

The Anglican Parishes of Whittington, Weeford and Hints

NOTICES FOR 21st & 28th June 2026

**We are three inclusive Anglican churches where you are always welcome
May God's blessing be upon you**

We believe in an inclusive Church - church which does not discriminate, on any level, on grounds of economic power, gender, mental health, physical ability, race, age or sexuality. We believe in an hospitable Church which welcomes and serves all people in the name of Jesus Christ; which is inherently Eucharistic and sacramental, scripturally faithful but open to new insights; which seeks to proclaim and apply the Gospel afresh for each generation; and which, in the power of the Holy Spirit, allows all people to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Jesus Christ.

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For baptism and wedding bookings and other enquiries

Office hours: Thursdays 10.00 am – 3.00 pm

Please telephone beforehand to avoid a wasted journey

Sunday 21st June – Trinity 3

St Giles'	09:30	Parish Eucharist (CW)	The Revd Ashley Hines
St Mary's	11:00	Morning Prayer (BCP 1662)	Dr Trevor James
St Bart's	18:30	Evensong (BCP 1662)	The Revd Ashley Hines

Bible Lessons: Genesis 21: 8-21 p21 Romans 6: 1b-11 p1132 Matthew 10: 24-39 p975

Wednesday 24th June - Birth of John the Baptist

St Giles'	09:30	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	The Revd Ashley Hines
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Sunday 28th June – Trinity 4

St Giles'	09:30	Parish Eucharist (BCP 1662)	The Revd Ashley Hines
St Mary's	11:00	Parish Eucharist	The Revd Ashley Hines

Bible Lessons: Genesis 22: 1-14 p22 Romans 6: 12-end p1133 Matthew 10: 40-end p976

Wednesday 1st July

St Giles'	09:30	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	The Revd Ashley Hines
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**We pray by name for: All those known to us
Promoted to glory: Joyce Meredith, Pat Braidley, Lilian Lund**

LICHFIELD FOODBANK

Thank you to everyone who is continuing to donate food and also to all those who donate money, which we are using to buy essentials to keep our service going. Our most needed items at the moment are long life milk; fruit juice; pasta sauce; tea bags (40s); tinned ham, corned beef, chicken or beef. There is a collection point at St Giles' Church, Tesco, Morrisons, Waitrose and the Co-op in Lichfield. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sheepwash Farm Tractor and Trailer ride on Tuesday 30th June 5.45 pm at the farm for a prompt start at 6.00 pm. Return to Sheepwash around 8.30 pm. Tea/coffee and cake after the tour. Tickets: £12.50 each. All proceeds to St Giles' Church. Contact Gillian Davis on davispandg@gmail.com. Your name may have to go on a waiting list. Payment details will be sent later.

Saturday 4th July - Rock Tribute Night - presented by Jango Entertainment - Hints Village Hall - 7:30 pm. Jayne and her fabulous team are back to delight us in Hints village hall with another tribute night. This time they will be entertaining us with some of our favourite songs from the Gods of Rock such as AC/DC, Bon Jovi, Elton John, Rolling Stones, R.E.M, Guns and Roses, U2, Queen, Tina Turner, Blondie, Joan Jett and many more.... Fancy another night of great entertainment with friends, family and neighbours? Bar open. Get your air guitars out!! Tickets will be limited and available on a first come, first served basis priced at £12 per adult and £6 for under 12's. To book, please contact Jane Boyle on janeboylee@hotmail.com or 07843 077575.

Saturday 1st August - Hints Annual Parish Walk - St Bart's Church - 10:30 am. Get your hiking boots on and join us for a lovely walk around our parish. Starting from St Bart's Church, we will head through Bluebell Wood over to St Mary's Church in Weeford for a quick refreshment break before then heading past Hints Quarry to St Giles' Church in Whittington where we will finish up In the Dog Inn for further refreshments and a well-deserved rest. Lifts will be organised to bring us all back home to Hints afterwards. The walk itself is around 8 miles, and everyone is welcome to join us. Rather than asking you to organise sponsorship we ask for a donation from each participant of £25 per adult or £10 for children under 14. To book, please contact Jane Boyle janeboylee@hotmail.com or telephone 07843 077575.

FLICKS IN THE STICKS – ADVANCE NOTIFICATION

Friday 3rd July - 7.30 pm - St Giles' church - MOTHER'S PRIDE - a 2026 comedy-drama film directed by Nick Moorcroft - a failing pub, a divided community and a grieving family whose lives are changed by brewing real ale and entering the Great British Beer Awards. All welcome! Free crisps! Free popcorn! Free drinks! Free to view!

TIME TO HAVE YOUR SAY...

Consultations taking place in June, July and August are a chance for you to have your say in the process to appoint the 100th Bishop of Lichfield. You can take part individually using the online form [here](#). There is more information and Q&As about the consultations [here](#). There is optional background information about the diocese to assist you [here](#). There is more about the Vacancy in See process and the timetable [here](#) . . . and keep praying – see prayer card attached to the email or you can [download the prayer card here](#).