

Sunday 15th June 2025
Trinity Sunday

Today's service

10:45 Holy Communion
 led by Sean O'Toole
 with Rev Alison supporting



Today's reading



John 1:19-34

A Thought from Sean

It's a special day today. The church celebrates the feast of Trinity which is perhaps the greatest mystery in Christianity.

Attempts to explain how God is one and yet exists in three persons - Father, Son and Holy Spirit - have usually been less than convincing. Part of the reason for this is that we explain something unknown by drawing an analogy with something known.

The big questions for each of us are - do we know Father God? Do we love the Lord Jesus Christ and accept Him as our Saviour? Are we filled to overflowing with the Holy Spirit?

Prayer for the week

Holy God,
 faithful and unchanging:
 enlarge our minds with the
 knowledge of your truth,
 and draw us more deeply into
 the mystery of your love,
 that we may truly worship you,
 Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever.
 Amen

Scam mail campaign

by Derbyshire County Council

(contributed by Gwen)

Postal scams are letters sent with the goal of obtaining consumers' money using deception or fraud. The SCAMnesty campaign aims to encourage everyone in Derbyshire and the UK to send in any unwanted scam and nuisance mail that they receive into the National Trading Standards (NTS) Scams Team completely free of charge.

Scam mail is mainly targeted at people aged over 65. Criminals make scam mail personal and address people by name to make it feel as if they have been specially selected to receive the mailing.

Scams to look out for:

- lottery or prize draw scams
- psychic scams
- health cure scams
- investment scams

If residents have family, friends or work with people aged 65-plus, we are asking them to chat with them about scams and take a look together at some examples on [Friends Against Scams](http://www.friendsagainstscams.org.uk).

Scam mail can be sent free of charge to:

NTSST

Freepost

Mail Marshals

That is the whole address and there is no need for a stamp.

The NTS scams team's investigators want to see any scam or nuisance mail people receive. They use the mail to great effect through their disruption techniques, but the team would like to see more and put a stop to these mailings landing on consumers' doorsteps.



CHURCH CALENDAR



Monday 16th June
11:00 Service at Netherhall
with Nigel and Sandra

Wednesday 18th June
7.30pm Alpha Course
in the church hall

Sunday 22nd June
10:45 Morning Worship
with Debbie Patrick

Sunday 29th June
10:00 Holy Communion
Joint Minster Service
at Emmanuel
with Rev Kara Gander
See notice below

Sunday 6th July
10:45 All-age Worship
with Rev Kara supporting

Sunday 13th July
10:45 Morning Worship
with Sean O'Toole

Minster Service

On June 29th at 10am we are all gathering at Emmanuel Church to give thanks for Rev Alison's long ministry.

At the back of the church is a sign-up sheet for bringing contributions to the shared lunch.

HELP

I am asking for volunteers to help prepare the hall at Emmanuel and to sort out refreshments after the service as part of our shared lunch.

So any volunteers able to help on the day please CONTACT ME :)
I'm asking each church to help.
Rev Mike - 07814 033183



Cleaning Rota

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| Jun 22 nd | Brian R | Main body, kitchen & N. Aisle |
| " " | Bill | Brasses |
| Jun 29 th | Christine | Main body, vestry & bell tower, sweeping porch |
| July 6 th | Deb & Nige | Whole church |
| July 13 th | Jeff | Main body |
| " " | Brian A | Sweeping porch |
| July 20 th | Friday HG | Whole church including brasses |

Reading, Intercessions and Refreshments Rota

| | Reading | Intercessions | Tea/coffee |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| June 15 th | Christine | Brian | Maxine & Jane |
| June 22 nd | John | Sean | Carol |
| June 29 th | MINSTER | SERVICE | |
| July 6 th | Sandra | Friday HG | Gwen |
| July 13 th | Paul | Nigel | Deb W |
| July 20 th | Brian | Christine | James |
| July 27 th | Jeff | Christine | James |

Meet & greet/ Tidying Church after the service Rota

| | Meet and greet | Tidying after service |
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| June 15 th | Christine G - Sean | Emily |
| June 22 nd | Christine T | Nathan |
| June 29 th | MINSTER | SERVICE |
| July 6 th | Christine G - Sean | Jeff |
| July 13 th | Christine T | Andrew |
| July 20 th | Carol J - Jeff | Emily |
| July 27 th | Christine G - Sean | Nathan |

A Tale of Two Rabbits

by Jane

Two baby wild rabbits moved into our garden recently – they were very cute but very destructive, eating young vegetables and flowers. We've now reinforced the existing sheep netting at the bottom of the hedge with finer



grade chicken wire.

It's amazing what a small gap a rabbit can squeeze through!



Do you have a story,

recipe, gardening tip, or testimony to share? We'd love to feature it in the newsletter.

Email your contributions to jane.horan52@gmail.com

Or have a word with me.

Thanks, Jane



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