

**WELCOME!**

**ST STEPHEN’S CHURCH IS OPEN**

**10am-3pm daily**

**for Private Prayer and Reflection**

**DOUBLE BULLETIN**

**5th October 2025 Trinity 16**

**HARVEST FESTIVAL**



**9am Holy Communion (BCP)**

**10.30am Harvest Praise and Thanksgiving**

with The Music Group

**12th October Trinity 17**

**10.30am Family Communion**

Notices for inclusion in the bulletin please email to me by Tuesday of each week

officeststephenfradley@gmail.com

**Please take Bulletin away with you**

**Diary Dates**

**October 2025**

Wednesday 8th 2-4pm Places of Welcome

Drop in for tea, cake and chat

Sunday 12th 10.30am Family Communion

Tuesday 14th 3.30pm Bowbrook Harvest Festival

at Bowbrook Care Home

Wednesday 15th 2-4pm Places of Welcome

Drop in for tea, cake and chat

Sunday 19th 10.30am Family Communion

celebrating St. Luke

Saturday 25th 10am-12noon Coffee morning

Churchyard Clear up

Sunday 26th 10.30am Family Communion

**Refreshments are served after every service**

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Welcome to our Worship today

If you are visiting for the first time, please introduce yourself so that we may welcome you personally.

**5th and 12th October**

**Collects**

Lord of creation,

whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders,

that we may serve you with reverence

and know your peace at our lives’ end,

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Gracious God,

you call us to fullness of life:

deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties

with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Readings**

1 Chronicles 29-6-19 Ephesians 2. 19-End

John 2.13-22

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2 Kings 5.1-3,7-15c 2 Timothy 2.8-15

Luke 17. 11-19

**Post Communions**

Almighty God,

you have taught us through your Son

that love is the fulfilling of the law:

grant that we may love you with our whole heart

and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Lord, we pray that your grace

may always precede and follow us,

and make us continually to be given to all good works;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**ST STEPHEN’S CHURCH**

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**COFFEE MORNING**

**SATURDAY 25TH OCTOBER**

**10AM – 12 NOON**

**A FUNDRAISER FOR**

**St Stephen’s Church Fradley**

**Bacon Baps Coffee and Cakes**

**Raffle Homemade Produce**

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**ST STEPHEN’S CHURCH**

**AUTUMN**

**CHURCHYARD**

**CLEAR-UP**

**SATURDAY**

**25TH OCTOBER**

**10AM-12 NOON**

**PLEASE come and help**

**Delicious Refreshments Available**

**Bring your gardening utensils**

**Rakes, Wheelbarrows, Brushes, Garden Shears,**

**Hand forks, Hedge Cutters**



**Pour your grace, O loving God**, upon all living with dementia.

Bless them with patience, a loving and supporting family, and days of hope and accomplishment.   
May they know in their hearts your comforting embrace amid their daily frustrations,  
and continue to realise, as names and memories fade, that they are still loved by family, friends, and especially by you.

*A harvest prayer…*..

Creator God,

your world is wonderful,

full of delight and difference.

We pray today for all who care for the world and for those who work to bring us understanding.

We pray for those places where life is demanding,

for those living in hostile climates caused by nature or caused by human beings.

In every place bring your hope and healing.

**Saturday 1st November**

**at All Saints Church Alrewas**

**3pm All Souls Service**

**Commemorating the Faithful Departed**

All are welcome

If you would like the name of a loved one commemorated at this service please sign the sheet at the back of church

or email Rev Elizabeth Wall ayton265@gmail.com

**Benefice Service**

**at All Saints Church, Alrewas**



**2nd November**

**10am Family Communion**

**celebrating All Saints**

We welcome the Rt Revd Dr Tim Wambunya

Bishop of Wolverhampton

to preside and preach at this service

Do join us!

**Can you help to support St Stephens Church?**

St Stephen’s Church is heavily dependent on voluntary donations and income from events in order to fulfil its ministry to the local and wider communities.

If you would like to support us at this time,

donations can be made via our Just Giving page.

We are grateful for any donation, large or small.

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