

St Matthias & St George Parish Church.
A member of “Christ the King” team ministry.
Week Commencing 21st July 2019 Trinity 5

For in him (Christ) all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. Colossians 1v 15 -28.

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**Today's Services for Sunday, 21st July
Trinity 5**

9.00 am said Eucharist (Common Worship)

There are no Arts and Craft activities today

6.30 pm sung Evensong (BCP)

Hymns: 31 And did those feet in ancient time

106 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

311 Lord Jesus Christ

205 He who would valiant be

Services for W/C 21st July

Please note that there will be no weekday services until the start of the new school term in September.

There will also be no Sunday Stars nor Arts & Craft Activity meetings until September. The next Informal Family Service will be on September 1st.

Sunday 28th July 10.30 am sung Eucharist.

We pray for those who are sick:- Philippa Kreuser, Rosie, Alex, Jean Lees, Joyce Thomas, Margaret Emms, Margaret Mills, Marion Williams, Alexei, Rev Ivor and Dora Merry, Margaret Savage, Ann Heath, Stewart Kirby, Nesta Pearman, Hazel Richards, Heather, Ben Crawford, John, Carol Tolley, Talisein, together with their families

A prayer notice board is available for requests at the rear of the church. Please write on it prayers for those who are sick or who need our prayer support for any reason.

Home Visits: Anyone who wishes to have a pastoral visit or receive home communion should contact Irene Hamilton on 894179

Spotlight Notices: Please give notices for inclusion in Spotlight to **Richard Porteous** by next Thursday on 01527 542620 or at richardporteous@yahoo.co.uk Log onto our website for more information
www.astwoodbankchurch.org.uk

Churches together in Redditch (CTiR):

We focus our prayers in July on Emmanuel Church in the Ecumenical Centre in Redditch and on the wider communal life of the Town Centre. We pray that the Bandstand events will be safe, well supported and a good way to create a sense of fun, celebration and community cohesion. We are asked to pray for the leisure life, including the night time economy. Pray for enjoyment that does not spill over into excess that leads to strife, violence and injury. We pray for Police, Police and Community Support Officers, and venue door and security staff who often have to show wisdom and restraint in enabling good outcomes. We pray for the Redditch Town Centre Partnership, made up of representatives from various local authority, business and community agencies, as it seeks to play a part in the renewing of the landscape, facilities and vibrancy of the Town Centre. Finally we pray for the churches located in and around the Town Centre, that they will find effective ways to play their part in ministering into the Town Centre life and the community of folk who live there

Nightstop Foodbank: There is a box at the rear of the church in which food and toiletry gifts can be placed.

Prayer Chain: If you have someone you wish to be prayed for, please contact Pauline Jones on 892650 who will then contact other members of the Prayer Group

APPEAL TO HELP REFUGEES - Can you help? Bromsgrove & Redditch Welcomes Refugees (BRWR), working with People In Motion (PIM), have over the last two years been collecting donations of clothes, shoes, tents, sleeping bags, blankets and coats which are then sent out to refugees in northern France or Greece. They will be at The Bridge Church on the first Saturday of each month; the next collection being on Saturday 3rd August from 2.00pm - 4.00pm. You can go and chat with representatives and find out more about this work, or phone Sue Yeng on 07973 130964.

