



### **Midlands Women's Convention**

Cornerstone Church, Nottingham  
on Saturday 5 October, 2019, doors  
open 9:15am.

Save the date, and go to [https://  
christianconventions.org.uk/mwc/  
convention](https://christianconventions.org.uk/mwc/convention) to book your place.

If you wish the church to book you  
a place, please email the office.

### **Midlands Men's Convention**

The Men's Convention is on  
Saturday 9th November at  
Cornerstone Church Nottingham.  
Doors open at 9.30am.

Save the date.

Tickets can be booked at [https://  
christianconventions.org.uk/mmc/  
convention](https://christianconventions.org.uk/mmc/convention) or you can contact the  
church office to book you a place.



*Everything you need for today's service will be on the screen. Service sheets, including large print, are available if you prefer.*

*Toilets are located in the hall next door.*

*If you're at Duffield - In the event of a fire please exit the building either through the main door or via the door to the church hall (Link), then turn right into the graveyard. Fire Assembly Point is the War Memorial, by the gate.*

*Please switch your hearing aid to the T setting for our **Induction Loop system***

*If you're at Little Eaton, in the event of a fire, leave through the door you came in, unless instructed otherwise and assemble by the Lych Gate.*



# The United Benefice of Duffield and Little Eaton

## **Weekly News 8th September 2019**

### **Services on Sunday 8th September**

- 10am Morning Service (Philemon 1-7 Greetings & Thanksgivings)  
At St Alkmund's Duffield
- 4.30pm Afternoon Service (Luke 17:1-15)  
At St Paul's Little Eaton
- 6.30pm Communion (Luke 12:35-48 Be Prepared)  
At St Alkmund's Duffield

### **Next Sunday (15th September)**

- 8am Communion All Saints Chapel
- 10am Communion (A Plea for Onesimus Philemon 8-25)  
At St Alkmund's Duffield
- 4.30pm Afternoon Service (1 Thessalonians 1:1-3)  
At St Paul's Little Eaton
- 6.30pm Evening Service (The Time is Coming Luke 12:49-59)  
At St Alkmund's Duffield

### **For more information see:**

[www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](http://www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk) or [www.littleatonchurch.co.uk](http://www.littleatonchurch.co.uk)

Facebook: St Alkmund's Church Duffield or St Paul's Church Little Eaton

Twitter: @StAlksDuffield

Call the office on 01332 840536 (open Monday-Friday 9.30am-3pm)

Or email on [office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](mailto:office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk)

**Parish Safeguarding Link.** If you have a safeguarding issue contact::

**St Alkmund's:** Gill & Paul Linford on 07486 560657 or email [safeguarding@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk).

**St Paul's:** Lucy Baily [safeguarding@littleatonchurch.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@littleatonchurch.co.uk)

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### Youth and Children's Work at St Alkmund's

**Babes & Bouncers:** Monday Mornings, 9.30am-11.15am. We'll be hearing all about how God saves his people, along with plenty of Toys and play time, crafts, songs and refreshments!

**Creche:** Available during the Morning services for 0-3 year olds.

**Sunday Club:** Meets in the hall - we're looking at the Old Testament this term from Creation.

**Sparks:** First Sundays of each month, we'll be learning some memory verses this year along with playing games, songs, crafts and café.

**Fuel:** 11-14's, We look over a passage of the bible whilst having breakfast.

**Salt Café:** Pizza, games and friendship before the first Sunday Special Service each month, 5.30pm.

**Youth Band:** Playing (usually) on the third Sunday of each month in the Evening Service.

**Impact & Ignition:** Monday and Tuesday Evenings. Our youth groups are spending the term in the Parables looking at what these well-loved stories of Jesus still have to teach us today.

**CU:** Tuesday lunch times at Ecclesbourne School, E Block.

If you would like to see **James Hughes**, the Vicar, about any pastoral or church matter, please contact him at home on 84 1867 or at the office on 840536.

### Dates for your Diary.

<b>Tuesday</b>	9.15am	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
<b>10th Sept.</b>		
	7pm	<i>Impact/Ignition joint social</i>
<b>Monday 16th</b>		<i>Mini mission week</i>
<b>- 22nd Sept</b>		
<b>Monday 16th</b>	7pm	<i>Impact "Come and See" Mission event</i>
<b>Sept</b>		<i>"Is there a God?"</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	7.30pm	<i>Ignition "Come and See" Mission event</i>
<b>17th Sept</b>		<i>"What does the Bible say About Truth?"</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	7.30pm	<i>"Come &amp; See" Songs and Stories @ St Alkmund's</i>
<b>18th Sept.</b>		
<b>Friday 20th</b>	7.30pm	<i>"Come &amp; See" meal @ St Paul's</i>
<b>Sept.</b>		
<b>Saturday</b>	7.30pm	<i>"Come &amp; See" meal @ St Alkmund's</i>
<b>21st Sept</b>		
<b>Sunday 22nd</b>	10am	<i>Invitation Services</i>
<b>Sept</b>	(Duffield)	
	4.30pm	
	(Little Eaton)	

### Prayers

**For those who are ill:** Ev Nove; Pam Barber (friend of Joy Hall), Doreen Curl; Glan Evans; Laura (a friend of Joanna Saunders); Susan Slawson; Florence Owen; Frank Robinson; Joyce Winwood; Ann Capel; Deena Smith.

