

Chesterfield Parish Church
Saint Mary & All Saints

The Wind

blows where it chooses:
you don't know where it is
coming from, nor where it is
going.

So Jesus describes the life of
God in the Spirit. We can't
know everything about the
past, and we certainly can't
predict everything about
the future. What we can do
is trust in the One who is
there both in the past and
the future, and allow
ourselves to blow where
God is taking us.

***Human understanding is so
very limited. It is in God
that all will one day
become clear.***



Trinity Sunday (30th May 2021)

- 08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
- 09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's)
- 10.30 Choral Mass
- 18.30 Choral Evensong

ALSO THIS WEEK:

Monday 31st May

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Tuesday 1st June

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday 2nd June

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday 3rd June - Corpus Christi

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 16.00 Evening Prayer
- 19.30 Choral Mass & Procession

Friday 4th June

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 12.15 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

Saturday 5th June

- 09.00 Morning Prayer
- 09.30 Mass
- 16.00 Evening Prayer

***Mass on Wednesdays and Sundays is
live-streamed on Facebook, and also
uploaded to the
Crooked Spire YouTube channel.***

TRINITY SUNDAY - CHORAL MASS

Collect Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the Unity: keep us steadfast in this faith, that we may evermore be defended from all adversities; 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. **Amen**

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah

Isaiah 6.1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

‘Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory.’

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: ‘Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!’ Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: ‘Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.’ Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?’ And I said, ‘Here am I; send me.’

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint John

Glory to you, O Lord

John 3.1-17

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, ‘Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.’ Jesus answered him, ‘Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.’

Nicodemus said to him, ‘How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother’s womb and be born?’ Jesus answered, ‘Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, “You must be born from above.” The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.’ Nicodemus said to him, ‘How can these things be?’ Jesus answered him, ‘Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

‘Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

‘For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

‘Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ**

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

CHORAL EVENSONG

- Psalm(s): 104.1-10
- First Lesson: Ezekiel 1.4-10, 22-28a
- Second Lesson: Revelation 4

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 30th May - Trinity Sunday

- ♦ St Peter, Calow; St Mary, Sutton-cum-Duckmanton
- ♦ The Anglican Church of Mexico

Monday 31st May - Visit of Mary to Elizabeth

- ♦ St John the Baptist, Dronfield
- ♦ Canberra & Goulburn -
The Anglican Church of Australia
- ✦ Harold Locke; Millicent Roberts

Tuesday 1st June - Justin Martyr

- ♦ Derby City Deanery
- ♦ Canterbury - The Church of England
- ✦ Walter Frederick Mather; Theo Singh-Eyley

Wednesday 2nd June

- ♦ Children and young people in our Diocese
- ♦ Cape Coast - Province of West Africa
- ✦ Joyce Mary Lowe; George William Wilson

Thursday 3rd June - Corpus Christi;

The Martyrs of Uganda

- ♦ St Edmund, Allestree
- ♦ Cape Town - Anglican Church of Southern Africa
- ✦ Arthur Davidson

Friday 4th June - Petroc

- ♦ St Michael & All Angels, Alvaston
- ♦ North Eastern Caribbean & Aruba -
The Church in the Province of the West Indies
- ✦ Joyce Grant

Saturday 5th June - Boniface

- ♦ St Mary, Boulton
- ♦ Carlisle - The Church of England
- ✦ Kathleen Mary Wilson; Nellie Flaxman;
George Henry Sedgwick

- ♦ Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ♦ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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Our prayers have been asked for:

John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Joan Lidgate;
Teddy; June Frankland; John Herring; Michael
Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean
Madin; Jane Jackson; David Staves; Laura; Robin
Glasson; Kenneth Hughes; Jane Stretton; Paul
Taylor; Margaret; Ray Hearn; Tom Pierce;
members of the Wolf-Kidd family; Valerie Alice
Seeney; Daisy Wallis; Christopher Browne; Sandra
Jones; Tony Ragan; Richard Harrison; Baby Thea;
Liz Parker; Julie Weeks

✦ Robert Marriott, RIP

Lunchtime Recitals

Recitals will continue on Thursday 17th June, with
an organ recital from Eric Singleton. 12.15pm -
1.00pm. Entry is free, with a retiring collection for
the music fund.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting - 2021

This year's Vestry Meeting & APCM will take place
at 7.30pm on Tuesday 8th June in the Parish
Church. Nomination forms are available from the
Gift Shop, or online, on request, from:
contact@crookedspire.org.

Electoral Roll

Not yet on the Electoral Roll? Forms are available
from the Sacristy, the Gift Shop or Jackie Turner.

Roofing & Lighting Work

The roofing work is now at last complete. The
lighting needs a few more visits for fine-tuning and
repair of water damage, and a commissioning visit
on 10th June. There will be an act of Thanksgiving
and Dedication on Sunday 4th July at the 10.30
Mass.

Next Sunday - 6th June - Trinity I

08.30 Holy Communion (BCP)

09.30 Mass (St Leonard's, Spital)

10.30 Choral Mass

Readings: 1 Samuel 8.4-11, 16-20
Mark 3.20-end

18.30 Choral Evensong

Readings: Psalm(s) 32 - 34
Jeremiah 6.16-21
Romans 9.1-13

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