

Collect Contemporary

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and be changed into his likeness, from
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who is alive and reigns with you,
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one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Collect Traditional

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New Testament Reading

2 Corinthians 3.12-4.2

¹²Since we have such a hope, we act
with great boldness, ¹³not like Moses,
who put a veil over his face to keep
the people of Israel from gazing at the
end of the glory that was being set
aside. ¹⁴But their minds were

hardened. Indeed, to this very day,
when they hear the reading of the old
covenant, that same veil is still there,
since only in Christ is it set aside.

¹⁵Indeed, to this very day whenever
Moses is read, a veil lies over their
minds; ¹⁶but when one turns to the
Lord, the veil is removed. ¹⁷Now the
Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit
of the Lord is, there is freedom. ¹⁸And
all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing
the glory of the Lord as though
reflected in a mirror, are being
transformed into the same image from
one degree of glory to another; for this
comes from the Lord, the
Spirit. ¹Therefore, since it is by God's
mercy that we are engaged in this
ministry, we do not lose heart. ²We
have renounced the shameful things
that one hides; we refuse to practise
cunning or to falsify God's word; but
by the open statement of the truth we
commend ourselves to the conscience
of everyone in the sight of God.

Gospel Reading

Luke 9.28-36 [37-43a]

²⁸Jesus took with him Peter and John
and James, and went up on the
mountain to pray. ²⁹And while he was
praying, the appearance of his face
changed, and his clothes became
dazzling white. ³⁰Suddenly they saw
two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to
him. ³¹They appeared in glory and
were speaking of his departure, which

he was about to accomplish at
Jerusalem. ³²Now Peter and his
companions were weighed down with
sleep; but since they had stayed
awake, they saw his glory and the two
men who stood with him. ³³Just as
they were leaving him, Peter said to
Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be
here; let us make three dwellings, one
for you, one for Moses, and one for
Elijah.' Peter did not know what he
said. ³⁴While he was saying this, a
cloud came and overshadowed them;
and they were terrified as they entered
the cloud. ³⁵Then from the cloud came
a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my
Chosen; listen to him!' ³⁶When the
voice had spoken,
Jesus was found
alone. And the
disciples kept silent
and in those days
told no one any of
the things they had
seen. ³⁷On the next
day, when they had
come down from the
mountain, a great
crowd met him. ³⁸Just then a man from
the crowd shouted, 'Teacher, I beg you
to look at my son; he is my only child.
³⁹Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all
at once he shrieks. It throws him into
convulsions until he foams at the
mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely
leave him. ⁴⁰I begged your disciples to
cast it out, but they could not.' ⁴¹Jesus
answered, 'You faithless and perverse
generation, how much longer must I
be with you and bear with you? Bring



your son here.' ⁴²While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. ⁴³And all were astounded at the greatness of God. Everyone was amazed at all that he was doing.

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

Those being Baptised

Emily Lanes, Samuel Walton, Bridie White, Olivia Clarksmith

Those newly in need of prayer

Those in continuing special need of prayer:

Jamie, Jenny, Dorothy Clayton, Alison Cox-Toplis, Margaret Fellows, Sadie Hannon, Robert Harris, Bill and Dot Hill, Arthur Palin, Nick Rutter, Peter Salt, John Tipper, Pam Towle, Sheila Vaughan, Renee Wellings

Those who have died

Mary Bailey

ST JOHN

Those who are ill and their carers:

Nancy Hood, Ann Kinson, Allan Law

Post Communion Contemporary

Holy God,
we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ:
may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed,
that all the world may know his power to change and save.
This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion Traditional

O holy God,
we behold thy glory in the face of Jesus Christ:
grant that we who are partakers at his table
may reflect his life in word and deed,
that all the world may know his power to change and save;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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

SERVICE DETAILS

3rd March

Sunday Next before Lent

ST MICHAEL

8:00am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Jeyan Anketell

10:00am Holy Communion
President: The Venerable Simon Baker
Deacon: Alan Toplis
Preacher: Revd. Linda Collins

Hymns

Processional	279
<i>(tune St Albinus, 214)</i>	
Gradual	258
Offertory	595
Communion	444
Recessional	422

Intercessions

May our lives proclaim:

That the Lord our God is holy.

12:30pm Baptism
Minister: Revd. Linda Collins

ST JOHN

10:00am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Chris Baker

Hymns

Processional	27
Gradual	53
Offertory	56
Recessional	26