### Ministry Team Prayer Diary.

Please include these in your prayers this week.

Helen & Carys as they make preparations for the youth programme for this term.

James & Dave and all those in leadership as the new service pattern begins, for strength, wisdom and stamina during the changes.

Don't forget to pick up the Benefice Term Card which has information on Services, times and details of what's on for the youth during services.

## Come And See

**Have you ever wondered about something...  
...but not known how to find out about it?**

Everyone, at some level, is searching for real love, real happiness, real hope and real life. We don't want to live life and miss what most matters. As Christians we believe Jesus offers all those things in relationship with him. Real and lasting love, happiness, hope and life. So we're inviting you to **come** along and **see** for yourself. We're organising two meals with after dinner talks from the bible, and two special services for you to do just that.

We'd also love for you to hear from people in our churches who have found that Jesus is worth trusting because they've come to see that Jesus really does give us what we most long for. Please feel free to come along to any or all of our events and services - there's no charge. We'd love to see you.

### **Come and See Real Love - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Sept**

A meal followed by a short talk from the bible.  
at 7.30pm at Little Eaton Church Hall

### **Come and See Real Happiness - Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Sept**

A meal followed by a short talk from the bible at St Alkmund's, Duffield at 7.30pm

### **Come and See Real Hope – Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept**

A special service at St Alkmund's to hear more about what difference hope makes to life at St Alkmund's Duffield at 10.00am

### **Come and see Real Life – Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept**

A special service at St Paul's Little Eaton to come and see the life Jesus offers. St Paul's Little Eaton at 4.30pm

### **8th September 2019**

#### **St Alkmund's Duffield Morning Service 10am**

**Opening songs:** O for a thousand tongues to sing;  
Bless the Lord O my Soul

**Confession**

**Notices**

**Children's talk**

**Song -** Our God is a great big God (used at holiday club)

**Children depart**

**Reading** Philemon 1-7 (pg 1202, or 1101 lg print)

**Prayers**

**Creed**

**Song -** Holy Spirit, living breath of God

**Sermon**

**Song -** Oh how good it is

#### **St Paul's Little Eaton Afternoon Service 4.30pm**

**Songs** The Splendour of the King; Faithful One;  
God of Grace

**Confession**

**Prayers**

**Notices** (After this, the children leave for their groups)

**Reading** Luke 17:1-15 (pg 1051)

**Sermon**

**Song** He's our Rescuer

#### **St Alkmund's Duffield Evening Communion 6.30pm**

**Song** From the Highest of Heights;  
Awake, Awake O Zion

**Confession**

**Prayers**

**Notices**

**Reading** Luke 12:35-48 (pg 1050 or 965 lg print)

**Creed**

**Song** This Life I Live

**Sermon**

**Song** What Grace is Mine

**Communion**

**Song** Jesus is Lord, the Cry



St Alkmund's



St Paul's



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## Events @ St Paul's

<b>Sunday 8th Sept.</b>	4.00pm	<i>Soft Launch Afternoon Service @ St Paul's.</i>
<b>Thursday 19th Sept.</b>	2pm	<i>Third Thursday</i>
<b>Sunday 15th Sept.</b>	4.00pm	<i>Launch of afternoon service @ St Paul's</i>

### Afternoon Service

Our new afternoon service starts on Sunday 15th September at 4.30pm, with refreshments served from 4pm. The first Sunday of the month will be communion. Next Sunday will be our launch service. Please invite people to come, and pray for those thinking of coming.

### Songs of Praise

On the first Thursday of every month, at 2pm, in the church hall, we meet to sing hymns chosen by you and hear a talk followed by refreshments, including some very nice cake. Next meeting is on Thursday 3rd October

### Third Thursday

Come along on the third Thursday of every month for tea, coffee, cake and company. In the church hall from 2pm. Our next meeting is on 19th September.

## Events @ St Alkmund's

<b>Monday 9th Sept.</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
<b>Tuesday 10th Sept</b>	2pm	<i>Funeral in church (Helen Ribbons)</i>
<b>Wednesday 11th Sept</b>	10am	<i>Ladies Bible Study</i>
	See leaders for details	<i>Growth Groups</i>
<b>Thursday 12th Sept</b>	7.45pm	<i>Music Practice</i>
<b>Monday 16th Sept.</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
	2pm	<i>Tea, Cake &amp; Chat</i>

### Songs of Praise

On the first Monday of every month (or thereabouts) at 2pm in the hall, we meet to sing traditional hymns, and hear a talk followed by tea, coffee and cakes. The next meeting will be Monday 7th October.

### Tea, Cake & Chat.

Our next meeting will be 16th September. Have a lovely summer and see you then.

### Lunch time Concert - September

This month's lunchtime concert will be held 25th September (not 18th as previously published). Emma will be taking requests, so if you have a particular song you'd like to hear, please let Emma know.

Please see the Benefice page for details about Youth Groups