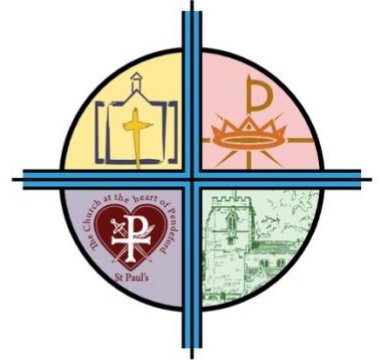


The Parish of

TETTENHALL REGIS



Serving the communities of Tettenhall, Aldersley, Bilbrook & Pendeford

Notices for the Parish for the week beginning 2nd August

This Sunday: 2nd August – 8th Sunday after Trinity

Readings:

Isaiah 55:1-5: Receive the free gift of an abundant life from God.

Psalms 145:8-9, 15-end: God is gracious and merciful over all created beings.

Romans 9:1-5: Paul prays for his people, the Israelites as they are God's adopted people but who do not recognise Christ as their Messiah.

Matthew 14:13-21: Jesus provides food for those who are in need.

Hymns for 8th Sunday after Trinity:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bkt-qoeACJM> Alleluia, sing to Jesus

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=peZudXt9faU> As the deer pants for the water

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I3IINuvYBWQ> Broken for me

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IWjtMd2aIZc> Restore, O Lord

Daily Eucharistic Readings:

Monday Jeremiah 28, Psalm 119:89-96, Matthew 14:13-21

Tuesday Jeremiah 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22, Psalm 102:16-21, Matthew 14:22-end

Wednesday Jeremiah 31:1-7, Psalm 121, Matthew 15:21-28

Thursday Transfiguration of our Lord Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 97, 2 Peter 1:16-19, Luke 9:28-36

Friday Nahum 2:1, 3, 3:1-3, 6-7, Psalm 137:1-6, Matthew 16:24-28

Saturday Habakkuk 1:12-2:4, Psalm 9:7-11, Matthew 17:14-20

Next Sunday: 9th August – 9th Sunday after Trinity

Readings:

1 Kings 19:9-18; Psalm 85:8-13; Romans 10:5-15; Matthew 14:22-33

Church Family News

Electoral Roll Revision

Having started the process but then been interrupted by the pandemic, we are restarting the process! The deadline for returning application forms and providing updates for the Electoral Roll is:-

23rd August 2020

If you are on the electoral roll and your details are unchanged you don't need to do anything. If your details (name or address) have changed or if you would like to join the electoral roll, please complete the

application form (which also includes details of eligibility). Membership of the electoral role entitles you to vote at elections in the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (or District Annual Meeting) or to stand for election (eg for membership of the PCC or DCC), Please find an application form attached alongside these notices. Completed applications can be returned to the Parish Office by post or email.

Online Worship – IT opportunity

As the churches begin to open, we are considering ways in which we can continue to offer online worship for our Parish and beyond! We are looking into live-streaming services directly from the churches from 16th August. However, it would be very beneficial to have someone to provide IT support for the Parish by facilitating the recording and live-streaming of one service a week. This would be across the parish, a different church every week! If you are technically and IT-minded and can see yourself as a mobile IT technician and broadcaster for the Parish (or within your own church), please get in touch with either Richard Reeve or Simon Douglas.

Encounter

We have a small group of new members already but there is room for more! If you missed the Introductory Session, contact Cath Leighton. All contact details are at the end of the email.

With a new group starting, new leaders are always very welcome too. If you are interested in helping the children of our Parish explore the Christian Faith and find out what 'church' is all about, speak to Cath for further details.

NB. All usual safeguarding checks, training and references for working with children apply.

St Michael's – online booking link and current guidelines

With social distancing still required, those who wish to come to St Michael's Church, please use our new online facility via this link bit.ly/churchattendance or contact Richard Reeve directly to book as the Parish Office is closed this week. (See contacts at the end of the email).

Sadly, no singing is allowed and no sharing of the peace. The congregation can receive communion (though not from the cup). According to the advice we have received, the wearing of face coverings is strongly recommended.

Christ the King

Public worship will resume on 16 August and this service will be live-streamed to Facebook too.

Holy Cross

Holy Cross plan to resume public worship at 10.45am on Sunday 23rd August.

St Paul's

St Paul's is not yet opening for public worship. Plans continue to be made to safely open for small services.

Private Prayer - If you would like to pray on your own in our chapel, our chapel will be open every Saturday between 12.30 to 1.30pm. Please follow instructions and remain in the seat allocated. You may need to wait.

Everyday Scripture on Zoom

11.00am Tuesdays from 21st July. Being church is all about gathering. We will spend 40 minutes, listening to music and reflecting on readings, discussing our thoughts face to face but from our own homes. Bring your bible, a cross and a candle.

Use the link: [Bit.ly/StPaulCoffee](https://bit.ly/StPaulCoffee) or Zoom meeting: ID 317 307 4133
Password 754517

The Oasis cafe is now open

Check the facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/TheOasisCafePendeford/> for opening times, which may change before it settles into its old pattern.

Parish of Tettenhall Regis Telephone Church – Now Available!

Dial-a-church is now set up, which usually includes last week's sermon to listen to again. We hope to be able to include Sunday's service 'as it happens', including the after-church coffee on 01902 928123. This service is not free, unfortunately, but a local number.

Online Giving

While our church buildings are closed, or tentatively opening again, we are still the church; gathering again, or meeting virtually for prayer, services and fellowship, loving our neighbours by offering practical support and caring for our communities.

The work of our church relies on people's generosity, which is a hallmark of a lived-out faith and we are very grateful for the regular that continues. With the closure or reduction of public worship we cannot receive all the gifts that we usually would, so we really need your help now.

The Diocese has now made available a facility to make an online donation entering your payment details and selecting your church from a drop-down list using the [Donate Now page](#)

or

Please contact Keith at the Parish Office –01902 751622 tettenhallregis@gmail.com

Daily Hope

Daily Hope is a free national phone line, set up by the Church of England, in order to bring worship and prayer into people's homes while church buildings are closed because of the coronavirus.

Available 24 hours a day, on **0800 804 8044**, the line has been set up particularly with those unable to join online church services during the period of restrictions in mind.



For reference

Sunday worship and Daily Prayer is being livestreamed to the Parish Facebook page, fb.me/tettenhallregis/

The services being streamed each day are as follows

8.30am Morning Prayer

4.30pm Evening Prayer (6.30pm Sunday - Traditional Evening Prayer)

9.30pm Night Prayer (Compline)

Links to access the prayers and readings are available from the Facebook page, the websites below, and the Church of England site, as well as the Daily Prayer app.

Links

Parish Facebook page

St. Michael's website

Parish website Coronavirus updates

Holy Cross Coronavirus updates

Christ the King

St. Paul's

fb.me/tettenhallregis

stmichaels-church.org.uk/

tettenhallregis.com/coronavirus

<https://holycross.bilbrook.info/coronavirus/>

fb.me/christthekingaldersley/

fb.me/stpaulscofependeford/

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