

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 6th September - Trinity XIV

- For those who we prayed for as part of 'Thy Kingdom Come'
- ♦ The Episcopal/Anglican Province of Alexandria
- ♦ John Sharratt

Monday 7th September

- For all children and staff at the beginning of the new school year
- ♦ Bermuda - Extra Provincial

Tuesday 8th September - Accession of King Charles

- Parish of St Mary Boulton
- ♦ Bethlehem - The Episcopal Church
- ♦ James Jackson; Kathleen Insley; Margaret Nickols

Wednesday 9th September - Charles Fuge Lowder

- Parish of All Saints Breadsall, Morley and Smalley
- ♦ Bhopal - The Church of North India (United)

Thursday 10th September

- Parish of St Werburgh Spondon
- ♦ Bida - The Church of Nigeria
- ♦ Valerie Seeney

Friday 11th September

- Parish of St Mary Chaddesden
- ♦ Biharamulo - The Anglican Church of Tanzania

Saturday 12th September

- The spiritual accompaniment taster and refresher day at St Helen Darley Dale
- The Diocesan Lay Conference taking place today
- ♦ Birmingham - The Church of England
- ♦ Evelyn Hallam

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

Vicar: The parish is in vacancy

Clergy Team: Revd Iain Faulkner; Revd John Pinder-Packard; Revd Steven Tricklebank

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Our prayers have been asked for:

Tony Ragan; Ralph Turner; John Nickols; Cathy; Joan Melbourne; Trevor Crane; Elise Wilson; Joshua Wilson; Anthony Duce; Rose Evans; Judith Butler; Gwen Hallam; Philip Webb; Adrian Bradley; Ian Brunton; John Smith

Harvest Flower Pedestals

Harvest pedestal arrangements are again available for sponsorship of £40. Email Alison at: weddings@crookedspire.org

Christmas Tree Festival 2026

Saturday 14th - Sunday 29th November. The volunteer stewarding rota is now available at the back of church. Please sign up!

Lunchtime Recitals

The next recital is at 12.15pm on Thursday 10th September with Ian Brackenbury (Organ). Free entry with retiring collection.

New Life Church BBQ - 12 noon - 3.00pm

Saturday 19th September. An afternoon of free food, friendship and music in the churchyard.

Fever presents Candlelight® Concerts:

Saturday 26th September
6.30pm - The Best of Hans Zimmer
8.30pm - Ed Sheeran Meets Coldplay
FFI and tickets visit: feverup.com

Other dates for your diary (details to follow):

Rose Choir

Saturday 3rd October

Adam Holmes Concert

Friday 6th November

Next Sunday - 13th September - Trinity XV

09.30 Morning Prayer (St Leonard's, Spital)

10.30 Choral Mass
Readings: Romans 14.1-12
Matthew 18.21-35

18.30 Choral Evensong
Readings: Psalm(s) 66
Isaiah 52.13-53-end
Ephesians 2.11-end

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Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints



Prayer of St Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love,

Where there is injury, pardon;

Where there is doubt, faith;

Where there is despair, hope;

Where there is darkness, light;

And where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,

Grant that I may not so much seek

To be consoled as to console,

To be understood as to understand,

To be loved, as to love.

St Francis of Assisi, c. 1181 - 1226

Founder of the Franciscan Order

Subject of our 2026 Well Dressing

Please note that, during the vacancy, all Services are subject to the availability of visiting clergy.



Please respect those who wish to prepare for Mass in quiet prayer; also those who wish to listen to the closing Organ Voluntary. Refreshments are offered in the Parish Centre after Sunday Mass.

TRINITY XIV (6th September 2026)

10.30 Choral Mass

18.30 Choral Evensong

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

(*Subject to Clergy Availability*)

Monday Mass 12.15

Tuesday Mass 09.30

Wednesday Holy Communion (1662) 09.30

Thursday Mass 17.30

Friday Mass 12.15

Saturday *Suspended during the vacancy*

Next Sunday *See back page*

Morning and Evening Prayer Services are suspended during the vacancy

The church is open for private prayer and for viewing Monday-Saturday 10.00 - 16.00

Please note that Sundays are reserved for Services only (all welcome)

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Thursday 10th September

Lunchtime Recital 12.15

Friday 11th September

Tower Tour 14.30

Saturday 12th September

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Full details of events can be found at crookedspire.org, on the notices displayed in church, or from the organisers.

TRINITY XIV
CHORAL MASS

Processional Hymn: 567

Setting: Harris in F

Collect Prayer

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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 Letter of Paul to the Romans Rom 13.8-end

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, 'You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet'; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

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

Gradual Hymn: 461 (*t.i*)

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint Matthew
Glory to you, O Lord Matthew 18.15-20

Jesus said to the disciples, 'If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax-collector.'

'Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.'

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

Homily, Creed, Intercessions & Peace

Offertory Hymn: 141

Communion Motet: Open Thy Gates (Julius Harrison)

Post-Communion Hymn: 594

Voluntary: *Alla Marcia* (John Ireland)

CHORAL EVENSONG

Responses: Tomkins

Psalm(s): 108 & 115

First Lesson: Ezekiel 12.21-13.16

Hymn: 330 (*t.i*)

Canticles: Noble in b minor

Second Lesson: Acts 19.1-20

Anthem: Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring
(Johan Sebastian Bach)

Hymn: 549

Voluntary: Chorale Prelude *O Gott, du frommer Gott*
(Johannes Brahms)