

Welcome to

Christ Church Coalville, St Michael's Ravenstone & St Peter's Bardon Hill



"We are more than Church ~ we are family"

SERVICES FOR THIS SUNDAY AND NEXT

SUNDAY 6th JUNE

10:00am Zoom Service 10:00am Holy Communion at Christ Church 11:00am Prayer and Reflection at St Peter's 4:00pm Holy Communion at St Michael's 6:00pm **No Services**

SUNDAY 13th JUNE

10:00am Morning Prayer at Christ Church 11:00am Holy Communion at St Peter's 11:00am Prayer & Reflection at St Michael's 6:00pm Holy Communion at Christ Church

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PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers Ann Beardsmore, Bob Brewin, Margaret Hinds, Janet Wardle, Jean Brewin, Marie Wright and Phill Collis



Would you like to read or lead prayers at any of our services? Please let us know.

If you have any news you would like to share on the next Welcome Sheet ~ big or small, happy or sad ~ please do contact us. If you would like to contribute a prayer, please send it to the welcome sheet email address.

MIDWEEK MEETINGS AND SERVICES

Monday 7th June – 11:00am Prayer Circle on Zoom Thursday 10th June – 11:00am Zoom Coffee and Chat

Links will be sent out via email for all Zoom services and meetings. **Please join using the phone if** you cannot join via a computer.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 12th June \sim 9:00am Coalville Churches Together (led by Christ Church) Monday 14th June \sim 11:00am Prayer Circle on Zoom Thursday 17th June \sim 11:00am Coffee and Chat on Zoom

Please do have a look at Leicester Diocese and Cathedral websites for their planned events.



GIVING

Geoff has put a feature on our website which allows people to donate quickly and easily online. He has put amounts of £5, £10, £20 and £25 for people to choose from. He has done this through the Parish Buying Scheme and Rachel has set up this feature at St Peter's and Geoff will be doing the same for St Michael's.

To give, please visit; www.achurchnearyou.com



WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?

At Christ Church we have two roles which Sue Underwood has done for many years and is wondering if anyone else would like to take on. The first is someone to be responsible for Hall Bookings, the second is for someone to deal with Diocesan Fees. If you think you could take one of these on, please speak to Sue.

LADIES CLOTHING APPEAL

The Marlene Reid Centre's charity shop "The Attic" is urgently asking for donations of ladies clothing as their stocks are currently low. Please ring MRC on 01530 510515 to arrange drop off of any kind donations at the MRC on Belvoir Road, Coalville – Covid-19 means they have to be quarantined for a period of time and this is being done away from the shop.



GARDENING

Bardon Gardening Club meets every week on Wednesday mornings at 9.30am. Christ Church Gardeners on Tuesdays from 9.30am. Thank you to all who keep our grounds looking so beautiful – a real ministry and labour of love.

As we prepare to open our churches for worship, please remember to wear a face covering and observe the social distancing rules if you are joining us.

COALVILLE CHURCHES TOGETHER

Praying Together Dates 9:00am - 10:00am on Zoom Saturday 10th July Saturday 14th August Please let us know if you would like the link to join in.

The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results – James 5:16b

IEAN BREWIN

Jean would appreciate anyone seeing her through a "window visit". Apart from mealtimes, anytime is good and no appointment is necessary. Jean can be visited in Thornham Grove.

ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION Monday, 21st June at 7.30pm at St Helen's Ashby

This year, numbers will be limited to just Wardens. They may be able to bring one other, but we are awaiting regulations. Please pray for your Churchwardens on this evening as they make their promises.





HANGING BASKETS

Brian Hinds has been selling hanging baskets to raise funds for St Peters and has 3 left which he would really like to find homes for, two at £10 and one at £12. Please contact Brian on 01530 812644 or at 67 Bakewell Street.



<u>Sunday 6th June 2021</u> <u>The First Sunday after Trinity</u>

Collect

God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son.

First Reading ~ 1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20

- 4 So all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah.
- 5 They said to him, "You are old, and your sons do not follow your ways; now appoint a king to lead us, such as all the other nations have."
- 6 But when they said, "Give us a king to lead us," this displeased Samuel; so he prayed to the LORD.
- 7 And the LORD told him: "Listen to all that the people are saying to you; it is not you they have rejected, but they have rejected me as their king.
- **8** As they have done from the day I brought them up out of Egypt until this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so they are doing to you.
- **9** Now listen to them; but warn them solemnly and let them know what the king who will reign over them will claim as his rights."
- 10 Samuel told all the words of the LORD to the people who were asking him for a king.
- **11** He said, "This is what the king who will reign over you will claim as his rights: He will take your sons and make them serve with his chariots and horses, and they will run in front of his chariots.
- 6 Your male and female servants and the best of your cattle and donkeys he will take for his own use.
- 17 He will take a tenth of your flocks, and you yourselves will become his slaves.
- **18** When that day comes, you will cry out for relief from the king you have chosen, but the LORD will not answer you in that day."
- 19 But the people refused to listen to Samuel. "No!" they said. "We want a king over us.
- 20 Then we will be like all the other nations, with a king to lead us and to go out before us and fight our battles."

Second Reading ~ Mark 3:20-35

- 20 Then Jesus entered a house, and again a crowd gathered, so that he and his disciples were not even able to eat.
- 21 When his family heard about this, they went to take charge of him, for they said, "He is out of his mind."
- 22 And the teachers of the law who came down from Jerusalem said, "He is possessed by Beelzebul! By the prince of demons he is driving out demons."
- 23 So Jesus called them over to him and began to speak to them in parables: "How can Satan drive out Satan?
- 24 If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand.
- **25** If a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand.
- 26 And if Satan opposes himself and is divided, he cannot stand; his end has come.
- 27 In fact, no one can enter a strong man's house without first tying him up. Then he can plunder the strong man's house.
- 28 Truly I tell you, people can be forgiven all their sins and every slander they utter,
- 29 but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never be forgiven; they are guilty of an eternal sin."
- 30 He said this because they were saying, "He has an impure spirit."
- 31 Then Jesus' mother and brothers arrived. Standing outside, they sent someone in to call him.
- 32 A crowd was sitting around him, and they told him, "Your mother and brothers are outside looking for you."
- 33 "Who are my mother and my brothers?" he asked.
- 34 Then he looked at those seated in a circle around him and said, "Here are my mother and my brothers!
- 35 Whoever does God's will is my brother and sister and mother."

Additional Readings Psalm 138 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1