

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

Sunday 28th August 2016
SERVICE DETAILS
14th Sunday after Trinity

ST MICHAEL

8.00 am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Jeyan Anketell

10.00 am Holy Communion
President: The Venerable Simon Baker
Deacon: Phil Clayton

Hymns

Processional	766
Gradual	238
Offertory	584
Communion	422
Recessional	394

Intercessions

The Lord is our helper:
we shall not be afraid.

6:00pm Choral Evensong
Minister: Lesley Allen

Hymns: 12
15
24

ST JOHN

10.00 am Holy Communion
President: Revd. Denise Youngs
Preacher: Trevor James

Hymns

Processional	467
Gradual	361
Offertory	4
Recessional	328

Collect Contemporary

Almighty God,
whose only Son has opened for us
a new and living way into your
presence:
give us pure hearts and steadfast wills
to worship you in spirit and in truth;
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

Almighty God,
whose only Son hath opened for us
a new and living way into thy
presence:
grant that, with pure hearts and
constant wills,
we may worship thee in spirit and in
truth;
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

Hebrews 13.1-8, 15-16

¹Let mutual love continue. ²Do not
neglect to show hospitality to
strangers, for by doing that some have
entertained angels without knowing it.
³Remember those who are in prison, as

though you were in prison with them;
those who are being tortured, as
though you yourselves were being
tortured. ⁴Let marriage be held in
honour by all, and let the marriage bed
be kept undefiled; for God will judge
fornicators and adulterers. ⁵Keep your
lives free from the love of money, and
be content with what you have; for he
has said, 'I will never leave you or
forsake you.' ⁶So we can say with
confidence,

'The Lord is my helper;
I will not be afraid.

What can anyone do to me?'

⁷Remember your leaders, those who
spoke the word of God to you; consider
the outcome of their way of life, and
imitate their faith. ⁸Jesus Christ is the
same yesterday and today and for
ever. ¹⁵Through him, then, let us
continually offer a sacrifice of praise to
God, that is, the fruit of lips that
confess his name. ¹⁶Do not neglect to
do good and to share what you have,
for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

Gospel Reading

Luke 14.1-14

¹On one occasion when Jesus was going
to the house of a leader of the
Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath,
they were watching him closely.
⁷When he noticed how the guests chose
the places of honour, he told them a

parable. ⁸When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honour, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; ⁹and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, "Give this person your place," and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. ¹⁰But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, "Friend, move up higher"; then you will be honoured in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. ¹¹For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.'



¹²He said also to the one who had invited him, 'When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbours, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid.'

¹³But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. ¹⁴And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.'

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 Dixon and Cerianne Jones
James Caddy & Katherine Johnston

Those who are ill and their carers:

The Jackson Family
Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne,
David Easton, Jean Eastwood, Joe
Edwards, Margaret Fellows, Dorothy
Grant, Pam Hedgecox, Bill and Dot Hill,
Doris Hughes, Rebecca Jackson, Robert
McAllester-Jones, Grant Miles,
Prebendary John Taylor, Renee
Wellings

Those who have died:

Harriet Jackson

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:

Frank Hearn

Post Communion – Contemporary

Lord God, the source of truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles'
teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and the breaking of
bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion – Traditional

O Lord God,
who art the source of all truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles'
teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and in the breaking of
bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen