

St Helen's Church

Loving God, loving others, loving the world

Notices for 22nd June 2025

1st Sunday after Trinity

COLLECT	READINGS
Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.	Galatians 3.23-29 Luke 8.26-39

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday 22nd June

10:30am Holy Communion at St Helen's Note – No Messy Church (see notice)

Sunday 29th June

10:30am Holy Communion at Breedon 4:00pm Remembering Our Loved Ones at Breedon

Monday 23rd June

7:30pm Pilgrim Group *

Tuesday 24th June

2:30pm Friends, Fellowship and Faith*

Wednesday 25th June

10.30am Holy Communion at St Helen's

Thursday 26th June

10:00am Café Church at St Matthew's, Worthington

Friday 27th June

2-4pm Warm Hearted Space in the **Community Heritage Centre**

Saturday 28th June

9:30 am Morning Prayer in Hastings Chapel

* Please contact Parish Office for location

SATURDAY 28th JUNE, 4:00PM Concert at St Helen's

Gresley Male Voice Choir at 4pm. Tickets: £10 in aid of local charity Canine Partners

SUNDAY 22nd JUNE Messy Church Cancelled

Please be advised that Messy Church on Sunday 22nd June has been cancelled. The date of the next session is currently being confirmed and will be shared with you all.

TUESDAY 24th JUNE, 7:30PM We are in Stitches Talk

The next "We are in Stitches" talk will focus on the customs and traditions of weddings throughout the ages. The talk starts at 7:30pm in the St Helen's Community Heritage Centre. Tickets are payable on the door and cost £4.

SUNDAY 29th JUNE

Breedon Priory Church

10.30am Team Service (no service at St Helen's). Please come and bring a picnic lunch.

1-4pm Open Gardens in Breedon village

4pm Remembering our Loved Ones (see attached poster)

SUNDAY 6 JULY, 6:00PM Soiree

Our next Soirée includes a recital by our very own Caroline Essex, Caroline Summers and Andrew Chapman. They will be performing works by Vivaldi, Purcell, Schumann and some songs from the Musicals. Please do come and bring friends.

SATURDAY 28th JUNE, 9AM The Gathering: women's group

There will be a gathering at the Baptist Church on Saturday 28th June. Light refreshments will be available from 9:00am (including toast, jam, drinks, and possibly croissants – donations welcome). This will be followed by an informal time of worship. Katie Johnson will be giving a short talk on the theme of roses. We will begin at 9:30am, so please arrive early for a chance to chat and settle in. All are welcome!

Ask Lisa Noon for more information. 07528665478

SATURDAY 5th JULY, 10AM Garden Working Party

There will be a garden working party on Saturday morning, 5th July, 10am onwards, to tidy the Heritage Centre garden and the area around the vestry door. Any offers of help would be much appreciated. If you would like to join us, please let us know.

With grateful thanks,

Caroline Millward and Helen Smith

SATURDAY 12th JULY, 10:30-11:30AM Pause for Paws

Are you interested in finding out more about our new Outreach initiative from St Helen's? Welcoming everybody and also their dogs into our church on Saturday morning? If so, please come along on Saturday 12th July 10.30-11.30am in the Community Heritage centre. Dogs welcome! For more information see Liz Smith.

Extra Stitches

Mary Tuckey is running sewing workshops in the Heritage Centre in June and July called 'Extra Stitches', which will offer tuition in embroidery, patchwork and smocking. All the information is on the website. Link below: https://www.sthelensashby.net/Groups/4 41183/Were_In_Stitches.aspx

New Office Email Address

The office email address has changed to <u>parishoffice@sthelensashby.net</u> We still have access to the old (Gmail) address and will continue to receive emails through it, so don't worry if you send to the wrong address, but we are phasing it out, so please update your address book as soon as possible.

New Heritage Email Address

Please be advised that the Heritage email address has changed to: <u>heritage@sthelensashby.net</u> Please update your address book as soon as possible.

Do you have a notice that you would like including in the notice sheet?

If you would like to include a notice in the weekly notice sheet, please email the content for the notice, and the dates that you would like it to be included for, by **10pm** each **Tuesday** evening to: <u>noticesheet@sthelensashby.net</u> Thank you.

GIVING

https://www.sthelensashby.net/Groups/327 469/Giving.aspx

You can make donations to St Helen's

- through the Collectin card reader at the back of church
- via the open plate at the back of church after our Sunday services
- via the wall safe at the back of church
 online:

online: <u>https://givealittle.co/c/3jJkom6wKIVd</u> f6uPLphrcw



In addition, regular donations can be made through the Parish Giving Scheme: <u>www.parishgiving.org.uk</u>. You can set up a Direct Debit to give regularly or increase your contributions:

- via paper 'Gift Form' Contact Cornelia for the form, complete and post to PGS
- via telephone on 0333 002 1271, Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm
- online: <u>https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/dono</u> <u>rs/find-your-parish/ashby-de-la-</u> <u>zouch-st-helen-leicester/</u>

