

St Mary Magdalen Church of England, Knighton



Newsletter for Sunday 21st August 2022 10th Sunday after Trinity

Collect for this week

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
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.



DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Sunday 21st August 10th Sunday after Trinity	9.00am 10.30am	Weekly Eucharist Eucharist
	10.30am	Eucharist at St Guthlacs
Monday 22nd August	7.00pm	Bell ringing practice
Tuesday 23rd August	9.30am 2.30pm	Holy Communion (St Mary's) Mothers' Union Fellowship
Wednesday 24th August	8.00 pm	Compline on Zoom
Thursday 25th August	9.30 am	Holy Communion (St G)
Friday 26th August		
Saturday 27th August		
Sunday 28th August	9.00am	Weekly Eucharist (trad)
11th Sunday after Trinity	10.30am	Eucharist
	10.30am	Morning Prayer at St Guthlacs

Please check the online diary for updates and beyond the week ahead: www.stmarysknighton.co.uk

Sunday Club - our group for children at primary school is taking a summer break, but we'll be back as usual when term begins in September:)

PLEASE NOTE—NO EVENSONG IN AUGUST.

We intend to resume Evensong on the first Sunday of the month from September

Online Compline on Wednesdays—8.00pm

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81118183080

Meeting ID: 811 1818 3080

Dial by your location **0203 481 5240**

Church Family News:

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who has kindly supported me with prayers, good wishes, cards and practical help during these past few weeks. I am now at home and met with the oncologist on Monday morning to discuss further treatment. Best wishes to you all. Doreen White.

Thank you from Matthew

Thanks so much for everyone's kindness on my final Sunday service. You showed such love to myself and my family. We are so grateful for the kind and generous gifts, cards and words of encouragement. They will resource us well in the ministry journey ahead.

Summer Holiday at Scargill House in the Yorkshire Dales

Once again a group of us from Knighton enjoyed the 'Summerfest' week with the Scargill House community in Wharfdale, Yorkshire. We have plenty of tales to tell so look out for an article in the next Benefice Magazine! In the meantime our ordinand in training, Cecilia Adjadje, has written to our PCCs and congregations following the generous donations that enabled the family to share this special holiday break:

My beloved brethren in Christ,

I want to take a moment and let you all know how much positive impact the Scargill holidays have made in our lives. We are more grateful than words can express. My children undeniably enjoyed every bit of their stay. Few people possess the considerable, loving heart that you have and even fewer people can give so much of themselves to give us the opportunity to have such great experience.

On behalf of Peter, Esther, David, Daniel and my humble self, we want to thank you for your support, loving kindness and the wonderful people that you are. I know I am blessed to have you all in my life and ministry. May God continue to bless and uphold you all. Kind regards,

Cecilia and family.

Listening to God's Word

Our Bible readings for **Sunday 21st August** are:

Isaiah 58.9b-end and Luke 13.10-17

Mothers' Union Fellowship

Our next meeting is Tuesday, 23rd August at 2.30pm in St Mary's when we shall see a film of the extending of St Mary's in the early 1960s. As always, visitors are welcome. LP

Licensing of Matthew

Tuesday 30th August, 7.30pm, All Saints, Anstey Lane, Thurcaston.

You are welcome to join with the parishes of Anstey, Thurcaston and Cropston in licensing Matthew as their new Rector by Bishop Saju of Loughborough. Please be aware that there is limited street parking and some spaces made available at Richard Hill Primary School, 12 Anstey Lane, Thurcaston, LE7 7JA.

Do car share where possible. Light refreshments will be provided.

Quilting Conversations—Free workshops

Leicester Global City Quilt

We invite you to stitch a square representing you for the Global City Quilt. The quilt will be displayed around the city during 2023.

Your square, made how you want

Choose to hand stitch or use our sewing machines. Sew and decorate with a wide range of fabrics and materials. All materials are provided. Slow Stitch
A mindful activity
to relax and chat
with other
stitchers while
creating your
square.

Choose your venue

Plan to come to all three sessions (or two at a minimum).

Highfields Library	Tuesdays	9 Aug	16 Aug	23 Aug	2.00pm - 4.00pm
Belgrave Neighbourhood Centre	Thursdays	11 Aug	18 Aug	1 Sept	1.00pm - 3.00pm
New Parks Library	Mondays	26 Sept	3 Oct	10 Oct	1.00pm - 3.00pm
Beaumont Leys Library	Tuesdays	28 Sept	5 Oct	12 Oct	1.00pm - 3.00pm
Pork Pie Library	Thursdays	29 Sept	6 Oct	13 Oct	10:30am - 12:30pm
St Matthews Centre	Mondays	24 Oct	31 Oct	7 Nov	1.00pm - 3.00pm
Leicester Museum and Art Gallery	Tuesdays	25 Oct	1 Nov	8 Nov	10:30am - 12:30pm
The BRITE Centre	Thursdays	27 Oct	3 Nov	10 Nov	1.00pm - 3.00pm

Book on 07999 840 140 or email linda.harding@leicester.gov.uk

Can't come to workshops?

You can still take part. Bring or send your finished piece to Leicester Museum and Art Gallery, 52 New Walk, Leicester LE1 7EA. Your piece should be 26cm square with an extra 1cm border all round so we can stitch the quilt together.

Or take a photo and email it to **museums@leicester.gov.uk** with the subject 'Quilting Conversations'.



Visit leicestermuseums.org/QuiltingConversations or scan the code to find out more



Marie Curie Auturnn Lunch

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The Leicester College
Freemens Park Campus,
Aylestone Road
Leicester
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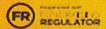
On Thursday 27th October 2022 12:30pm for 1pm start

£20 per Person

Tickets from Shirley 0116 2811 401

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PLANNED GIVING SCHEME

Regular giving is an integral part of our church life supporting our day to day costs, ministry and mission. A good way to achieve this is through a monthly bank standing order as part of our Planned Giving Scheme. Scheme details can be obtained from Lorna Pollard, Planned Giving Scheme Secretary: email: stmarysknighton.giving@gmail.com or phone 01162704272. If you are a taxpayer and gift aid your giving, our church can claim an additional 25%. Cheques to **Knighton PCC** please.

Prayers for this week

"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful." (Colossians 4.2)

Praying for the world: Please pray that the current droughts and wildfires will open the eyes of decision makers and business people to the reality and impact of climate change. Pray too, for the protection and support of the people who are most vulnerable to the effects of global heating, in some of the poorest nations. Pray that as privileged neighbours we would be moved to help them directly and through changes to our own lifestyles.

Praying for the Church: Please pray for Bishops Martyn and Saju, and for all the Anglican bishops returning to their own countries after the Lambeth Conference. Pray that God will sustain and guide them, and grant them peace and rest, so that they may be able to serve all people, with grace, love and mercy.

Praying for the Parish: Please pray for the peace and well-being of all those who live on Craighill Road, Craighill Walk, Milford Road, Welford Road, Houlditch Road.

Praying for those in need:

Please pray for all those who are in need at the moment, those who are unwell in body, mind or spirit, and those who are anxious and worried. In particular please pray this week for **Diane Stockton**, **Peter Relph**, **John Orme**, **Doreen White**, **Margaret Roff and Judi Stone**

Pray as well for all those on our parish 'Continuing Prayer' list, that they may know the power of God's healing love at work in their lives today. Also, give thanks for those who are recovering and who know God's peace.

Please remember those who have died recently and pray for their families and friends. We particularly remember **Joyce Geldard** as well as all those whose anniversaries fall at this time.