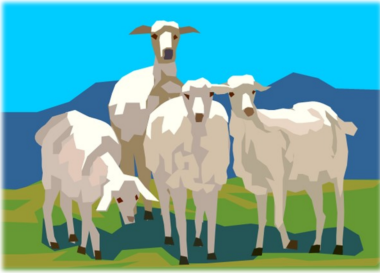


## Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

### Compassion

Who could blame Jesus for wanting a bit of peace and quiet? Yet when he saw the crowds he had compassion on them and began to teach them, and later he fed them too.



Note that he **did** something. He could have said 'I feel sorry for these people—let's go and pray for them' but he didn't. Instead he gave them food for their body, minds and spirits.

**IT'S NO GOOD JUST FEELING SORRY FOR THOSE IN NEED. CHRISTIANS SHOULD CERTAINLY UNDERGIRD THEIR ACTIONS WITH PRAYER, BUT NEVER LET THE PRAYER BE AN EXCUSE NOT TO ACT.**

**Please respect those who wish to prepare for Mass in quiet prayer; also those who wish to listen to the closing Organ Voluntary.**

## TRINITY VIII (21st July 2024)

08.30 Holy Communion (1662)

10.30 Sung Mass

18.30 Evensong with Hymns

### THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

#### MONDAY-SATURDAY

**MORNING PRAYER** 09.00

**EVENING PRAYER** 16.00 (Thursday 17.00)

**MONDAY** Mass 12.15

**TUESDAY** Mass 09.30

**WEDNESDAY** Holy Communion (1662) 09.30

**THURSDAY** Mass 17.30

**FRIDAY** Mass 12.15

**SATURDAY** Mass 09.30

**NEXT SUNDAY** See back page

*The church is open for private prayer and visiting Monday-Saturday 09.00 - 16.00*

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

#### Thursday 25th July

Lunchtime Concert 12.15

#### Friday 26th July

Tower Tour 14.30

#### Saturday 27th July

'Play the Organ' Experience 12noon - 4pm

Tower Tour 14.30

*Full details of events may be found at [crookedspire.org](http://crookedspire.org), on the notices displayed in church, or from the organisers.*

*Tickets for Tower Tours are available from the church Gift Shop in the week prior to the tour taking place.*

## **TRINITY VIII**

### **SUNG MASS**

Processional Hymn: 494  
Setting: Rawsthorne

#### **Collect Prayer**

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, 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 Letter of Paul to the Ephesians**

##### **Ephesians 2.11-end**

So then, remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called 'the uncircumcision' by those who are called 'the circumcision' - a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands - remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling -place for God.

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

Gradual Hymn: 371

**Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark**

**Glory to you, O Lord**

**Mark 6.30-34, 53-end**

The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, ‘Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.’ For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they hurried there on foot from all the towns and arrived ahead of them. As he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored the boat. When they got out of the boat, people at once recognized him, and rushed about that whole region and began to bring the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went, into villages or cities or farms, they laid the sick in the market-places, and begged him that they might touch even the fringe of his cloak; and all who touched it were healed.

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

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 324

Post-Communion Hymn: 480 (t.257)

Voluntary: *Litanies* (Jehan Alain)

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**EVENSONG WITH HYMNS**

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm(s): 73

First Lesson: Job 13.13-14.6

Office Hymn: 240

Canticles: Plainsong

Second Lesson: Hebrews 2.5-end

Hymn: 152

Voluntary: *Fantasia Chromatica*

(Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck)

## Prayer Intentions This Week:

### Today 21st July - Trinity VIII

- For guidance, strength and grace to follow in Jesus's steps all the days of our life
- ◇ The Anglican Episcopal Church in Japan
- ✦ *John Dobbs*

### Monday 22nd July - Mary Magdalene

- Benefice of Holy Cross Morton, St Peter Stonebroom & St Leonard Shirland
- ◇ Harare - The Church of Central Africa
- ✦ *Olive Chegwin*

### Tuesday 23rd July - Bridget of Sweden

- Benefice of St George New Mills
- ◇ Hawaii - The Episcopal Church
- ✦ *Edmund Oldfield*

### Wednesday 24th July

- Benefice of St Barnabas New Whittington
- ◇ Hereford - The Church of England
- ✦ *Bernard John, priest*

### Thursday 25th July - James the Apostle

- Benefice of Chesterfield Holy Trinity and Christ Church
- ◇ Southern Highlands - Anglican Church of Tanzania
- ✦ *Thomas Stockton; Ennis Sharratt; Ethel Gratton*

### Friday 26th July - Anne and Joachim

- The Opening of the Olympics in Paris
- ◇ Highveld - The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

### Saturday 27th July - Brooke Foss Westcott

- Benefice of St John Newhall
- ◇ Eastern Himalayas - Church of North India (United)
- ✦ *Harry Poole; Eleanor Brown*

- Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

- ◇ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ✦ Year's Mind

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**Parish Reader:** John Gascoyne

**Churchwardens:** John Hague  
Colin McKenna

**Organist & Choirmaster:**  
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## Our prayers have been asked for:

Andrea Sutcliffe; John Robinson; Jean Madin;  
Valerie Alice Seeney; Colin Hutson; Jean Morris;  
Wendy Layton; Ambrose Mason; Paul Bates; John  
Lockwood; Tony Ragan; Sue Hastings; Jane Bushe;  
Fiona Solberg; Barbara Carter; Jack; Violet  
McGhie; David Pedrick; Joseph Watson; Roxanne;  
Richard Bland; Imelda Davies; Ralph Turner; John  
Nickols; Pat; Terry; Becky; Pat; Les and Lynn  
Metcalf; Gill Kirk

On behalf of all members of the congregation, the churchwardens would like to offer thanks to Fr Patrick for his ten years of service to this church, and prayers for his continued ministry among us.

## Lunchtime Recitals

The next recital is on Thursday 25th July at 12.15pm with David Price at the organ. Entry is free, with a retiring collection for the music fund.

## 'Play the Organ' Experience

Demonstrations and a free opportunity to have a go at playing the organ. Saturday 27th July, 12 noon until 4pm. No experience needed!

## Choir Pie & Quiz Night

Friday 6th September. Tickets £10 adults/£5 children. Available from the Gift Shop, or RSVP to choir@crookedspire.org

## Christmas Tree Festival 2024

This year's Festival runs from Saturday 16th November until Sunday 1st December. The rota for volunteer stewards is now available at the back of church. Please sign up!

## Next Sunday - 28th July - Trinity IX

- 08.30 Holy Communion (1662)
- 09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's, Spital)
- 10.30 Sung Mass  
Readings: Ephesians 3.14-end  
John 6.1-21
- 18.30 Evensong with Hymns  
Readings: Psalm(s) 74  
Job 19.1-27a  
Hebrews 8

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