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14th September – 13th Sunday After Trinity

A very warm welcome to everyone joining in worship.

Large print versions of the Order of Service are available at the back of church.

A loop system is provided for the benefit of hearing aid users. Please switch it to 'T'. Please switch off mobile phones.

14 th September	8.00am	BCP Communion – Readings: (Pg 177) Galatians 3; 16-22; Luke 10; 23-37
13 th Sunday After	10.30am	Church Parade & Family Service
Trinity (Green)	12.15pm	Baptisms
	1.00pm	Baptism
Monday	7.30pm	Bee Inspired – Radcliffe & Whitefield Mission Community Inspirational Worship event, St. Andrew's, Radcliffe. M26 4HU
Wednesday	2.30-4pm	Time To Reflect – Church open for quiet prayer
	6.30pm	MidWeek Praise
21 st September	10.30am	Holy Communion – Readings: Jeremiah 8.18 - 9.1; 1 Timothy 2.1-7 (LHo) Luke 16.1-13 (Lay Ass DH)
14 th Sunday After Trinity (<i>Green</i>)	12.15pm	Baptism of Riley Rushton & Clara Rushton

Please hold in your prayers:

Our Local Community: Residents of Bradshaw & Harwood.

The sick: All who are ill; Moira Gilmore, members of our families, our congregation, and our wider community.

The bereaved: All who have lost loved ones; may they find healing, peace, strength, and courage to face the future.

We remember with thanks, the lives of those recorded in our Book Of Remembrance, whose anniversary falls within the coming week: William Geoffrey Hayes – 15/09/1997; Alison Jones – 16/09/1995; Margaret Mary Jones – 19/09/1995.

"The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective." (James 5:16)

If you wish to receive the Pew Sheet by e-mail, send an e-mail to ainsworthnewsletter2023@gmail.com with 'send pew sheet' in the subject; otherwise download from http://www.ainsworthparish.org.uk/pewsheets.html

14th September

- Bee Inspired! The Radcliffe & Whitefield Mission Community invites you to "Bee Inspired", an inspirational worship event to nourish & refresh! Live worship music, fun quiz, inspirational speaker, refreshments and Isaiah 53 Christian book and gift stall free admission, everyone welcome. This Monday, 15th September 7.30pm, St. Andrew's, Radcliffe, M26 4HU.
- **Ainsworth Mothers' Union** Invites You To 'Take A Cake Break' & help to support Fortalice Women's Refuge. This Tuesday, 16th September 2.30-4pm in Ainsworth Church & Community Hall. Admission free, simply bring a cake / slice of cake to add to the sharing table. Tea & coffee available. All proceeds to Fortalice Women's refuge.
- MacMillan Coffee Morning Friday 26th September from 10.00 to 11.30am; please join us for a drink and cake(s) on the Friday morning. Donations of cakes and raffle prizes for the

Christ Church Ainsworth

'Celebrating, encouraging, proclaiming and supporting faith, hope and love in Jesus Christ our Lord...'

This † Week



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Macmillan Coffee morning would also be most welcome and can be brought to the Churchyard on Wednesday 24th Sept from 9.30 -10.00am; to the Church Hall on Thursday 25th Sept from 8.15pm - 8.30pm; and before the Macmillan coffee morning itself from 9.00 – 10.00am.

- The Big School Assembly Singalong Saturday 11th October, 4pm. Take a nostalgic trip back to primary school days! Hosts Aled Jones and Kate Bottley will be joined by viral-sensation James B Partridge. Come and enjoy belting out the bangers accompanied by a special choir and on-stage band at the Victoria Hall in Bolton in this Songs of Praise special. For more info visit https://lostintv.com/tv-show?id=1399
- Time To Reflect Sometimes we all need a moment to be quiet; to pray; to reflect on the
 things that are happening in our lives or in the wider world. Our Church is open for quiet prayer
 most Wednesdays from 2.30 4pm; alternatively, you may wish to have a quiet moment before
 or after any of our regular Services, light a candle to remember a loved one, or simply enjoy a
 moment of tranquillity.
- **Volunteers Needed** Our Churchyard Team are a small but dedicated group of volunteers, who meet each Wednesday morning between 9.30 and 11.30am, to keep our Churchyard looking amazing. If you could spare an hour on a Wednesday morning to help, it would be hugely appreciated; no experience or equipment necessary, simply come along to the Churchyard any Weds between 9.30 and 11.30am.
- Christ Church Ainsworth 50:50 Lucky Lotto The August Lucky Lotto will be drawn in Church following the morning Service on Sunday 28th September; £1 / entry, payment by cash or bank transfer, for more info contact ainsworthparishinfo@gmail.com & remember you have to be in it to win it!!
- Candlelight Prayer is an oasis of calm at the end of a busy week. Why not join us for 10 minutes of quiet prayer and reflection each Friday at 8pm on Zoom. Simply click the link below to join in, or for more info contact Alison on 07952-709041
 - https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88510585974?pwd=QUdYYjN6bDFoakxpZnBoY2ZDMUFoZz09

Praying Together: Each week, all the Churches within our Mission Community will pray for our future together; in the coming week we will be:

- Praying for all who are living in poverty; for those who must choose between eating and heating
 as the nights begin to close in, and the weather becomes colder.
- Praying for and giving thanks for the local organisations and larger charities that work to support those in need.
- Praying for and giving thanks for the various initiatives run by or supported by the Churches within our Mission Community; Food Pantry, Porch Boxes & Urban Outreach to name but a few.
- Giving thanks for all who support these initiatives; those who donate produce, those who volunteer their time and talents.
- Praying that we will be guided and inspired by the Holy Spirit as we look for new ways to support those who are in need within our local communities.
- Praying for a time when greater equality means that these initiatives are no longer required.
 If you would like to include a notice on the pew sheet about your organisation or a specific event that's happening, please email <u>ainsworthnewsletter2023@gmail.com</u>

If you pay tax, please Gift Aid your offering(s). This enables us to claim back the tax paid on offerings. Envelopes for occasional givers are in the pews and forms for regular givers are in the porch. The only details that need to be given, are your full name, address and post code and an acknowledgement that you pay tax to the value of the amount to be claimed. Bank Standing Order forms are also available in the Church porch. Completed forms can be put on the collection plate with your offering.