

**Foodbank - An Urgent Appeal:** We are still experiencing high volumes of people using our service and are in need of the following items: Long-life fruit juice, long-life milk, tinned cold meat, cereal (750g), tinned vegetables, tinned tomatoes, instant mash, tinned rice pudding, coffee (small jars), sugar (500g), cereal bars, packet custard, sponge puddings, tea bags (40s only please), rice (500g only please), shower gel, antiperspirant deodorant, baby wipes, toilet rolls, nappies (any size), non-bio washing powder, pet food.



**ST MICHAEL'S  
BRAINTREE**

www.stmichaelsbtree.co.uk



### General Information

Vicar	Rev Nigel Adams	01376 807662 <i>(Nigel's day off this week will be Friday)</i>
Churchwardens	Lesley Davey David Marriott	01376 326969 01376 349257
Honorary Curate	Rev Stephen Bailey	01376 619347
Children's and Youth Worker (part-time)	Andy Carter	01787 224577
Pastoral Assistant	Jo Adams	01376 807662

- **No collections are taken during services. Offerings may be placed in the box or on the plate near the door, before or after, and please use the nearby Gift Aid envelopes if possible. Thank you.**
- A supervised crèche is available for preschoolers at the 10.00 am service. One of the helpers will contact you if there is a problem. Please note that parents/ carers are responsible for their children before and after the church service.
- There are toilets under the tower (including disabled) and in the crèche.
- Large-print hymn books and notice/service sheets are available.
- Braille hymn books are available.
- There is an induction loop for the hard of hearing. Please switch your hearing aid to the T position.
- Sermons at 10.00am and 6.30pm can be accessed via the church website.
- Where applicable, words of songs are reproduced under CCLI Licence No. 2350
- Contact Margaret Kinniburgh to add items to the Notice Sheet (by noon **Thursday**) email: [notices@stmichaelsbtree.co.uk](mailto:notices@stmichaelsbtree.co.uk). Telephone 01376 330013.

If you are new to St Michael's, welcome! If you would like someone to contact you, please leave your details in the collection box by the door. Or use the contact tab on the website: [www.stmichaelsbtree.co.uk](http://www.stmichaelsbtree.co.uk)

Name(s).....  
 Address.....  
 Telephone .....

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### Today

**9th September 2018 - 15th after Trinity**

8.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Nigel Adams
10.00am	Morning Worship
6.30pm	Holy Communion
7.30pm	Focus Youth Group

***Please join us for refreshments after the 10.00am and 6.30pm services***

### This Week

*Full details of venues and contacts in LINK magazine 'Practical Information'*

#### **10 Monday**

12.15pm	Spotlight
7.30pm	Bell Ringing
8.00pm	Badminton

#### **11 Tuesday**

#### **OCTOBER LINK SUBMISSION DUE**

1.15pm	Tiddlywinks
8.00pm	First Priority Prayer Meeting – Church House

#### **12 Wednesday**

9.45am	Meeting Point Bible Study
10.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Stephen Bailey
7.45pm	Bible Reading Group – Church House

#### **13 Thursday**

3.30pm	ASK
7.30pm	Rose Hill Bible Study

#### **15 Saturday**

9.00am	Church and Church House Working Party
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#### **16 Sunday**

#### **16th after Trinity**

8.00am	Holy Communion – Rev Stephen Bailey
10.00am	Holy Communion – 'Advice for Christian households' – Rev Nigel Adams
6.30pm	Evening Worship – 'Going separate ways' – Jennifer Bailey
7.30pm	Focus Youth Group

**10.00 a.m.**  
**Morning Worship**

Service Lead: Jennifer Bailey

A special 'Welcome Home' to Emma who will be telling us about her time in Tanzania.

