

The United Benefice of St Michael
on Greenhill and St Mary, Lichfield
with St John, Wall

Sunday 2nd October 2016
SERVICE DETAILS
19th Sunday after Trinity

ST MICHAEL

8.00 am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Jeyan Anketell

10.00 am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Linda Collins
Deacon: Lesley Allen
Preacher: Trevor James

Hymns

Processional	739
Gradual	585
Offertory	621
Communion	429
Recessional	258

Intercessions

Lord, you are our hope:
You are our strength.

ST JOHN

10.00 am Harvest Service
President: Revd. Denise Youngs
Preacher: The Venerable Simon Baker

Hymns

Processional	349
Gradual	9
Offertory	205
Recessional	172

Collect Contemporary

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Collect Traditional

O God, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee; mercifully grant, that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

New Testament Reading
2 Timothy 1.1-14

¹Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,²To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

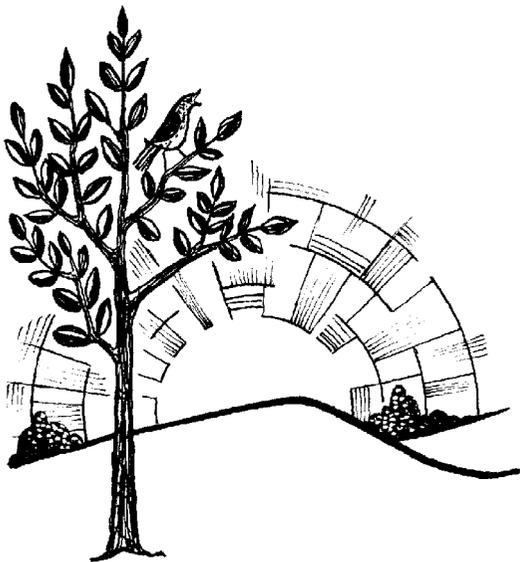
³I am grateful to God – whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors

did – when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. ⁴Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. ⁶For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; ⁷for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. ⁸Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, ⁹who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, ¹²and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. ¹³Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

Gospel Reading

Luke 17.5-10

⁵The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' ⁶The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea," and it would obey you. ⁷Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? ⁸Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? ⁹Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? ¹⁰So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!"'



FOR YOUR PRAYERS

To have someone prayed for or remembered please contact the Benefice Office.

A new list will start the first Sunday each month.

ST MICHAEL and ST MARY

Baptism

Marriage

James Bourne & Victoria Boynton

Those who are ill and their carers:

The Jackson Family

Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Dorothy Clayton, Dottie Collins, David Easton, Jean Eastwood, Joe Edwards, Margaret Fellows, Dorothy Grant, Bill and Dot Hill, Doris Hughes, Rebecca Jackson, Robert McAllester-Jones, Grant Miles, Arthur Palin, Nick Rutter, Prebendary John Taylor, Renee Wellings

Those who have died:

Pam Hedgecox, Keith Ridgway, Jean Deakin

ST JOHN

Baptism

Marriage

Those who are ill and their carers:

Connie Carvill, Pat Ellet, Nancy Hood, Ann Kinson, Allan Law

Those who have died:

Kath Invine

Post Communion – Contemporary

Holy and blessed God,
you have fed us with the body and blood
of your Son

and filled us with your Holy Spirit:
may we honour you,
not only with our lips
but in lives dedicated to the service
of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion – Traditional

Holy and blessed God,
who dost vouchsafe to feed us
with the body and blood of thy Son
and hast filled us with thy Holy Spirit:
grant that we may honour thee
not only with our lips
but in lives dedicated to the service
of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen