

The Churches of St Bartholomew & St Chad Thurstaston and Irby



Welcome to Church today, we hope that you enjoy the service,
and gain a sense of God's presence with us.

Sunday 21st July 2013 - Trinity 8

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Morning Worship	St Chad's
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
6.30pm	Holy Communion	St Bart's

Next Weeks Services

10.15am	Holy Communion	St Chad's
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Sunday 28th July - Trinity 9

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Family Communion	St Chad's
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
3.00pm	Baptism	St Bart's
6.30pm	Evening Worship	St Bart's

Junior Church at St Chad's
Children from age 2½ can attend.
There are activity bags available for
children under the age of 2½.
In case you feel the need to remove your
child from the service, please note that
there is also a box of toys and cushions in
the foyer

Would you like to receive this
notice sheet every week
direct to your e-mail in-box?
If so, please send an e-mail
request to the parish office

Notices and announcements!!!

Summer Closure for maintenance

St Chad's will be closed from Monday 26th August to Saturday 31st August for maintenance. Please sign the sheet at the back of church if you are able to help with any jobs.

The Parish Magazine (Crosstalk) for July/August is available at the back of church, 40p. If you live in the parish and would like to have the magazine delivered then please speak to Chris Rostock on 648 8169.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday 3rd August 8.45-9.45am at Aroma Café, Irby.

St Beartholomew's Day

Saturday 24th August. Parachute jump for Teddies, 2pm at St Bartholomew's Church. Applaud your bear's bravery as it jumps from the top of the church tower! Refreshments available. Various stalls.

Photo Competition

Please note that the size of photographs should read **7x5 inches** not centimetres. All entries must be in by Friday 30th August 2013. Entry forms available at the back of church or on the parish web-site.

Dawpool C of E Pre-School

If you have a pre-school age child due to start pre-school in September, places are still available, but filling up fast, so please hurry. Contact Carol Marwing, Manager on 07790311340.

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Gospel Readings: (Luke 10:38-42)

All :Glory to you, O Lord

38Now as Jesus and his disciples went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home.

39She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying.

40But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to Jesus and asked, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me.' 41But the Lord answered her, 'Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; 42there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.'

All: Praise to you, O Christ

Collect

Lord God,
your Son left the riches of heaven
and became poor for our sake:
when we prosper save us from pride,
when we are needy save us from despair,
that we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Strengthen for service, Lord,
the hands that have taken holy things;
may the ears which have heard your word
be deaf to clamour and dispute;
may the tongues which have sung your praise
be free from deceit;
may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your
love
shine with the light of hope;
and may the bodies which have been fed with your
body
be refreshed with the fullness of your life;
glory to you for ever.

Amen

Readings for Today

Gen 18:1-10a
Col 1:15-28
Luke 10:38-42

Readings for 28th July

Gen 18:20-32
Col 2 :6-15
Luke 11:1-13

FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For the World: Please pray for an end to all the conflict around the World.

For the parish: Please pray for Daniel Fulton & Alice Ridge to be married at St Bartholomew's on Friday. Please pray for Peter Eyres & Claire White to be married at St Bartholomew's on Saturday. Please pray for Amy Parker & Henry Slade to be baptised at St Bartholomew's on Sunday at 3pm.

For the sick: Please pray for those in hospital.

For the bereaved: Please pray for the family & friends of Dave Mitchell. Funeral 12noon, Wed 24th at St Bartholomew's.

From the Anglican Prayer Cycle:

Bishop Charles Bennison, Pennsylvania (III, The Episcopal Church, USA)

From the Diocesan Prayer Cycle:

Pray for those made deacon today, for their families, their friends and those among whom they will serve.