



St. Alphege Church
Sunday 13th July
Fourth Sunday after Trinity

A WARM WELCOME to St. Alphege. It's good to have you with us.

Morning Readings: Deuteronomy 30.9-14, Luke 10.25-37

8.00am **Said Eucharist**
President & Preacher: Revd Simon Marshall

9.15am **All Age Holy Communion** - President: Revd Sue Chandler &
Preacher: Revd Nick Parker



Music led by Junior Choristers and Worship Band
Anthem: Christ be in my waking

Hymns:

112
726 v,1,2,4 & 5
383
485
406

11.00am **Civic Service** - President: Revd Nick Parker & Preacher: Revd Caz
Hague (Mayor's Chaplain)

Psalm
150

Reading and Reader(s), and hymns as per order of service

Music led by Senior Choristers, Ladies and Back Row
Anthems: Do not be afraid - Philip Stopford; Magnificat in C -
Bryan Kelly
Voluntary: Orb and Sceptre - Walton

5.00pm Evensong - Officiant & Preacher: Revd Nick Parker
Readings: Genesis 32.9-30, Mark 7.1-23
Reader Ann Taylor

Psalm
66

Music led by Back Row
Condon Responses
Canticles: Evening Service in D - Howells
Anthem: Thy mercy, Jehovah - Marcello
Voluntary: Toccata - Lanquettuit

Hymns:
63
341
410

St Alphege Church is now open 10.00am to 3.00pm on Weekdays
& 10.00am to 12.00pm on Saturdays

THIS WEEK

Mon 14	9.00am 6.30pm	Morning Prayer Quiet Evening
Tues 15	10.00am 7.00pm	St Alphege Prayer Group in OBH St Alphege Year 6 Leavers' Eucharist
Weds 16	9.15am 1.10pm	St Alphege Schools Journeys Eucharist Lunchtime Recital - Liam Condon and Harry Brown, organ duets
Thurs 17	9.00am 10.30am	Morning Prayer Said Eucharist
Fri 18	9.00am	Morning Prayer

BIBLE READING: Deuteronomy 30.9-14

And the LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all your undertakings, in the fruit of your body, in the fruit of your livestock, and in the fruit of your soil. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, just as he delighted in prospering your ancestors, when you obey the LORD your God by observing his commandments and decrees that are written in this book of the law, because you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe.

GOSPEL: Luke 10.25-37

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.' But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'



COLLECT

O God, the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your mercy;
that with you as our ruler and guide
we may so pass through things temporal
that we lose not our hold on things eternal;
grant this, heavenly Father,
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Eternal God,
comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken,
you have fed us at the table of life and hope:
teach us the ways of gentleness and peace,
that all the world may acknowledge
the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

THIS WEEK PRAY FOR

Monday	The staff and pupils of the schools in our parish
Tuesday	Stephen, Archbishop of York
Wednesday	The people of St Alphege Church
Thursday	Those waiting for the results of medical tests
Friday	Our Archdeacon, Phelim O'Hare

PRAY FOR THOSE RECENTLY IN NEED

Ella, Daisy, Mary, Andrew, Jonathan, Kerrie, Nigel Vian, Dorothy Newbery, Emma, Amy, Dean, David, Suzette, Gary Sheppard, Andy Hodgkinson, David Patterson, Gill Taylor, Gerald Blackburn, and Pearl Hampson.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Wendy Meikle, Henry Balthazor, Stephen Foster, Jenny Williams, Evelyn Berry, Ron Herd, Dan and Ruth, Margaret Evans, Nicola Beale, Peter, John Russell, Malcolm Owens, Aaliyah Adeyemo, Ruth & Rae, Roger Loads, Hazel Hewlet, and Hilary Thurlow.

PRAY FOR THOSE RECENTLY DEPARTED

Peter McDonald Clark, Gráinne Buggy, Eileen Keeley, Betty Bonehill, and Ray Williams.

NEXT WEEK: Sunday 20th July - Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Morning readings: Genesis 18.1-10a, Colossians 1.15-28, Luke 10.38-end

Services:	8.00am	Said Eucharist - President and Preacher: Revd Nick Parker
	10.30am	Sung Eucharist for the whole church family - President: Revd Simon Marshall and Preacher: The Ven. Paul Taylor
	5.00pm	Evensong - Officiant & Preacher: Revd Nick Parker

Evening Readings: Genesis 41.1-16, 25-37, 1 Corinthians 4.8-13

NOTICES (send any notices to pewslip@solihullparish.org.uk by 10am on Wednesdays)

Parish Picnic TODAY– 12.30pm Sunday 13th July at St. Helen's (including our farewell to Linda Hicks). Please bring your first course and, if you can, a pudding to share. There will be games and activities available for children.

Civic Welcome

We extend a very warm welcome today to Madam Mayor, Cllr Annette Mackenzie, and to all our councillors as they are commissioned for the year ahead, praying for them and the people of this borough they are called to serve. We also welcome honoured guests and all who come to join us for our 11am Civic Service.

July Quiet Evening - Please join us on Monday 14th July 6.30pm at St Alphege Church. For more information, please pick up a leaflet in church.

Congratulations to Liam

Liam Condon, our assistant organist, has been appointed as Assistant Organist to Coventry Cathedral. Our warmest congratulations to him with deep appreciation for all has brought to us. We will say goodbye to Liam next Sunday 20th and please also note the opportunity to hear him at the Wednesday recital (details below).

Wednesday lunchtime recital - 16th July, Liam Condon and Harry Brown, organ duets. Recitals start at 1.10pm with tea/coffee and cake available from 12.30pm. Entry is free with a retiring collection, in aid of the Friends of St Alphege Music. All welcome.

Summer Services for All the Church Family

From next Sunday 20th July and throughout the summer our 10.30am services will feature a Bible Story for all ages (beginning with The Giant Tower), activities and craft at the back of church, and an invitation for young people to take an active part in the liturgy. The Junction and Messy Church will resume in September.

Head, Heart & Hands: Introduction to the poetry of George Herbert – Wednesday 23rd July 7.30 to 9.00pm at St Michael's Chapel. To book, please call 0121 705 5350 or email: admin@solihullparish.org.uk

Parish Welcome – We meet on a Monday afternoon 2.00pm - 3.30pm in Room 6 at the OBH, to help those newly arrived in the country with their English. We had over 30 students this week. As it is the holiday season, we expect to be especially short of volunteers over the next few weeks. If you enjoy chatting with people from different backgrounds who are keen to learn and appreciative of what we offer, this is for you! Most of us are not trained teachers. Please just come or speak to Deirdre Moll (07751572046) or Frances Rumball if you would like to know more.

Director of Ministry to Children, Youth and Families - We were not successful in attracting a qualified candidate for this post at first attempt and are presently readvertising. Please hold the process in your prayers, that the right person would be prompted to apply. Please also pray for all who sustain this vital area of ministry, especially those who volunteer, that things would be held well during any interim.

Solihull Pride - SMBC are planning a pride event over the weekend 6th - 7th September. Whilst we are not officially taking part there is an invitation from Shirley Methodist for individuals to join their contingent on the Saturday march. We will also be ensuring that St. Alphege is a welcoming space for everyone. Please contact the office for more details.

Donations: To make a regular donation please contact the Stewardship Secretary, Frank Upton on 0121 705 2963. To make a one-off payment please use one of the two methods below:-

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