THE KIDDERMINSTER EAST PARISH NEWSLETTER

Encountering God following Jesus Spirit-transforming lives

Churches of St Cassian's, St Cecilia's, St Chad's, St George's & St Mary's Stone

Sunday 7th August 2022

Eighth Sunday after Trinity

A Warm Welcome to All our Services

COLLECT

Lord God,
your Son left the riches of
heaven and became poor for
our sake: when we prosper save
us from pride, when we are
needy save us from despair, that
we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

READINGS

Isaiah 1:1, 10 - 20 Hebrews 11:1 - 3, 8 - 16 Luke 12:32 - 40

SUNDAY 7 th AUGUST		
ST CASSIAN'S		
9:30am	Holy Communion	
ST CECILIA'S		
11:00am	Holy Communion	
ST CHAD'S		
9:30am	Worship for All	
ST GEORGE'S		
11:00am	Morning Worship	
6:30pm	Evening Prayer	
ST MARY'S, STONE		
11:00am	Morning Worship	

Parish Coach Trip

Our seaside trip this year is to

Llandudno Thursday 18th August

leaving St George's at 8:30am and returning around 5:30pm

Cost £20. To book :

please speak to Jan on 01562 630431.



Board Games Café @StCecilia's Sunday 7th August, 3:30 - 5:00pm.

Would you like to play some board games in a safe, family friendly environment? Come and join other like minded people @StCecilia's Church on Hoo Road. Refreshments available for small donation. All games FREE. Ages 0-100+.

'The Champions' Summer Holiday Club' 22nd to 26th August

A big thank you to all our supporters. What we need most now are your prayers for a safe and happy event at St Chad's Church. Please keep all the participants and volunteers in your prayers over that period, and also pray that the event will be a success. If you have a last minute desire to get involved please contact Jennifer Tompkin (Tel 07775 623691 email tompkinj@hotmail.com).

More details are available on the Parish website. Thank you for your support!

Faithful Friday Blog Post from Revd David Hildred for Friday 5th August

Luke 22:63-end. To the disciples this week's readings perhaps felt like a train running out of control: they weren't able to keep awake to pray with Jesus, they weren't able to stop him being arrested, they weren't able to declare their loyalty to him, they weren't able to stop the kangaroo court condemning him. And yet it fitted God's plan completely in terms of what he was able to do. "There was no other good enough to pay the price of sin. He only could unlock the gate of heav'n and let us in". There is only one mediator between God and mankind, and that is Jesus, who is able to do immeasurably more than we can ask or imagine.

Daily Readings for week beginning Mon 8 th Aug				
Date	Bible passage			
Mon 8 th	Luke 23:13 – 25			
Tue 9 th	Luke 23:26 – 43			
Wed 10 th	Luke 23:44 – 56a			
Thu 11 th	Luke 23:56 <i>b</i> – 24:12			
Fri 12 th	Luke 24:13 – 35			
Sat 13 th	Luke 24:36 – end			

Virtual Sunday School Family Summer Camp at <u>Lenchwood Christian Centre</u>, Ab Lench, Evesham, WR11 4UP on **12**th **- 14**th **August** with plenty of activities and events for the whole family to join in with: songs, games, bible stories, outdoor events and lots more fun! <u>Visit their website</u> to book tickets and accommodation or to come for the day.

A very big **thank you** to all who came and helped make the **Barn Dance** a success: to those selling tickets, moving chairs, making coffee etc. Although the intention was never to raise funds, we not only covered all costs but made £300 to go into general funds.

Lynn Towler writes: I would like to thank everyone for their good wishes, prayers, flowers and cards following my recent visit to hospital. They have been very much appreciated. I hope to be back in circulation soon. Many thanks, *Lynn*

Newsletter Dates: The next parish newsletter will be published on **Friday 19th August** covering **Sundays 21st** and **28th August**. Items for publication should be sent to the office before **Wednesday 17th August**. Thank you

Parish Prayers Online via Zoom

Morning Prayer at 8:00am:

A great way to start the day. Please see the table opposite for which days there is morning prayer over the next 2 weeks. Prayers are led

Week	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
8/8	DH	DH	DH	DH	ı	DH
15/8	RL	RL	RL	RL	-	RL

by David (DH) or Robert (RL). Please note that when Robert is leading you will need a different Zoom link . If you do not automatically receive a Zoom link please ask for one to be sent by emailing the address below. Anyone is welcome to attend.

Parish Prayer Meeting: Our next meeting will be **online via Zoom** on **Wednesday 7th September,** at **7:30pm** (login from 7:20pm) for our usual 45 min prayer for the parish and the issues in the wider world. It will be led by Revd Robert Legge. Please join us, you are all very welcome.



