

**Sunday October 15th 2017 –
 – Creation-tide 7 -**



St Giles', Whittington

08.00 SAID EUCHARIST BCP 1662) *Fr. Jason*
 Exodus 32: 1-14 p90 Philippians 4: 1-9 p1180 Matthew 22: 1-14 p990
 09.30 PARISH EUCHARIST WITH BAPTISMS *Fr. Jason*
 Exodus 32: 1-14 p90 Philippians 4: 1-9 p1180 Matthew 22: 1-14 p990
 18.30 EVENING WORSHIP *Dr Trevor James*
 Proverbs 3: 1-18 p637 Mark 10: 17-31 p1014

St. Mary's, Weeford

11.30 PARISH EUCHARIST *Fr. Jason*
 Exodus 32: 1-14 p90 Philippians 4: 1-9 p1180 Matthew 22: 1-14 p990
 13.15 BAPTISM OF ANNABELLE, MARK & ANDREW DAVIES *Fr. Jason*

St. Bartholomew's, Hints

NO SERVICE (Please attend St Giles' or St Mary's)

October 15th – October 21st 2017

Sunday	14.30	Bridge with Friends	Thomas Spencer Church Hall
Monday	19.30	Community Choir	
Tuesday	09.30-16.00	'St Mark & your Spirit' Retreat Day – Church & Hall	
Wednesday	09.30	Weekday Eucharist (in honour of St Luke)	Fr. Jason
	10.30	Sunbeams	
	12.30	Funeral of Agnes Kilcoyne at St Giles'	Fr. Jason
	19.30	Bell Ringing Practice	
Thursday	10.30	Coffee Stop	Thomas Spencer Church Hall
	14.00	Whist for Pleasure	Thomas Spencer Church Hall
Saturday	14.00	Memorial Service for David Underhill	Fr. Jason
	19.00	'St Mark's Gospel' performance in St Giles' Church	

Season of Remembrance 2017

Sunday 22nd October 18.30 – Memorial Service at St Giles'
 Tuesday 24th October 19.00 – Remembering the Children at St Giles'
 Wednesday 25th October 19.00 Memorial Service at St Mary's
 Tuesday 31st October 20.30 Vigil for Persecuted Christians and Jews at St Giles'
**Saturday 11th November 10.45 Act of Remembrance
 at Whittington War Memorial**
 Sunday 12th November Remembrance Sunday Services
 10.00 St Giles' – 10.00 St Bart's – 11.30 St Mary's

Visit our website: www.ourvillagechurch.org.uk



Next Sunday October 22nd 2017: Creation-tide 8

Have you invited and brought someone to church this week?

St Giles'

08.00 Said Eucharist (BCP 1662) *Fr. Jason*
 09.30 Parish Eucharist *Fr. Jason*
 18.30 Memorial Service *Revd Bill Moore & Anne Colgrave*

St Mary's

11.30 Parish Eucharist *Fr. Jason*
 13.00 Baptism of Jenson McDonnell *Fr. Jason*

St Bart's

18.30 Evening Worship *Fr. Jason*

DEVELOP YOUR FAITH BY JOINING IN WIDER CHURCH EVENTS

1 Food Bank Special needs are: tinned meat, tinned fruit, tinned soup. We would be grateful for any tinned, packet or long-life foods except tea bags, tinned beans and dry pasta. Thank you for your contributions, which are greatly appreciated.

2 Sunbeams Occasional helpers are needed to make tea and coffee at Sunbeams, every other Wednesday morning in term-time, approx. 10.30 – 11.30 am in the Church Hall. If you are willing to join this happy band, do get in touch with Megan on 01543 432605.

3 Knitters Needed for a new outreach project being held in Christ Church, Hollington Road, Tean. During October knitting for refugee children from birth – 5 years old now living in Stoke-on-Trent. Yarn, needles, patterns and refreshments provided free of charge. All Fridays in October 1.30-4.00 pm. Contact Carol Riley: 01889 507306.

4 Pathway (the UK's leading homeless healthcare charity) collection taken at Hints Harvest Festival raised £78.31, with grateful thanks.

5 Mercian Regiment request items for their Appeal for serving Armed Forces. Please label clearly and leave in church or at vicarage: Items include paracetamol, Imodium, razors, lip salve, plasters, Rennie's, mints, Pringles, roll-on deodorant, cards with messages of support.