1-4: Notices, Welcome and Greeting

Hymn: MP 560

5-6: Confession

Hymn: MP 639

Interview with Emma

Bible Reading: Isaiah 35: 4-10 (page 720)

Ann Mahood

Hymn: MP 1168

Bible Reading: Colossians 3: 12-17 (page 1185)

David Mahood

Hymn: MP 1129

7-8: Creed

9-11: Prayers

Roger Cooke

Hymn: MP 619

Sermon: 'Held together in love'

Roger Cooke

\*Offertory during Hymn: MP 1127

13-16: Blessing

*\*see first bullet, back page*

**6.30 p.m.**  
**Holy Communion**

Service Lead and Celebrant:

Rev Stephen Bailey

Reading: Acts 15: 1-35 (page 1113)

Jonathan Wicks

Prayers:

Janet Bamforth

Sermon: 'The Jerusalem Council'

Rev Nigel Adams

**Church Family Worship Harvest**

**Service:** will be on Sunday, 7th October. Please bring Harvest gifts which will be given to The Mother and Baby Unit and The Foyer.

**Britain, Europe and the World:** a course of 10 weekly sessions given by Roger Cooke and organised by Braintree Workers' Educational Association (WEA).

Starts Friday, 21st September 10.15am - 12.15pm at Braintree Town Hall, Fairfield Road, Braintree CM7 3YG

A leaflet is available on the tables in the cross aisle to explain the content of the course. Cost: £73.00 (free if receiving income based benefits).

To enrol go to [enrolonline.wea.org.uk](http://enrolonline.wea.org.uk) search for C2225602 or freephone telephone enrolment number on 0800 328 1060.

**For your prayers:**

**Unwell:** Marion Richardson, Jim Wild, Alison Davey, Lennie McClean (1yr old undergoing treatment at Gt Ormond St hosp), Elaine Stoodley, Lionel Clark, Audrey Hennessey, Gloria Boar

**Housebound:** Len Dove

**Other Matters:** Mission of the Month: Stand by Me. Stephen at Blackchapel am.

**Our Mission Partners:**

- ACTS: Joanna Ilboudo and her team in Burkina Faso.
- Tim and Charissa Cooke (Counties) and their Make Jesus Known outreach based in Manchester.
- Chain Foundation (Uganda): Ruth, Stone & Florence.
- Joel Wicks (and family) training for ordination at Oak Hill College.

**Dates for your diary:**

**NOTICES**

22nd September

Men's Breakfast (see notice)

22nd September

Walk in the Countryside (see notice)

29th September

Women@St Michaels Saturday School (see notice)

7th October

Church Family Worship Harvest Service (see notice)

18th October

Women@St Michaels Prayer Lunch

**LINK Magazine:** the September edition is available (30p).

**First Priority** – our monthly prayer meeting on Tuesday, 11th September, 8-9pm, will be focusing on education. If you are involved in education in any way, please join us if you are able to, or let Nigel know if there are particular things you would appreciate prayer for. On the anniversary of the 9/11 attacks in the US, we will also be praying about the threat posed by terrorism.

We are holding a **Men's Breakfast** on Saturday 22nd September, 8.30am at Yummy's, 8 Little Square, CM7 1UT. Nigel Adams will be speaking about his life as a police officer and minister under the title, "Changes & challenges". Tickets, £6 each, available from Roger Cooke, Richard Hollis, David Hart or Nigel Adams by Tues 18th Sept. All men are very welcome.

**Women@St Michaels:** Our next Saturday School will be held on 29th September 9.00-1.00pm.

**WW1 Event** Do you have any information on your predecessors life during WW1? We would like information, photos or artefacts on relatives and their life during those years. It could be service in the Army, Navy or RAF, the Home Front including women, or children's memories. This relates to those who survived or were lost in service. Please contact Sue Marriott, Jill Jackson, Lin Terris or Jenny Chapman.

**Walk in the Countryside:** You are welcome to join us for a 5-mile circular walk on Saturday 22nd September from outside 'The Stag' pub, Duke Street, Little Easton (CM6 7JE). Meet from 1.45 to set off at 2pm. Any questions? Wish to share transport? Speak to Terry or Miriam Clark.

*notices continued overleaf.....*