

ALL SAINTS' PARISH CHURCH, BAKEWELL

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Welcome to our service this morning, we hope that you will join us for coffee in the Newark afterwards

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24th September – 15th Sunday after Trinity

Collect of the Day

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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.

Reading: Philippians 1. 21-30

²¹For to me, living is Christ and dying is gain. ²²If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labour for me; and I do not know which I prefer. ²³I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; ²⁴but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. ²⁵Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, ²⁶so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

²⁷Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, ²⁸and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. ²⁹For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well – ³⁰since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Gospel: Matthew 20. 1-16

Jesus said to his disciples: ¹'The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his vineyard. ²After agreeing with the labourers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. ³When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the market-place; ⁴and he said to them, "You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right." So they went. ⁵When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. ⁶And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, "Why are you standing here idle all day?" ⁷They said to him, "Because no one has hired us." He said to them, "You also go into the vineyard." ⁸When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, "Call the labourers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first." ⁹When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. ¹⁰Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. ¹¹And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, ¹²saying, "These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat." ¹³But he replied to one of them, "Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? ¹⁴Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. ¹⁵Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?" ¹⁶So the last will be first, and the first will be last.'

Post Communion Prayer

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy;
and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall,
keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful,
and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

For access to the **Emergency Prayer Chain** or to activate the **Pastoral Care Team**, please contact Judith or John Hargreaves (01629) 312165, or 07922-004-930

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Today	5.00pm	The Gathering – Cafe Church in the Newark Ron Abbott talks about his life serving in the kitchen: echoes of Brother Lawrence
	6.00pm	Evensong
Monday 25 th		<i>Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, Spiritual Writer, 1626</i> <i>Sergei of Radonezh, Russian Monastic Reformer, Teacher of the Faith, 1392</i>
Tuesday 26 th		<i>Wilson Carlile, Founder of the Church Army, 1942</i>
Wednesday 27 th		<i>Vincent de Paul, Founder of the Congregation of the Mission (Lazarists), 1660</i>
	10.15am	Womens Home Group meeting at Gritstone Cottage, North Church Street
	12 noon	"The church and the Almshouses – (please see below)
	2.00pm	Broken – film & discussion at Pat & Bill's house (please see below)
Thursday 28 th	9.30am	Eucharist
	10.30am	Coffee morning in the Newark in aid of MacMillan cancer support. (see below)
	7.30pm	Bell Practice
	7.30pm	Choir Practice
Friday 29 th		Michael and All Angels
	12 noon	'Thy Kingdom Come' monthly, midday prayers. Meet at the prayer stations in the chancel for half an hour
Saturday 30 th		<i>Jerome, Translator of the Scriptures, Teacher of the Faith, 420</i>
	11.00am	Organ Recital (please see below)
	7.00pm	Harvest Supper in the Newark (please see below)

Services in this benefice on Sunday 1st October, 16th Sunday after Trinity / Harvest Thanksgiving

8.00am	Holy Communion at All Saints, Bakewell
9.15am	Messy Church starting in the Newark followed by breakfast
9.45am	All-age service at Holy Trinity, Ashford in the Water
10.00am	Harvest Eucharist at St Anne's, Over Haddon
11.00am	Family service at St Katherine's Rowsley
11.00am	Harvest family Eucharist at All Saints, Bakewell
3.00pm	Harvest service at St Michael & All Angels, Sheldon
6.00pm	Harvest Festal Evensong at All Saints, Bakewell with an enlarged choir singing Rutter's anthem For the Beauty of the Earth

Dates for your diary

Wednesdays, 'Broken' showing the difficulties of coping in a parish in a deprived part of Liverpool. Film and discussion **2.0-3.30pm** at Pat and Bill's. Please let Pat know if you intend to go

Wednesday, 27th September at 12 noon, Mike Hillam will give an illustrated talk entitled " The Church and the Almshouses - 10 years on from the 2007 re opening ". The talk will be followed by a light lunch. £10 incl. lunch. Proceeds to the Friends of Bakewell Parish Church. Please sign up to the form at the back of church

Thursday, 28th September 10.30am-12noon. Coffee morning in the Newark in aid of **MacMillan cancer support**. Come along for a nibble and a natter and support this very worthwhile cause. Donations of **cakes** would be gratefully received

Saturday, 30th September at 11am. Organ recital by Neil Clarke. Music by Boellmann, JS Bach, Lefebure-Wely and others. Refreshments. Retiring collection in aid of the organ restoration fund. If you are able to give David Warrington a lift please speak to Dot.

Saturday, 30th September at 7pm 'bring and share 'HARVEST SUPPER. Please sign up to the list at the back of church to indicate if you can come and what you will bring. And please bring your own drinks

Please remember in your prayers:

The Community: For all who live or work locally and this week for those who live in Bakewell on Baslow Road, Brookfield Lane & Hassop Road

The Sick: Philip Brown, Bill Bryant, Mary Buchan, Roy Glencross, Jean Hardisty, Dorothy Hewitt, David Reeves, Eleanor Reeves, John Stamp, Cynthia Walker & David Warrington.

The Departed: