

**The United Benefice of the parishes of Melbourne,
Smisby, Stanton by Bridge and Ticknall**



The Bulletin

A weekly publication for the Parish of Melbourne



The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity - 19th August 2018

8am **There will be no Holy Communion here this morning**

10.30am **Parish Eucharist and Coffee**

Readings: pages 7/8

Settings: *Rutter/Rogers/Pulkingham*

Gradual Psalm: 34 vv. 9-14 (page 8)

Hymns: 473 omit vv.4 & 5, 336 [277, 282] 333

Anthem: For the beauty of the earth *Stopford*

Organ Voluntary: *Crown Imperial Walton*

6.30pm **Evensong**

Hymns: 150, 410, 389, 438

Psalm: 100

Organ Voluntary: *A little prelude Parry*

Welcome!

**Welcome to all worshipping here today with a special
welcome to those who are visitors or newcomers.**

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Across the Benefice Today

Melbourne:

8am – No Service

10.30am – Revd Michael Rogers

6.30pm – Revd Michael Rogers

Smisby:

5.30pm – Canon David Edwards

Stanton:

11am – Dr Nick Gravestock

Ticknall:

10.30am – Mrs Mary Hirst

**Taking responsibility for Church life today:**

8am No 8am Holy Communion at Melbourne today

10.30am Parish Eucharist and Coffee

Sidespersons: Janet Warner, David Smith

Crucifer: Graham Truscott

Server: Jo Glaze

Reader: Romey Cunnington

Intercessor: Joanna Hocknell

Coffee: Kate Landenberger, Maurice & Pam Starkey

6.30pm Evensong

Sidesperson: John Springthorpe

Illuminating the Tower: To make your booking, please call the church office-862153. Donations to sponsor the lights for an evening should be placed in a clearly marked envelope and put in the Sunday collection or put through the Rectory letterbox. This week there have been two donations: one from Duncan Saunders to celebrate Duncan and Lucy's wedding anniversary on the 18th August, and one from Joan Williamson and her family in memory of Richard Williamson (her husband) for the 19th August.

Children's Provision during the holidays:

Junior Church doesn't meet during the long school holidays to give the leaders a well-earned break. If there should be children attending we shall all make them extremely welcome, of course! A simple activity in the crèche area will be offered from the beginning of the Sermon to the The Peace. The children can take the Young Church Mags back to their pews to complete the pictures and puzzles. *Rachel Coupe*

August 2018:

Dear all,

I'm very sorry that, due to holidays and clergy availability, we will need to cancel two services in August so please note these dates:

12th August – 6.30 pm Evensong at Melbourne

19th August – 8 am Holy Eucharist at Melbourne

We are very blessed with a wonderful ministry team who give so much of their time to support us in our worship and pastoral care. It is just that, on this rare occasion, we are not able to sustain our usual Sunday provision.

Yours in Christ, *Steve*

Diocesan Confirmation Service

On Saturday 27th October 2018 at 4 pm in the Cathedral there will be a diocesan confirmation service. If you would like to be confirmed (adult or young person), please do get in touch. We hope to begin some preparation in about mid-September. Confirmation is very much about taking responsibility for the promises made on our behalf at our baptism – to be followers of Jesus. It is a fantastic opportunity for a celebration! The service is led by a bishop who prays for the Holy Spirit to bless each candidate – it is a very powerful moment. *Steve*

House Group News:

Ten folks from Melbourne, Ticknall and Stanton met again on the 31st July and experienced liturgy and song from the Iona Community along with acknowledging Ignatius of Loyola (founder of the Jesuit teachers) who's day it was. Ros gave us an insight into her decision to become a teacher and others present contributed as well. We found that in some cases the encouragement had come from older female members of the family who had not had the opportunity to train, and in other cases it had been a matter of doors opening one after another which had led to the teaching profession. But one person said that the encouragement came from someone who had felt spiritually led to make the suggestion. Some of us felt the whole idea of teaching quite daunting! Our prayers included teachers in schools, churches, and Junior Church, and those children across the world who are not given the opportunity of schooling.

We also took time to reflect briefly together on the lectionary reading for the day which was the demise of Judas and the appointment of Matthias; quite a deep and difficult passage from Acts and one which could well do with more time taken exploring it.

So, we have much pleasure in inviting you to join us next time.

Monday 10th September 10.30am at No. 63 Jubilee Close.

The passage for Reflection is Acts 16:6-24.

Please come along, and bring your Bibles and thoughts, and let Revd Margaret and Allan know that you will be coming so they can organise refreshments. It would also be good to have a name for this gathering so your thoughts on that would be good as well.

Revd. Margaret and Allan and the House Group.

Sunday Teas: 2.30pm - 5pm in the Honner Room every Sunday and Bank Holiday Monday from now right through to Festival weekend. Please keep coming for a cuppa to support us. **We are in need of helpers for 27th August, 2nd September and 9th September. If you could offer an afternoon, please be in touch with Carolyn Tasker (864940) or Kate Landenberger 862153. Many thanks.**



The Social Committee

Jazz concert in the church - Saturday, 27th October 2018:

Tickets (£10) are now on sale for this year's jazz event. We welcome trombone virtuoso and composer Annie Whitehead, with Steve Lodder on keys, Jennifer Maidman on bass and Liam Genockey on drums. A rare chance to hear great jazz and world music in a fantastic setting. Not to be missed.

Email friendsofmelbournepc@gmail.com, or call 07837 592596. Tickets also on sale through Melbourne Festival and Fortey's.



Gordon Hughes

Refreshments after 10.30am:

The social committee listened to comments about drinks after the 10.30 service, including comments on the environmental impact of plastic cups! We are still fine-tuning the arrangements.

However, the impact of using mugs is.... the washing up.

If you are able to spare a few minutes to help with washing up every so often that would be a great help. Many thanks

The Social Committee

DERBY CATHEDRAL SUMMER ORGAN RECITAL SERIES NOW EXTENDED!

..... Come and hear Derby Cathedral's mighty Compton organ put through its paces by TOM CORFIELD on Wednesday 29th August at 7.45pm. Tickets on the door, £9.

WE'RE WALKING THE TISSINGTON TRAIL - CAN YOU HELP US MAKE THE JOURNEY WORTH IT?

A request from my 16 year old granddaughter, Naomi:

Well, we're not all walking....David has Cerebral Palsy and in order for him to get a Sports wheelchair - which will enable him to smash us all on the badminton court- he needs to raise £5000. In an attempt to help him towards his target, on the 30th of August, some of his mates have decided to walk the 13 miles of the Tissington Trail alongside him as he pushes himself in his wheelchair. Our aim for the day is to raise £500. PLEASE SPONSOR US!!!

Take a look at the fundraising page:

<https://www.gofundme.com/sportschairfordavid>

If you would like to help David, Naomi and their friends, please contact me.

Thank you. *Alison Gregory*

Melbourne Festival Teas:

It will soon be Festival Time and our last big push of the year as far as Teas are concerned. Carolyn is now drawing up the Teas rota so if you could possibly help for a couple of hours on either Saturday 15th from 12noon to 5pm or Sunday 16th from 12 noon to 4pm, please

contact her on 864940 or you can contact Kate on 862153. We need lots of helpers to set up, sell the cakes and sandwiches, wash up and be runners (taking the crockery etc. up and down the stairs). We will be doing a child's meal deal at £3 as we expect a lot of children to be in the garden and around. Also we would like enough helpers to make up a team of sandwich makers upstairs. If you think you could help us out, please don't hesitate to offer of your time and talents, then we promise we won't bother you on the Teas front till next year! Many thanks in advance.

All on the Social Committee



A Christian Mindfulness Retreat (A Mercia Deanery Event)

Led by Revd Canon Alan Harper

15th September from 1.30pm - 4.30pm

at St George's Church, Ticknall

Come along to a peaceful retreat afternoon. You will receive some instruction in the art of Christian mindfulness and then take time out of the busyness of your life and ministry to spend time in quiet reflection in the beautiful church and grounds of St George's Church. Closes with light refreshments.

Email: debby.patrick@derby.anglican.org for more details.

**Open Air Concert with special guests
on Saturday 22nd September
in Castle Square**

**Free Entry (bring a picnic and a chair)
Concert begins at 3.30pm
with Festival of Remembrance from 7.05pm**

Organised by Melbourne Royal British Legion Branch

This week in connection with Melbourne Church

Monday:	2pm - 3.30pm	Caring Hands
Tuesday:	7.25pm	Bellringing Practice
Wednesday:	7.45pm	Choir Practice
Thursday:	9.15am	Holy Communion
Friday:	10.30am	Funeral of Roy Dunncliffe at (St Peter's Chellaston)
Saturday:	10.30am	Visiting ringing band in church
	4.30pm	Church prepared for Sunday worship

A pattern for daily prayer, so that, at home or at church, we can pray together

Monday: Those in great poverty or need.

Tuesday: Those who have asked for our prayers: Ruth Barkaway, Anne Brazier, Roo Hubbard, David Ingram, Madge Limbert, Vicky Murray, Betty Park, Ruth Smith and Margaret Stockley. Those in Derby's hospitals and hospices. All at Pool Cottage.

Wednesday: Our group of parishes.

Thursday: The church worldwide. All Christian people. The local church. The Anglican Communion.

Friday: All in need, especially the hungry, poor and homeless.

The Departed

In our prayers this week, we can remember those who have died recently, among them Irene Lind, and those whose anniversaries occur near this time, among them Elsie Hamilton, Richard Williamson, Vera Pipes, Barbara Moore, Eric Hulse and Fred Heafield.

Next Week at Melbourne: Trinity 13

8am **Holy Communion**

(Sidesperson: Tony Taylor)

10.30am **Parish Eucharist and Coffee**

(Sidespersons: Carolyn Tasker, Ros Bell)

(Coffee: Griselda Kerr, Sheena Wilkins,

Margaret Murray-Leslie)

6.30pm **Evensong**

(Sidespersons: Paddy & Joe Laban)

The Readings at 8am and 10.30am:

First Reading: *Proverbs 9.1-6*

Wisdom has built her house,

she has hewn her seven pillars.

She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine,

she has also set her table.

She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls

from the highest places in the town,

'You that are simple, turn in here!'

To those without sense she says,

'Come, eat of my bread

and drink of the wine I have mixed.

Lay aside immaturity, and live,

and walk in the way of insight.'

The Gospel Reading: *John 6.51-58*

I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh

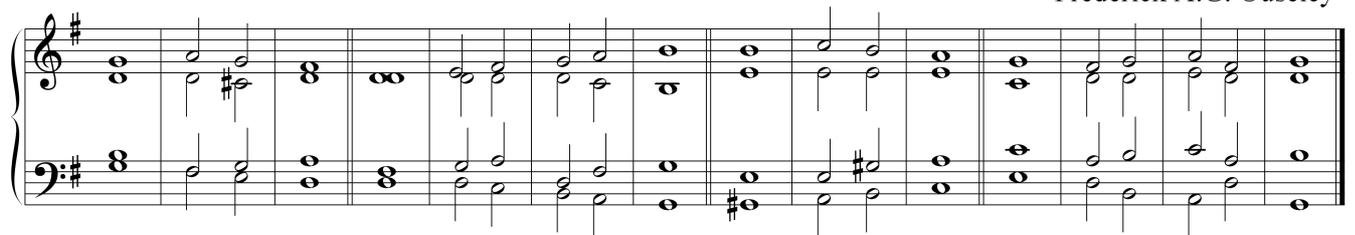
and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

Additional Collect:

God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us:
remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Gradual Psalm at 10.30am: Psalm 34.9-14

Frederick A.G. Ouseley



- 9 Fear the Lord all | you his | holy ones:
for | those who | fear him • lack | nothing.
- 10 Lions may lack and | suffer | hunger:
but those who seek the | Lord lack | nothing • that is | good.
- 11 Come my children and | listen to | me;
I will | teach you • the | fear • of the | Lord.
- 12 Who is there who de- | lights in | life:
and longs for | days • to en- | joy good | things?
- 13 Keep your | tongue from | evil:
and your | lips from | lying | words.
- 14 Turn from | evil • and do | good;
seek | peace | and pur- | sue it.