Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

ou Have Stood By Me In My

Jesus is grateful to his disciples for sticking with him through thick and thin.



Yet it is still clear that rewards are not on the agenda.

To be a follower of Jesus is to act straightforwardly out of love: to follow out of love; and if necessary to suffer out of love.

There is nothing on offer for the Christian beyond the love of God.

Some would say that's enough—I hope it really is! Because there ain't nothing more, and there ain't nothing better!

Bartholomew the Apostle (24th August 2025)

08.30 Holy Communion (1662)

09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's)

10.30 Sung Mass

18.30 Sung Compline

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 28th August

Lunchtime Concert 12.15

Friday 29th August

Tower Tour 14.30

Saturday 30th August

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Full details of events may be found at 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.

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

BARTHOLOMEW THE APOSTLE SUNG MASS

Processional Hymn: 470 (t.522i)

Setting: Grayston Ives

Collect Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, who gave to your apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach your word: grant that your Church may love that word which he believed and may faithfully preach and receive the same; 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 Book of the Prophet Isaiah Isaiah 43.8-13

Bring forth the people who are blind, yet have eyes, who are deaf, yet have ears! Let all the nations gather together, and let the peoples assemble. Who among them declared this, and foretold to us the former things? Let them bring their witnesses to justify them, and let them hear and say, 'It is true.'

You are my witnesses, says the Lord, and my servant whom I have chosen, so that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he. Before me no god was formed, nor shall there be any after me. I, I am the Lord, and besides me there is no saviour. I declared and saved and proclaimed, when there was no strange god among you; and you are my witnesses, says the Lord. I am God, and also henceforth I am He; there is no one who can deliver from my hand; I work and who can hinder it?

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

Gradual Hymn: 433

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Luke Glory to you, O Lord Luke 22.24-30

A dispute arose among the disciples as to which one of them was to be regarded as the greatest. But Jesus said to them, 'The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those in authority over them are called benefactors. But not so with you; rather the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

You are those who have stood by me in my trials; and I confer on you, just as my Father has conferred on me, a kingdom, so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.'

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

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 511

Post-Communion Hymn: 478

Voluntary: Carillon (William Mathias)

SUNG COMPLINE

Separate Order of Service

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 24th August - Bartholomew the Apostle

- For the holiday weekend, festivals & events, and the opportunity to celebrate community life
- ♦ Church of the Province of South East Asia
- 🕈 Ronald Costigan; Ursula Hamilton; Marian Tagg

Monday 25th August

- Parish of All Saints, Wingerworth
- ♦ Ogbomoso The Church of Nigeria
- ♦ Stanley Leech; Michael Baker

Tuesday 26th August

- Parish of Saints Augustine, Chesterfield
- ♦ Ogoni The Church of Nigeria
- ♦ Wilfred Robinson; Robin Charles, priest;

Susan Barber

Wednesday 27th August - Monica

- Parishes of St Barnabas, New Whittington and St Bartholomew, Old Whittington
- $\Diamond\,$ Ogorimagongo The Church of Nigeria
- William Pick; Sheila Heritage; Helen Hathaway; Ewart Roberts, priest;

Thursday 28th August - Augustine

- Parish of St John, Newbold with Dunston
- ♦ Ohaji/Egbema The Church of Nigeria
- ♦ Victor Price; Joseph Wall; Margaret Serjeant;

Dora Pickup

Friday 29th August - Beheading of John the Baptist

- Parish of St John, Walton & St Peter, Holymoorside
- $\Diamond\,$ Ohio The Episcopal Church
- ♦ Peggy Leech

Saturday 30th August - John Bunyan

- Parish of St Michael & All Angels, Brimington
- ♦ Southern Ohio The Episcopal Church
- ♦ Joyce Newman
- · Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ♦ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- + Year's Mind

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Steven Tricklebank

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Colin McKenna

Organist & Choirmaster:

Peter Shepherd choir@crookedspire.org

Our prayers have been asked for:

John Robinson; Jean Madin; Colin Hutson; Jean Morris; Wendy Layton; Ambrose Mason; Paul Bates; Tony Ragan; Sue Hastings; Barbara Carter; Joseph Watson; Imelda Davies; Ralph Turner; John Nickols; Terry; Les & Lynn Metcalfe; Jackie Turner; Shirley Francis; Olivia, Sebastian & baby Ophelia; Cathy; June Robinson; Rosemary Cain; Joan Melbourne; Trevor Crane; Dorothy; Margaret Seddon; Greta; Joshua Wilson; Anthony Duce; Lisa; Nina Woolhouse

- Pavid Pedrick, RIP
- ♦ Felicity Stephens, RIP
- ♦ Joan Bannerman, RIP

Well Dressing 2025

The Well Dressing will be on display for the rest of the week. This year's theme is 'The 1700th Anniversary of the First Nicene Council'.

Lunchtime Recitals

The next lunchtime recital is on Thursday 28th August at 12.15pm with David Butterworth at the organ. Entry is free, with a retiring collection for the music fund.

The German Organ Mass

Peter Shepherd and the Church Choir present Bach's complete Clavierübung III with chorales on Saturday 4th October, 6-8.30pm. Entry is free with a retiring collection for the music fund.

Christmas Tree Festival 2025

This year's Festival runs from Saturday 15th November until Sunday 30th November. The rota for volunteer stewards is now available at the back of church. Please sign up!

Next Sunday - 31st August - Trinity XI

08.30 Holy Communion (1662)

10.30 Sung Mass

Readings: Jeremiah 2.4-13 Luke 14.1. 7-14

18.30 Sung Compline

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