6 Accidental Harmonies Thursday 26th October at 2.00 pm Concert in the Village Hall, including afternoon tea. Email: susan_bowring@hotmail.com.

7 Iona Services These will be held on 5th November at 6.00 pm at The Methodist Church and 3rd December at 6.30 pm at St Chad's Church.

8 DMS Whittington Open Evening Wednesday 25th October at 6.45 for 7.00 pm start. Please contact Lynne Mills, Parish Administrator, to book a place. Last chance this year!

9 Flicks in the Sticks Friday 27th October 7.30 pm at St Giles'. This month "Baby's Day Out" starring Joe Paneoliano & Lara Flynn Boyle. Free to view, free popcorn and free drinks!!!

In love and faith let us pray for the needs of the world...

Pentecost 19 / Trinity 18; Teresa of Avila, Teacher of the Faith, 1582

Global: Swaziland - (Southern Africa) The Rt Revd Ellinah Ntombi Wamukoya.

Countries: Spain, USA, India, Dominica, Canada, Cuba, Liechtenstein, Tuvalu, Israel.

Companion Link: Matlosane - for Bishop Steve in his new role of Provincial Dean, for those at Grahamstown theological college and the growth and development of lay training within the Diocese, for those considering coming from the Diocese as St Chads Volunteers.

Local: For growth in understanding and co-operation with other faiths; Diocesan Interfaith Staff: for Revds David Primrose, Allan Townsend and Ray Gaston. Give thanks for the work of Near Neighbours <http://bit.ly/2c50BPM>; for Ruth Burgess as she coordinates this in the work within the Black Country Hub.

Ecumenical: For the work of the ecumenical officers and the growing unity of the churches. For Chris Densham, Ecumenical Mission Enabler for Shropshire; and Robert Mountford, Ecumenical Mission Officer for Staffordshire/ Black Country.

Today: Freedom Sunday - <http://bit.ly/2y24VIS>

Prayer Cycle: Week 3. The Parish of Whittington (Population c.3,400):

South Sector: Main Street, The Green, Langton Crescent, Fisherwick Road Babbington Close, Beechwood, Cloister Walk, Vicarage Lane, Common Lane.

*For those that are needing
prayer for body, mind or
spirit:*

Mark Hibbert

The Deceased:

Barbara Morley, Silvia
Jackson and Agnes
Kilcoyne

**Congratulations to Tricia and Norman
Marrett on the occasion of their Golden
Wedding anniversary.**

Lord God we thank you today for Tricia and Norman and for leading them to each other in friendship and love, commitment and trust, and for blessing them with 50 years of their marriage. We pray that you continue to pour upon them the riches of your grace. Amen.

Christmas Day Together – you don't have to be alone on Christmas Day!

Festive lunch and light entertainment for Lichfield Residents.

If you would like an invitation contact Maria Pavey on 07505 129830 or email paveyfamily@googlemail.com



The Anglican Parishes of Whittington, Weeford and Hints

*The Lord has told you what is good and what the Lord requires of you;
to do justice and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God*

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**We are inclusive Anglican churches where you are always welcome
May God's blessing be upon you**

Church Contacts: Parish Priest and Vicar: The Revd Dr Jason Phillips

Weddings, Baptisms, Spiritual and Personal concerns, Starting Church, Spiritual Direction, Pastoral and to pray for you.

Contact Father Jason: revdjason@fastmail.co.uk (01543) 432728

Parish Administrator: Lynne Mills 07721 767963 for church matters and if Fr Jason is not available. Contact Lynne: lynnewwh@outlook.com
Lynne's office hours: most Thursdays 10.00 – 15.00 telephone first to check.

You are invited to free refreshments at the end of the St Giles' 9.30 service.

Larger print hymn books and service sheets available on request.

Gluten-free communion wafers: please advise the welcome person by the door.



Pages for Bible lessons are on board at front of church or on this sheet. Bookmarks are inside Bibles at the end of the pews so you can prepare in readiness for the service if you wish to follow as lessons are read. Pages will not ordinarily be announced.

Toilet facilities – in the vestry room at the back of church/porch area.

A voluntary contribution is requested during 3rd Hymn to support the church.

Collects are set prayers prayed by the priest/ leader on behalf of everyone

COLLECT (BCP 1662) Trinity 18 Lord, we beseech thee, grant thy people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow thee the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

COLLECT (CW) Trinity 18 God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord.