

Collect Contemporary

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taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy
Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit
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and evermore to rejoice in his holy
comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our
Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Collect Traditional

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didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people
by sending to them the light of thy Holy
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New Testament Reading

Acts 2.1-21

2 When the day of Pentecost had come,
they were all together in one place. ² And
suddenly from heaven there came a sound
like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled
the entire house where they were sitting.
³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared
among them, and a tongue rested on each
of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the
Holy Spirit and began to speak in other
languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every
nation under heaven living in Jerusalem.
⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and
was bewildered, because each one heard
them speaking in the native language of
each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they
asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking
Galileans?' ⁸ And how is it that we hear,
each of us, in our own native language?
⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents
of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia,
Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia,
Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to
Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews
and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in
our own languages we hear them speaking
about God's deeds of power.' ¹² All were
amazed and perplexed, saying to one
another, 'What does this mean?' ¹³ But
others sneered and said, 'They are filled
with new wine.'
¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven,
raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men
of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let
this be known to you, and listen to what I
say. ¹⁵ Indeed, these are not drunk, as you
suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the
morning. ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken
through the prophet Joel:
¹⁷ "In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall
prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.
¹⁸ Even upon my slaves, both men and
women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.
¹⁹ And I will show portents in the heaven
above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.
²⁰ The sun shall be turned to darkness

and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great
and glorious day.
²¹ Then everyone who calls on the name of
the Lord shall be saved."

Gospel Reading

John 14.8-17[25-27]

⁸ Philip said to him, 'Lord, show us the
Father, and we will be satisfied.' ⁹ Jesus
said to him, 'Have I been with you all this
time, Philip, and you still do not know me?
Whoever has seen me has seen the Father.
How can you say, "Show us the Father"?'
¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the
Father and the Father is in me? The words
that I say to you I do not speak on my
own; but the Father who dwells in me does
his works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the
Father and the Father is in me; but if you
do not, then believe me because of the
works themselves. ¹² Very truly, I tell you,
the one who believes in me will also do the
works that I do and, in fact, will do greater
works than these, because I am going to
the Father. ¹³ I will do whatever you ask in
my name, so that the Father may be
glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If in my name you
ask me for anything, I will do it.
¹⁵ 'If you love me, you will keep my
commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the
Father, and he will give you another
Advocate, to be with you for ever. ¹⁷ This is
the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot
receive, because it neither sees him nor
knows him. You know him, because he
abides with you, and he will be in you.
²⁵ 'I have said these things to you while I
am still with you. ²⁶ But the Advocate, the
Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in
my name, will teach you everything, and
remind you of all that I have said to you.
²⁷ Peace I leave with you; my peace I give

to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.



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 newly in need of prayer

Doug Little, Alison Cox-Toplis, Baby Jack, Dottie Collins,

Those in continuing special need of prayer:

Jamie, Jenny, Sam Bassett
Mark Berry, Dorothy Clayton, Margaret Fellows, Sadie Hannon, Robert Harris, Bill and Dot Hill, James Knight, Arthur Palin, Nick Rutter, Peter Salt, John Tipper, Sheila Vaughan, Renee Wellings

Those who have died

Muriel Brown, (interment of ashes)

ST JOHN

Those who are ill and their carers:

Pat Crowe, Jo Hearn, Ann Kinson, Allan Law

Those who have died

Nancy Hood

Post Communion Contemporary

Faithful God,
who fulfilled the promises of Easter
by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation
the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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who didst fulfil the promise of Easter
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open our lips by the same Spirit,
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Amen

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

SERVICE DETAILS

9th June

Pentecost

ST MICHAEL

8:00am Holy Communion

President: Revd. Ruth Bull

10:00am Family Praise

Ministers: Revd. Ruth Bull

Revd. Mel Clark

6:00pm Holy Communion

President: The Venerable Simon Baker

Preacher: Lesley Allen

Hymns	Processional	236
	Gradual	235
	Offertory	238
	Recessional	721

Intercessions

Spirit of the living God:

Fall afresh on us.

ST JOHN

10:00am Holy Communion

President: The Venerable Simon Baker

Hymns	Processional	69
	Gradual	53
	Offertory	90
	Recessional	321