



# Welcome!

## Sunday 29th June

### Worship in Ashbourne

10.30am Church with Choices  
at Hilltop School & at home    
led by Fiona Green, Ruth Barratt, \*  
Becky Dutton & Tim Dutton

Today is Conference Sunday and our theme for worship this morning is 'God's call: seasons, times and places'. The readings will be Isaiah 6:1-8 and Mark 1:16-20. In the Hall, Fiona and Ruth will explore the theme through the sermon, prayers and hymns. In Seek & Share, Becky and Tim will be following a similar theme - calling and catching - using the gospel reading. There will be some following games, a drama about the first disciples, some discussion about our Methodist calling and some watery prayers.

6.30pm Mustard

### Worship around the Circuit

10.30am Brailsford, United Service with Brailsford  
Benefice at the Saracens Head, Shirley  
led by Rev Bex Allpress and Rev David Leese  
10am arrive for breakfast, 10.30am service  
starts All welcome

### Private Prayer

Tissington & Milldale Chapels are open daily for private prayer.

### Worship at Home

The service in Ashbourne is live streamed on Facebook & YouTube.

## The week ahead...

### Monday 30 June

2.00-4.00pm Craft & Chat in Cornerstone  
7.30pm Housegroup Helen & Tony's

### Tuesday 01 August

9.30-11am Welly Club at Green House Farm \*  
9.30-11.30am Brailsford Coffee Shop in the Chapel  
10.00am Housegroup at Anne's

### Wednesday 02 August

7.00pm Worship at Milldale Chapel  
Led by Revd David Leese

### Thursday 03 August

9.30am Time for Prayer  
in St Oswald's small meeting room  
10.00am Circuit Leadership Team Meeting

### Friday 04 August

7.30pm Housegroup at Jen's



### Saturday 05 August

### Tuesday to Saturday

8.30am-4pm Cornerstone Coffee House open

\* see reverse for more details

## Sunday 6th July

10.30am Church with Choices  
at Hilltop School & at home    
Holy Communion  
led by Revd Mark Broadhurst, Jeff Ffoulkes,  
Lorraine Hawkins & Anne Payne  
10.30am All Age Service At Brailsford  
with Holy Communion  
led by Revd Nicola Briggs  
2.30pm Worship at Parwich  
Led By Jim Titterton \*  
4.30pm Afternoon Tea Service at St Oswald's Hall  
Led by Revd Nicola Briggs

## Everyone is Welcome!

Are you new to this Church or just visiting?  
We are very pleased to see you.  
Please make yourself known to a Steward & take this sheet home with you to learn more about our activities.  
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## Prayer for the week

For the beauty of our area, for green spaces & fresh air, for gardens & parks. Thank you Lord. Help us to welcome those who visit our town, district & churches in this summer season.

**Please pray for** many in our church who are experiencing difficult times including Chris D, Peter D, Nick F, Catherine G, Margaret He, Ruth L, Richard O, Liz S, Pauline W, Diana W and all their families.

+For Jan and Roy Atk. Roy is recovering from double bypass surgery in Nottingham City hospital

**Thank you** very much for thoughts and prayers and the lovely flowers this week. *Ruth L*

+Barbara and David send sincere thanks for the continued support we have received during our long and difficult time. The visits, gifts, cards and flowers are such a joy. Thank you all.

+Additionally, David would like to express his gratitude for the cards, flowers and good wishes for his 90th Birthday.

+Susan Patt would like to thank you for the flowers, cards and prayers and special thanks to our Maria

**Congratulations** to our good friend Peter F on being awarded an MBE for services to engineering. *Jonathan & Ro*

## Good news Stories

We have been asked by the Nottingham and Derby District to provide Good News stories from the Ashbourne Circuit.

These will be collated with the good news stories from other circuits to provide a booklet for the visit of the President and Vice President in September 2025. Please send good news stories from your church to Rev Nicola by Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

There are many I am aware of but it would be good to have short paragraphs in your words rather than mine. Any related pictures you have would also be useful. Many thanks. *Nicola*

**Brailsford Book club** Has broken up for the summer, it starts back on the last Thursday in September.

**Come and enjoy** the Brailsford Summer fete on Saturday July 5th, 3pm to 6pm. This is your opportunity to witness Jon W, David B, Alan C-M and Rev Bex in the stocks

**Sunday morning at Hilltop** Please remember to give Fiona plenty of space in order to make the worship space accessible for her. Thank you for your support and understanding.'

**Request for help** to prepare for the Cornerstone move Work is in progress to create the temporary kitchen and servery within Trinity Hall. We will be looking for help 14 to 18 July to clean and paint the kitchen ready for the Coffee House to move in the following weekend. Please speak to Ian Marsh

**Time for Prayer** As usual on the first Thursday of the month, our focus will be on The Link Project, although we will be praying for other topics, too. Please join us if you are able, in the small meeting room at St Oswald's hall 9.30-10.30am on Thursday.

**Pennies for Lent** Thankyou so very much to all those who still save their 'Pennies'. We have raised £140 this year which is great as cash is used less than it used to be. It is never easy to decide which charities to donate to, as there are so many in great need in the world, but I hope you will feel that I have made sensible decisions. We are giving £40 each to Water Aid, Doctors Without Borders and Practical Action, and £20 to the YMCA. Thankyou again so much, and God Bless you all. *Pat Fielding*

**Songs of Praise** will be at Dove House on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 1.45pm. Please pray for the team and residents as we worship together. *Joyce*

## Welly Club at the farm

Welly Club has moved back outdoors for the summer to Green House Farm, Windmill Lane (home of Coldeaton Jersey Ice cream). 9.30-11am as usual. We have an exciting summer planned, with sessions including birds & mini beasts, pirates & explorers. No booking required. Free. All under 5s & carers are welcome, plus KS1 children during the school holidays. Please tell your friends & neighbours. Please bring a picnic blanket (if you have one). Don't forget your wellies! New Welly Club contact number: 07927 369223

**I have a copy** of the Gospel of Mark written specifically as a dyslexia friendly version by the Bible Society. If you would be interested in having this please let me know. *Joy*

**The Chapel Anniversary** at Parwich will take place on Sunday 6th July at St Peter's. The preacher will be Jim Titterton who many in the circuit will know. We would welcome support from our friends throughout the circuit to make this a time of celebration. *Jan Smith*

**Mambabu** We are sorry to report that the Mambabu village chapel has been destroyed in a recent storm. It was built just a few years ago to replace the old structure which had stood for decades. We have sent a message of sympathy and prayer support to the worshipping community there and this is an extract from the reply we have received.

"We want to glorify God for you and the entire family and friends in the UK for your endless support to the Mambabu Communities. However, that was what God mark that our village chapel will be collapsed this time round through heavy storm. But that same God will do it for us all. For today my joy is over full for you communicating with me today.....I will extend your sympathy to Pastor Samuel and the entire congregation and the villagers."

*David and Judith Bale*

## Notices for the next Notice Sheet:

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