

**Spotlight Link Newsletter.**  
**St Matthias & St George Parish Church.**  
**Week Commencing 17<sup>th</sup> July 2016.**  
**A member of "Christ the King" team ministry.**

**Fr Michael Bartlett** - Tel 01527 545709.

**Team Rector.**

St Peter's Crabbs Cross

**Fr Glenn Reading** - Tel 01527 894436 or 07964

282278 **Team Vicar.**

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**Welcome to St Matthias & St George Parish Church, Church Road, Astwood Bank B96 6EH**

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**Services for Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

**Trinity 8**

0900 Said Eucharist CW led by Fr Glenn.

1030 No Sunday Stars until September.

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**Service for Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July.**

1000 Said Eucharist CW led by Fr Glenn.

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**Services for Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July**

**Trinity 9**

1030 Sung Eucharist CW led by Fr Glenn

No Sunday Stars.

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**Service for Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July**

**Trinity 10**

**10.30 Sung Eucharist CW led by Rev Barry**

Please note that Barry will also be leading the services on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Aug as Glenn is on holiday.

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**Spotlight Notices** for inclusion next week please give to Brian by 1-00pm on Thursday on 892213 or e mail to [brianrichards@talktalk.net](mailto:brianrichards@talktalk.net)

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**P.C.C. meeting.**

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 1940 in the Vicarage with HC in Church at 1900. which is open to all.

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**Forthcoming Weddings**

**The marriage of Stephen Robinson and Stephanie Day** will take place in this Church on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 1.00 pm. We pray for them As they prepare for their wedding.

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**The marriage of Gareth Franklin Smith and Teresa Faye Baylis** will take place on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 2.00pm. We pray for them as they prepare for their wedding.

**Christian Aid Collection**

A magnificent total of £725.90 was collected this year. A big thank you to all who helped in any way.

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**Carnival** Thanks to all those who took part in any way in our support of this village charity fundraising. In particular thanks to Helen for organising the free drinks outside the church, and to Laurie for manning the stall on the field until help arrived. Also to all those who helped at either venue or contributed to the stall which raised £123.80, £20 to the carnival and the rest to church funds.

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**We continue to pray for** Mick Bolt, Jean Green, Philippa Kreuser, Alex, Mike Lawes, Karen & Dale Roberts, Kath Moody, Colin & Alison Daines, Marion Lee, Edna Weale, Jean Lees, Duncan Glover, Ann Bush, Kate Vicos and Kieran Whitworth Joyce Thomas, Malcolm and all their families at this time.

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**P.C.C. Secretary.**

Fr Glenn would like to hear from anyone who would be prepared to consider the above position which has become available.

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**Pastoral Care.** If you know anyone requesting a pastoral visit or Home Communion please contact Irene Hamilton on 894179. For a hospital visit or bedside Communion please contact Margaret Andrew on 01527 540658.

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**The Prayer Notice Board** is available for prayer requests at back of Church. Please pray for those who are sick and all who need our prayer support

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**The prayer chain** is led by Pauline Jones and to address urgent prayer requests ring Pauline on 892650 The prayer group continues on Thursdays.

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**NB Graham Bishop of Dudley has been invited to join us to take the service on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September.**

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[www.astwoodbankchurch.org.uk](http://www.astwoodbankchurch.org.uk)

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