



Sunday 14 June 2026 - Trinity 2

Sun 14 June	10.30am: Holy Eucharist President & Preacher: Fr Simon
Tue 16 June	7.30pm: Alpha Course At St Michael's Chapel
Wed 17 June	9.30am: Morning Prayer at St Michael's Chapel
	10am: Holy Eucharist at St Michael's Chapel
Sun 21 June	10.30am: Holy Eucharist President & Preacher: Fr Simon

WE PRAY FOR

In need: Angela, Hazel, Rosie Hayler, David Yarnold, Morwenna Nicholls, baby Shae.

The departed: Penelope Klein.

In memory: Harold Stokes, John de Wit (Priest), Flora Cutter.

COLLECT PRAYER

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings with love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Exodus 19.2-8

They had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the LORD called to him from the mountain, saying, 'Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.'

So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. The people all answered as one: 'Everything that the LORD has spoken we will do.' Moses reported the words of the people to the LORD.

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 9.35-10.8

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

NOTICES

Sunday 21st June will be Sherwood and Geraldine's last service at St Michael's before they move.

Solihull Choral Society is performing Karl Jenkins' The Armed Man & two Motets by Stanford on Saturday 27 June, 7pm at St Mary Magdalene Church, Tanworth in Arden. Tickets are available on the door and online at:

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/solihullchoralsociety/>

1. Come, let us join our cheerful songs
with angels round the throne;
ten thousand thousand are their tongues,
but all their joys are one.

'Worthy the Lamb that died,' they cry,
'to be exalted thus';
'Worthy the Lamb,' our lips reply,
'for he was slain for us.'

Jesus is worthy to receive
honour and power divine;
and blessings, more than we can give,
be, Lord, for ever thine.

Let all creation joins in one
to bless the sacred name
of him that sits upon the throne,
and to adore the Lamb.

2. Be still and know that I am God.

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I am the Lord that healeth thee.
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I am the Lord that healeth thee.

In thee, O Lord, I put my trust.
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In thee, O Lord, I put my trust.

3. Put peace into each other's hands

And like a treasure hold it,
Protect it like a candle flame,
With tenderness enfold it.

Put peace into each other's hands
With loving expectation;
Be gentle in your words and ways,
In touch with God's creation.

Put peace into each other's hands
Like bread we break for sharing;
Look people warmly in the eye:
Our life is meant for caring.

As at communion, shape your hands
Into a waiting cradle;
The gift of Christ receive, revere,
United round the table.

Put Christ into each other's hands,
He is love's deepest measure;
In love make peace, give peace a chance,
And share it like a treasure.

4. Go forth and tell! O Church of God, awake!

God's saving news to all the nations take:
Proclaim Christ Jesus, Saviour, Lord and King,
That all the world his worthy praise may sing.

Go forth and tell! God's love embraces all;
He will in grace respond to all who call;
How shall they call if they have never heard
The gracious invitation of his word?

Go forth and tell! Where still the darkness lies;
In wealth or want, the sinner surely dies;
Give us, O Lord, concern of heart and mind,
A love like yours which cares for all mankind.

Go forth and tell! The doors are open wide:
Share God's good gifts - let no one be denied;
Live out your life as Christ your Lord shall choose,
Your ransomed powers for his sole glory use.

Go forth and tell! O Church of God arise!
Go in strength which Christ your Lord supplies;
Go till all nations his great name adore
And serve him, Lord and King for evermore.



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good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease
and every sickness. ~ Matthew 9.35*