To join **any** of the online Prayers please email <u>parishcomms@kidderminstereast.org.uk</u> requesting a copy of the link & password, **by 6pm on the day before the meeting.**

Midweek Services St Cassian's
Holy Communion at 10:00am
on Wednesday 10th August

St George's
Holy Communion at 10:00am
on Wednesdays 17th August



Nineth Sunday after Trinity

Times of Services at the Churches of St Cassian's, St Cecilia's, St Chad's, St George's & St Mary's Stone

Sunday 14th August 2022

COLLECT

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord.

READINGS

Isaiah 5:1 - 7 Hebrews 11:29 - 12:2 Luke 12:49 - 56

SUNDAY 14th AUGUST				
ST CASSIAN'S				
9:30am	Worship for All			
6:30pm	Evening Prayer			
ST CECILIA'S				
11:00am	Morning Worship			
ST CHAD'S				
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11:00am	Holy Communion			

STONE CORNER CAFÉ

next opening Wednesday 10th August at St Mary's, Stone

Call in any time 2 - 4pm for a chat, a drink and a slice of cake.

Everyone welcome. See you there.

Craft Group at Café Chad on Mondays

at Café Chad, 10am - 12noon. Come and meet like-minded people in an informal setting with quality refreshments. For more information and to join us, please contact Joy on 07742 949156.

Faithful Friday Blog Post from Revd David Hildred for Friday 12th August

Luke 24. During this week we have read about the crucifixion of Jesus and now we finish the gospel with the resurrection and a quick word about the ascension. These two disciples on the road to Emmaus were like all the other disciples: no-one had grasped that Jesus was going to rise from the dead in that very real and physical way. They were also like a number of them in that they met Jesus, albeit without realising it initially. What a marvellous phrase "our hearts were burning within us" when they walked with him and listened to the Scriptures being opened. Let's pray that is the experience of every present -day disciple of Jesus!

week beginning Mon 15th Aug			
Date	Bible passage		
Mon 15 th	Luke 1:46 - 55 The Blessed Virgin Mary		
Tue 16 th	1 Samuel 20:1 – 17		
Wed 17 th	1 Samuel 20:18 – end		
Thu 18 th	1 Samuel 21:1 – 22:5		
Fri 19 th	1 Samuel 22:6 – end		
Sat 20 th	1 Samuel 23:1 - end		

Daily Readings for

Kidderminster East Bible Reading group



The group will meet on

Thursday 1st September at
30 Leswell Street (the Rectory)
beginning at 11am. The plan

is to meet on the first Thursday of every month to look at and learn from Bible characters, beginning with Enoch.

Open to all and please let us know you are coming either directly or via the Parish Office. Valerie Bond and Hilary Hildred.







Ladies, we would love to see you for a coffee and a chat at Susie's, Hill Pool House. Call Beth (777136) or Susie (777419)

DIARY

Homegroups have now finished for their summer break and will restart in September.

Weekly Events: Café Chad every Monday and Wednesday 9:15am - 12:15pm except Monday 22nd & Wed 24th August due to Holiday Club.

Knit & Natter/Craft at Café Chad every Monday 10:00 - 12noon Knit & Natter every Wednesday 2 - 4pm in St George's Church.

Coffee Shop at St George's every Friday at 10:00am - 12:00noon.

Other events or notable dates are listed chronologically below

Wed 10th August 10:00am Holy Communion St Cassian's

2.00pm Stone Corner Café St Mary's, Stone

Sun 14th August Times of services are listed elsewhere in this newsletter

Mon 15th August 10:30am Share & Care Chaddesley Corbett

Wed 17th August 10:00am Holy Communion St George's Sun 21st August 9:30am Holy Communion St Cassian's

9:30am Morning Worship St Chad's
11:00am Holy Communion St Cecilia's
11:00am Morning Worship St George's

11:00am Morning Worship St Mary's, Stone

6:30pm Evening Prayer St George's

Other online resources are available including the <u>Children's corner</u>, Messy Church <u>Facebook group</u>, plus many videos on our <u>YouTube channel</u>, posts on our <u>Facebook page</u> and on the <u>parish website</u>.

SUNDAY 21st AUGUST

READINGS: Jeremiah 1:4 - 10 Hebrews 12:18 - end Luke 13:10 - 17

SUNDAY 28th AUGUST

READINGS: Jeremiah 2:4 - 13 Hebrews 13:1 - 8, 15 - 16 Luke 14:1, 7 - 14

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