drayton**  
**Account number: 05865160, Sort code: 77-27-16**

## UPCOMING SERVICES and EVENTS:

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist



**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> July 10:00 am:** Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist  
**2:00 pm:** Baptism  
**6:30 pm:** Evening Prayer



**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> August 10:00 am:** Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 11:00 am:** the funeral of Brenda Davies will be held in church

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> August 11:00 am—12:30 pm:** Knit & Natter  
**2:00 pm:** the funeral of Catherine Roberts will be held in church



**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2:00 pm:** the wedding of Michael Lambert and Samantha Underwood will be held in church



**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August 09:45 am:** Parish Eucharist



**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August 10:30 am:** Possible Outreach and Fundraising meeting

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> August 10:00 am:** Holy Communion (said Eucharist)



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