### **DIARY THIS WEEK 2025**

Monday 28th

10:00am Craft Drop In - Church Centre 7.30pm Hand bell practice in Vestry

Tuesday 29th

9:00am First Steps - in Church Centre 7.00pm Bell Ringing Practice

Thursday 31st

11.30am Funeral of Richard Woolley at Chesterfield Crematorium and then at The Hopflower.

Friday 1st August

11.00am Funeral and Burial of Patricia Taylor

Saturday 2nd

10.30am Blessing of the Well Dressings at the Sheepwash.

Next Sunday 3rd August 2025. THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8:00 am SAID EUCHARIST 9:30 am SUNG EUCHARIST

Readings: Eccles. 1: 2, 12-14, 2: 18-23; Psalm 49: 1-12; Col.3: 1-11; Luke 12: 13-21.

#### ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION SERVICE

At the request of the Archdeacon there will be a special Archdeacon Visitation on **Tuesday 5th August** 2025 at **11.00am** where four wardens (including Nick) will be sworn in. This is later than usual due to the fact that the four new wardens could not attend the service at the beginning of July. We hope you will be able to join us and stay for refreshment after the service.

#### **BRICK FESTIVAL**

A big "Thank you" to all those who helped with the Festival in whatever capacity.

A total of £853.76 (after deducted expenses) was raised for church funds.

Well done everyone!

The results of the raffle will be announced during coffee on Sunday morning.

#### **CRAFT DROP IN**

Monday in the Church Centre from 10-12. An opportunity to bring along whatever you happen to be working on whether it be a work of art or simply a colouring book. For company, laughter and chat.

### **BLESSING OF WELL DRESSINGS**

A service of thanksgiving for water will be held at the Sheepwash on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August at 10.30am. Please come along and support those who will have worked hard to produce the dressings.

The Food Bank is in urgent need of donations! **Urgently needed:** powdered milk, instant mash, sponge puddings, UHT milk, long life fruit juice, coffee and tea, together with cleaning products, toiletries, nappies and sanitary products.

We are always looking for strong carrier bags. Thank you



## All Saints Church

WINGERWORTH

#### SUNDAY 27th JULY 2025 THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Welcome to all who join in our worship today, especially newcomers and visitors. Please join us in the Church Centre for coffee after our 9:30 am service.

8.00 am SAID EUCHARIST 9:30 am **SUNG EUCHARIST** 

Hvmns: 690, 418, 718, 146, 572.

#### COLLECT

Merciful God,

you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things,

may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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

#### **POST COMMUNION**

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

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#### FIRST READING Genesis 18.20-32

A reading from the book of Genesis.

The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre

20 and said, 'How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin!

21 I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know.'

22 So the men turned from there, and went towards Sodom, while Abraham remained standing before the LORD.

23 Then Abraham came near and said, 'Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked?
24 Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it?
25 Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?'

26 And the LORD said, 'If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake.'

27 Abraham answered, 'Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes.

28 Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?' And he said, 'I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there.'

29 Again Abraham spoke to the LORD, 'Suppose forty are found there.' He answered, 'For the sake of forty I will not do it.'

30 Then Abraham said, 'Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there.' The LORD answered, 'I will not do it, if I find thirty there.'

31 Abraham said, 'Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there.' The LORD answered, 'For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it.' 32 Then he said, 'Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there.' The LORD answered, 'For the sake of

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ten I will not destroy it.'

# RESPONSE: When I called, you answered me, O Lord.

1 I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with my whole heart; before the gods I will sing your praise.

2 I will bow down towards your holy temple and praise your name, because of your love and faithfulness;

3 For you have glorified your name and your word above all things.

#### **RESPONSE**

4 When I called, you answered me; you increased my strength within me.

5 All the kings of the earth will praise you, O Lord, when they have heard the words of your mouth.

6 They will sing of the ways of the Lord, that great is the glory of the Lord.

7 Though the Lord be high, he cares for the lowly; he perceives the haughty from afar.

#### **RESPONSE**

8 Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.

9 The Lord will make good his purpose for me; O Lord, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

#### **RESPONSE**

# SECOND READING Colossians 2.6–15.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians.

Brothers and sisters,

6 as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him.

7 rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

8 See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ.

9 For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily,

10 and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority.

11 In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ;

the circumcision of Christ;
12 when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead.
13 And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses,

14 erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. 15 He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

#### GOSPEL Luke 11.1-13

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

1 Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.'

2 He said to them, 'When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come.

3 Give us each day our daily bread. 4 And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.'

5 And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread;

6 for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him."

7 And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything."

8 I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. 9 So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you.

10 For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened.

11 Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish?

12 Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion?

13 If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'