CHURCH DIARY Events & Activities July & August 2025			
Weds. July 30 th	9.30am Midweek Holy Communion		
Thursday July 31 st	10.30–12.30pm Coffee morning, brews & biscu		
Sunday August 3 rd Trinity 7	9.15am Informal Worship 11am Holy Communion		
Weds. August 6 th	9.30am Midweek Holy Communion		
Thurs. August 7 th	11am – 1.30pm Warm Welcome lunch		
Sunday August 10 th Trinity 8	9.15am Informal Worship 11am Holy Communion		
Tues August 12 th	Baptism Preparation 7pm		
Weds. August 13 th	9.30am Midweek Holy Communion		
Thurs August 14 th	10.30–12.30pm Coffee morning, brews & biscuits		
Sunday August 17 th Trinity 9	9.15am Informal Worship 11am Holy Communion		
Weds August 20 th	9.30am Midweek Holy Communion		
Thurs August 21 st	10.30–12.30pm Coffee morning, brews & biscuits		
Sunday	8am Holy Communion		
August 24 th	9.15am All Age Holy Communion		
Trinity 10	11am Morning Prayer		

HELPFUL NUMBERS FOR CLERGY & CHURCH OFFICERS

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Newsletter Items to m.foster.hpc@gmail.com_by midday Wednesday To have this Newsletter sent by email, email - <u>m.foster.hpc@gmail.com.</u>

We are now holding summer sessions so the lunches are served **on first Thursday of the month 11am - 1.30pm**.

On the in between Thursdays, we will be having a coffee morning offering brews and biscuits and chat from 10.30am to 12.30pm. Any queries or offers to volunteer please contact Margaret on 01204 690283 or mbroadfoot283@btinternet.com



Holy Trinity Horwich Parish Church



To be a worshipping, growing and transforming presence at the heart of the town of Horwich

Holy Trinity is part of the Horwich & Rivington Team of Anglican Churches (www.achurchnearyou.com/church/16052)

Holy Trinity Church, Horwich

Newsletter

Sunday July 27th, 2025 Sixth Sunday of Trinity

If you're visiting for the first time, we hope you'll feel at home. Please stay for refreshments after the morning service – we look forward to meeting you. Information Leaflets about church are in the Leaflet Rack or speak to the Clergy or Churchwardens. See back page calendar for weekly events.

> Sunday Service 8am Holy Communion 9.15am All Age Holy Communion 11am Morning Prayer

Sunday Services Readings Colossians 2: 6-15 Luke 11: 1-13



In your Prayers this week, please ask for God's healing: Jacob Bleasdale, Scarlett Kendall, David & Keith Turton, Margaret Crankshaw, David Crankshaw, Carol Hinkinson & Jean Tomlinson

And for God's Comfort: for those recently bereaved especially the family of: Denis Kendall.

Please consider donating to the work of Holy Trinity Church, either through standing order, by using the card reader in church or by using this QR Code Thank you for your Contributions.



"Bookmarks for sale a child from Horwich Parish School has made some bookmarks to raise funds for the Tower Appeal and has already raised $\pounds 150$. If you would like to help her raise more money, there are some at the back of church for a minimum donation of $\pounds 1$ each"



The Open Door

The next meeting will be on **Thursday August 14**th Subject - News A Gent, speaker Stephen Sanders everyone is welcome it starts at 7.30pm.

Pictures for Sale We have been given some beautiful prints of two pictures originally painted by Tony Bisley, which are on display in the Narthex. One of the pictures is of Holy Trinity, and the surrounding area, and the other is of Rivington church. These are being sold for a minimum donation of £5 and the family have asked that all the proceeds go to the Tower fund



Baptism Preparation Evenings

'Team' baptism preparation held at Holy Trinity Church on the second Tuesday of the month at 7pm. No need to book in to attend. Next one August 12th 7pm.

For further information please contact Rev Nicola Butterworth or message John & Emma Shawcross <u>horwichandrivingtonbaptisms@gmail.com</u>

PCC Meeting 14th July 2025

The PCC Meeting discussed the following:

- The progress of work on the tower and the current financial position.
- Considered the report of the Social Committee
- Considered reports on the following:-
 - The Deanery Synod
 - Churches Together in Horwich & Rivington
 - The Eco Church Group
 - Horwich Parish School
 - Youth Ministry Management Group
- Approved the re-authorisation of two ALMs
- Considered the GDPR (data protection) update
- Considered progress on the preparation of information for the Team Vicar appointment
- Considered information on the national updating of safeguarding procedures
- Noted that planned maintenance on the church clock is currently underway but can only be completed after work on the tower is finished.

Please contact David Pritchard or any other PCC member if you would like further information