



# St Helen's Church

Faith, Love, Community

## Notices for 7<sup>th</sup> June 2026 First Sunday after Trinity

COLLECT	READINGS
God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son.	Hosea 5 v15 – 6v6 Matthew 9 vv 9-13, 18-26
HYMNS	
AHON 583 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness AHON 350 Immortal love forever full	AHON 256 God who madest earth and heaven Psalm 33

### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June

8:30am Holy Communion. Staunton  
Harold  
10:30am Holy Communion, Breedon  
6:00pm Soirée, St Helen's – Choral  
Evensong followed by recital

#### Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June

7pm Pilgrim Group\*

#### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June

10.30am Holy Communion, Prior Park

#### Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June

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

#### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June

2-4pm Warm hearted space in the  
Heritage Centre

#### Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June

9:30 am Morning Prayer, Hastings  
Chapel, St Helen's  
10am Café Church, Breedon

#### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June

10:30am Holy Communion, St Helen's  
(note No service at Isley Walton due  
to the Download Festival)

\* For location details, please contact the  
parish office

## St Helen's Events

### **SATURDAY 6th JUNE, 3:30PM**

#### **Pet Service**

This will take place outside the West (Bell Tower) Door. Pets must be on leashes or in carriers for safety. There will be water bowls available. Bring a photo or a stuffed toy for remembrance. Refreshments available for all after the service.

### **SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 6:00PM**

#### **SOIRÉE with a difference!!**

For the first time since we began the Soirées, the recital will be performed by a Jazz quartet led by Brian Humpherson. The evening will follow the usual format of Choral Evensong, refreshments and then the recital but it will have a very different feel to it. Please do invite friends and neighbours etc to join us.

### **SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 10:30AM**

#### **Music Sunday – New Gloria**

Over the past few weeks, the choir have been working hard learning a new setting of the Gloria to sing in services of Holy Communion. We plan to give it its first outing on Music Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> June. We would really like the congregation to join in the singing as usual and so will be offering the opportunity to have a practice at 10.20am that day. Please do join us if you can.

### **SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 10.30AM**

We will welcome a speaker from one of the Charities we support. This will be Steve Moses from the Loughborough Town of Sanctuary. We look forward to hearing more of their work with asylum seekers and refugees.

### **SATURDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 7:00-9:30PM**

#### **Connections - Midsummer Quiet**

As part of our Connections programme, Andy Smith will lead a quiet evening in the Heritage Centre, concluding with a simple service of Holy Communion in the Garden, led by Sue Field.

On this evening of longest light, we'll take time to pause, reflect, and rest awhile in the presence of God — giving thanks for the gift of light, the changing seasons of life, and the steady light of Christ that does not fade.

To help preserve the reflective atmosphere, numbers will be limited to around 20 people. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church by the Visitors Book, or else please contact Andy if you'd like to attend.

## St Helen's Notices

### **SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 11:00AM**

#### **Fire Safety Training**

As part of the PCC's continued commitment to look after the safety of those who use our buildings we have arranged for an engineer to run fire safety training on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June. This will include practical instruction in the use of fire extinguishers.

The training will take up to an hour and will be in the churchyard starting at 11am. It is primarily for those who steward or warden at our services and events. Places are limited to 12 so if you are regularly on duty with the same person maybe one of you could do the training. Please book a place with Helen (email [andhelbez@talktalk.net](mailto:andhelbez@talktalk.net))

**SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 9.30AM - 1PM**  
**Garden Working Party**

There will be a garden working party taking place on Saturday 13th June, commencing at 9.30am until 1pm, to carry on with the clearing and tidying in the Heritage Centre garden. Willing volunteers would be most welcome. Please don't feel obliged to commit to the whole session - any help would be much appreciated. Please let us know if you can join in. Many thanks, Caroline & Rob Millward

**WEDNESDAY 12<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 10:00AM**  
**Holiday Bible Club**

The holiday bible club will be returning this summer. Attendees must be 5-11 years old, although 4 year olds who have completed their Reception year but not yet turned 5 will also be welcome. This will be £3 per child. Further details to follow.

**Other Notices**

**SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 10:00AM**  
**Café Church, Breedon**

Café church will be meeting again at Breedon Church from 10-11.30am. Come and enjoy coffee and cake in the beautiful surroundings of Breedon Church. There will be a short reflection given by Sue at 11am.

**SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 2:00PM**  
**AYFC Afternoon Tea**

Ashby Youth for Christ will be hosting an Afternoon Tea in the St Helen's Heritage Centre. Tickets are £10 for adults or £5 for children (up to age 11). Please purchase your tickets at the following link:

<https://ashby-youth-for-christ.sumupstore.com/product/ayfc-afternoon-tea>

**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: [noticesheet@sthelensashby.net](mailto:noticesheet@sthelensashby.net)