

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 29th September 2013 - Trinity 18

Back to Church Sunday

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

Next Weeks Services

10.15am	Holy Communion	St Chad's
Sunday 6th October - Trinity 19 HARVEST		
8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Family Communion	St Chad's
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
6.30pm	Holy Communion	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!!!

Harvest Please bring a non-perishable gift for Wirral Food Bank from the following list:

Milk (UHT or powdered), Sugar, Fruit Juice (carton), Soup (Tinned or packet), Pasta Sauces, Sponge Pudding (Tinned), Tomatoes (Tinned), Cereals/jam, Rice/Semolina Pudding (Tinned), Tea Bags/inst coffee, Instant Mash Potato, Rice/Pasta, Tinned Meat/Fish/Veggies Tinned Fruit/Spaghetti/Beans, Biscuits/snack bars, Toiletries/toothpaste, or a cash donation for the **Christian Aid Syria Appeal**.

Thurstaston & Irby Calendar You can order your Calendar using the form at the back of church or by downloading the form from the bottom of the front page of the parish website www.thurstaston.org.uk

Many thanks to everyone who supported the M.U. coffee morning on Saturday 21st September. We raised £219.91 for funds. Next meeting at St Chad's on 3rd October at 2.15pm. The speaker is Rev. Robert Nelson, whose subject is the history of the Ark. All welcome.

Men's Breakfast Saturday 5th October 8.45am-9.45am at Aroma Café, Irby.

EMU 'Fairtrade' Wednesday 9th October, 8pm at St Chad's. All Welcome.

The Children's Society Coffee Morning Saturday 12th October 10.00am-12Noon. Box holders please return house boxes. Bring & Buy table. Contacts: Jean 648 6015 Barbara 648 3523 Elaine 648 1721

PCC Meeting The PCC will meet on Monday 14th October, 7.30pm at St Chad's. If you have any items of concern or questions about the life of the church, that you would like the PCC to consider, please speak to Revd Jane or any member of the PCC.

New Weekly Giving Envelopes are available in both churches. It is helpful to the church to receive weekly donations, so anyone interested in joining the envelope scheme, please contact me either in church or on 625 0089 or at sjturn@liv.ac.uk. For those who are UK taxpayers the church can get a 25% increase in the value of donations if they complete a gift aid form and also to save finding cash each week, donations can be made by standing order. These forms are available from me and I am happy to answer any questions. Chris Turnbull.

Wed 13th Nov 1.30pm: Dawpool Open Afternoon for new F2 pupils September 2014. We invite any visitors to our school to have a look at us in action during the normal school day. Y6 pupils will act as Tour Guides for the hour session

The Parish Magazine (Crosstalk) for October 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.

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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REVD JANE TURNER 648 1816 (Day off Tuesday) E-Mail: rector@thurstaston.org.uk

Gospel Readings: (Luke 16:19-31)

All :Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus told this parable to those among the Pharisees who loved money: 19‘There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. 20And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, 21who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. 22The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. 23In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. 24He called out, “Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.” 25But Abraham said, “Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. 26Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.” 27The man who had been rich said, “Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house - 28for I have five brothers - that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.” 29Abraham replied, “They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.” 30He said, “No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.” 31Abraham said to him, “If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.””

All: Praise to you, O Christ

Collect

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.

Amen

Post Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast:
for here we receive you,
here the memory of your passion is renewed,
here our minds are filled with grace,
and here a pledge of future glory is given,
when we shall feast at that table where you reign
with all your saints for ever.

Amen

Readings for Today

Amos 6:1a,4-7
1 Tim 6:6-19
Luke 16:19-31

Readings for 6th October

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FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For the World: Please pray for the people of Nairobi after the terrorist attack at Westgate Shopping Mall.

For the parish: Please pray for Mark Cunningham and Charlotte Lasley & Mark Dawson and Samantha Upton having their banns read at St Bartholomew's next week.

For the sick: Please pray for Duncan Wardle. Please continue to pray for Mike Hebden and Betty Beacall. Please pray for those in hospital.

From the Anglican Prayer Cycle:
Bishop Neff Powell, Southwestern Virginia (III, The Episcopal Church, USA)

From the Diocesan Prayer Cycle:
Pray for all those who are affected by mental health difficulties and for those who work with them and pray for a world in which mental health is a priority for everyone.