



This † Week

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30th August – 13th Sunday Of 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.

30th August 13th Sun After Trinity (Green)	10.30am	Prayer & Praise <i>Followed by refreshments & drawing of the August Lucky Lotto</i>
Wednesday	2.30-4pm	Harvest Crafting / Social – Church also open for quiet prayer
	6.30pm	MidWeek Praise – Family Worship
Thursday		Organ Hymnathon Challenge 9-1.15pm; 1.45-6pm; 6.15-8.15pm
Friday		Organ Hymnathon Challenge 9-1.15pm; 1.45-6pm
Saturday		Organ Hymnathon Challenge 10-2.15pm; 1.45-4.45pm; Top 50 Count Down 5-6.15pm
6th September 14th Sun After Trinity (Green)	10.30am	Holy Communion – Readings: Exodus 12.1-14; Romans 13.8-14 (BS) Matthew 18.15-20 (Lay Ass ... BS; Prayers ... GW)
	6.30pm	BCP Evensong – Readings: Galatians 5; 16-24; Luke 17; 11-19 (DH) Pg179; Psalm 23

Please hold in your prayers:

Our Local Community: Residents of Boundary Drive.

The sick: All who are unwell; Roy Turner, Moira Gilmore, Margaret Coupe, Gana Mee, 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 weeks: Winston Wareing – 01/09/1991; Barry Briggs – 01/09/2011; Edward John Chorlton – 04/09/2014; Leonard Wardle – 05/09/2007.

“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>

30th August

- **Harvest Crafting / Social Afternoon** – On Wednesday 2nd September 2.30 – 4pm we’ll be meeting in Church for a session of crafting in readiness for creating our Harvest displays. If you fancy a brew & a chat, why not come & join us? All materials provided & no expertise needed.
- **Organ Hymnathon!** Starting this Thursday, 3rd September, Jenny, our Organist, will begin a marathon 3 day challenge to play 2 verses from each of the hymns listed in our 2 Church Hymnbooks. Church will be open whenever Jenny is playing & refreshments available, so please feel free to call in, have a listen & lend your support. This will be a sponsored event with all money raised going to Church funds; if you would like to support Jenny in this amazing challenge you can pledge your support online at <https://www.gofundme.com/f/christ-church-ainsworth> Alternatively cash donations can be placed in the envelope at the back of Church any time on the run up to this event, or given in Church any time during the Hymnathon.

Christ Church Ainsworth

**‘Celebrating, encouraging, proclaiming and supporting faith, hope and love
in Jesus Christ our Lord...’**



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- **Mothers' Union** – Tues 1st Sept 2.30pm in the Church Hall. Fire safety talk to bring us up to date about fire safety in the home. Everyone welcome; 1 new 'tip' learned might be a life saved.
- **National Day Of Prayer For Schools** – Wednesday 9th September is National Day of Prayer For Schools; Church will be open from 2.30 – 4pm for prayer & chat; we will also have a Deanery Map out identifying the numerous schools within our area, on which you are invited to place a tealight to represent your prayers for each of these school communities.
- **CCA Quiz Sheet Quiz League** – The winner of the August CCA Quiz was Sue Campbell. Don't forget to pick up a copy of the September Quiz Sheet; this month we're on local pubs, past & present. The closing date for the September Quiz is Sunday 27th September.
- **Save The Date MacMillan Coffee Morning** - Once again we will be taking part in "The World's Biggest Coffee Morning", with our MacMillan Coffee Morning taking place on Friday 25th September from 10:00 to 11:30am in Ainsworth Church and Community Hall. More info to follow nearer the time.
- **Save The Date** – Bee Inspired, the Radcliffe & Whitefield Mission Community Autumn Worship event, will be held on Thursday 24th September 7.30pm @ St. Andrew's, Hillock. This is a great opportunity to come together with others from across our Mission Community to worship; includes refreshments, live worship music, keynote speaker the Venerable Simon Cook, Archdeacon of Bolton & Salford. More info & flyers out soon.
- **The Alpha Course** – It's not too late to sign up for Alpha! This course will be running on Tuesday evenings from mid-September through to the end of November. No pressure, no strings, just a space for interesting talks & open conversations – that's it. For more info or to sign up, speak to Revd Bob or email ainsworthparishinfo@gmail.com
- **Christ Church Ainsworth 50:50 Lucky Lotto** – The September Lucky Lotto will be drawn in Church following the morning Service on Sunday, 27th of September; £1 / entry, payment by cash or bank transfer, for more info contact ainsworthparishinfo@gmail.com
- **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 and giving thanks for all those who work or volunteer in our local schools & colleges.
- Praying for students & pupils who will be returning to school in the coming week, following the summer break.
- Praying for & giving thanks for those who lead youth & uniformed organisations within our parishes.
- Praying that the Holy Spirit will guide and inspire us as we seek to develop and maintain links with the schools and youth organisations within our parishes.

If you would like to include a notice on the pew sheet about your organisation or a specific event that's happening, please email ainsworthnewsletter2023@gmail.com

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.