



St. Michael's

ALNWICK

Sunday, 7th June 2026

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

A warm welcome to our worship today.
Please do join us for refreshments after the 10.00am service.

Gluten Free: If you would prefer to receive a gluten free wafer at communion, please receive from the officiating minister and indicate your preference to them.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

- 8.30am** **Holy Communion**
President & Preacher : Reverend Nick Mansfield
- 10.00am** **All Together Worship Service**
President : Reverend Nick Mansfield
Preacher : Reverend Fran Bell, Curate
- 6.30pm** **Deanery Evensong (BCP) at St Mary's Church,
Longframlington**

HYMNS 806 There's a wideness in God's mercy
 363 Here in this place
 598 Before the throne of God above

READINGS Hosea 5 : 15 – 6 : 6
 Romans 4 : 13 - 25
 Matthew 9 : 9 – 13, 18 - 26

Organ Voluntary *Trumpet Tune in D by David N Johnson*

Mass Setting *David Thorne*

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday, 8th

8.30am Morning Prayer
2.00pm Ecumenical Pastoral Care Meeting in Parish Room

Tuesday, 9th

8.30am Morning Prayer
7.00pm The Bible Course Session 4 - Parish Hall

Wednesday, 10th

10.15am Holy Communion
2.00pm Mothers' Union Meeting in Parish Room
7.30pm Christians Together in Alnwick Concert (see overleaf for details)

Thursday, 11th

8.30am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mini Michaels

Saturday, 13th

10.00am - 12 Noon Consultation workshop in Church
Please come along!

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, 14th

8.30am Holy Communion
10.00am Parish Communion
5.00pm Iona Style Evening Prayer

Monday, 15th

8.30am Morning Prayer
2.00pm Pastoral Care Team meet in Parish Room

Tuesday, 16th

8.30am Morning Prayer

Wednesday, 17th

10.15am Holy Communion

Thursday, 18th

8.30am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mini Michaels

Saturday, 20th

11.00am Messy Church

For your prayers

The first news of the Ebola outbreak centred on Goma in the Eastern Democratic Republic of Congo. Please hold in your prayers the clinics and health workers there, many of whom were initially trained in maternity and neonatal care by **Birthlink**, our charity partner 2025-28. Please remember the families who are already living in the most difficult circumstances and particularly the quadruplets and their parents. You can follow the current situation in the news and online.

Deanery Evensong : 6.30pm Sunday, 7th June, St Mary's Longframlington

Today's Deanery Evensong service will take place at 6.30pm at St Mary's Church, Longframlington. This will be a BCP Service of Evening Prayer. All welcome. (Please note: there will be no evening service at St Michael's this evening.)

"A Troubadour Journey" concert, with singer-songwriter Gareth Davies-Jones, in St James' Church, Alnwick on Wednesday 10th June at 7.00pm for 7:30pm. A celebration of sights, sounds, history and heart of the Northern pilgrimage trails, in songs and stories written by Gareth on a walking retreat from Holy Island to Durham last summer.

A Christians Together in Alnwick social event. £12.50 per person, payable on entry, refreshments provided. You may reserve places in advance by email to andrew@christianstogetherinalnwick.co.uk

'All are Welcome: Building for the Future'

Consultation Workshop : 10.00am Saturday, 13th June

As part of our Mission Action Plan, we are holding a **Consultation Workshop** to explore how St Michael's Church building can best serve our worship, community and visitors for the next generation. This is an important opportunity for everyone to share ideas, hopes and concerns about the future use and possible adaptation of our much loved church building, and we would greatly value your involvement. **Please join us at 10.00am until 12 noon on Saturday 13th June in the Church.** Thank you.

Fran's Ordination to the Priesthood – Saturday, 27th June

Fran will be ordained Priest in **Newcastle Cathedral on Saturday, 27th June at 11am.** Please do come along and support Fran on this joyful and important milestone in her ministry. **The coach is now fully booked,** but you are more than welcome to make your own way to the Cathedral.

Fran will then celebrate the Eucharist for the first time at the 10am Parish Communion on Sunday, 28th June. **Please note, there will be no 8.30am service on 28th June** in order that we can gather together as a church family for Fran's first Eucharist.

Prison Awareness Course : 1st, 8th, and 15th July

As part of our vision for **Radical Welcome** at St Michael's, we would like to be a church where prison leavers are made to feel welcome. To ensure that we are equipped to offer this welcome, we are inviting anyone who is interested in doing so to take part in the **Prison Awareness Course** run by **The Welcome Directory** (welcomedirectory.org.uk). This webinar series will increase your knowledge, understanding and capacity for welcoming prison leavers appropriately. **This is not a training course, but a course designed to inform and educate in order to increase confidence.** The course is delivered between 7.30-9pm on Zoom. If you would like to take part, please email Sal :

jimoftroy@sky.com



To access the church WiFi, choose the Network 'St Michael Alnwick Guest' on your device, and enter the password:

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To make one-off donations towards the work of St Michael's Church please scan the QR code. Alternatively, you are welcome to use the card reader at the back of the church (all major cards accepted). If you would prefer to make a regular donation in support of the life and ministry of the church, please sign up to the Parish Giving Scheme by visiting : www.parishgiving.org.uk and use the Parish Code 250625172. Thank you for your generous support.



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