

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

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September**  
**SERVICE DETAILS**  
**Michael and All Angels**

**ST MICHAEL**

**8.00 am Holy Communion**  
**President:** Revd. Jeyan Anketell

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**11.00 am Holy Communion**  
**President:** +Clive  
**Deacon:** Lesley Allen

**Hymns**

Processional	589
Gradual	800
Offertory	502
Communion	625+805
Recessional	483

**Intercessions:**  
Bless the Lord all you his host;  
**Praise his holy name.**

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**6:00pm Choral Evensong**  
**Minister:** Lesley Allen

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**ST JOHN**  
**10.00 am Said Holy Communion**  
**President:** Revd. Jeyan Anketell  
**Preacher:** Revd. Linda Collins

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**11:30am Baptism**  
**Minister:** Revd. Linda Collins

**Collect Contemporary**

Everlasting God,  
you have ordained and constituted  
the ministries of angels and mortals  
in a wonderful order:  
grant that as your holy angels always  
serve you in heaven,  
so, at your command,  
they may help and defend us on earth;  
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 everlasting God,  
who hast ordained and constituted  
the services of angels and mortals in  
a wonderful order:  
mercifully grant that,  
as thy holy angels alway do thee  
service in heaven,  
so by thy appointment  
they may succour and defend us on  
earth;  
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**

**Old Testament Reading.**  
**Romans 8.14-17**

<sup>14</sup>All who are led by the Spirit of God  
are children of God. <sup>15</sup>For you did not  
receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into  
fear, but you have received a spirit of  
adoption. When we cry, 'Abba! Father!'  
<sup>16</sup>it is that very Spirit bearing witness  
with our spirit that we are children of  
God, <sup>17</sup>and if children, then heirs, heirs of  
God and joint heirs with Christ – if, in  
fact, we suffer with him so that we may  
also be glorified with him.

**Gospel Reading.**  
**Mark 9.33-37**

<sup>33</sup>Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the way?' <sup>34</sup>But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. <sup>35</sup>He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, 'Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.' <sup>36</sup>Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, <sup>37</sup>'Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

**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***

Annabelle Mayfield, Emelia Rock, Jude Rock, Oakley Wilkinson

***Marriage***

Richard Hargreaves & Joanna Morris

***Those newly in need of prayer***

Charlotte, Jamie, John Doidge, Colin Eastwood, Mary Hathersmith, David Shiel, Gloria Spencer, Mary Bailey

***Those in continuing special need of prayer:***

Dorothy Clayton, Margaret Fellows, Bill and Dot Hill, Mary Jones, Queenie Jones, Arthur Palin, Nick Rutter, Renee Wellings, Rena White.

***Those who have died***

Dorothy Grant  
Barbara Davis

***Years Mind***

Pamela Hedgecox

**ST JOHN**

***Baptism***

Isabelle Carr

***Those who are ill and their carers:***

Nancy Hood, Ann Kinson, Allan Law, Tammy Leighton, John Young

**Post Communion Contemporary**

Lord of heaven,  
in this eucharist you have brought us near

to an innumerable company of angels  
and to the spirits of the saints made perfect:

as in this food of our earthly pilgrimage  
we have shared their fellowship,  
so may we come to share their joy in heaven;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

**Post Communion Traditional**

O Lord of heaven,  
in this sacrament thou hast brought us near

to an innumerable company of angels  
and to the spirits of the saints made perfect:

as in this food of our earthly pilgrimage  
we have shared their fellowship,  
so may we come to share their joy in heaven;  
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord.

**Amen**