

## 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.

*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 22nd September 2019

### Services on Sunday 22nd September

10am	Morning Service	"Come and See" Real Hope (John 11:1-16) <i>At St Alkmund's Duffield</i>
4.30pm	Afternoon Service	"Come and See" Real Life (John 10:1-10) <i>At St Paul's Little Eaton</i>
6.30pm	Communion	Repent or Perish (Luke 13:1-9) <i>At St Alkmund's Duffield</i>

### Next Sunday (29th September)

8am	Communion	All Saints Chapel
10am	Morning Service	Harvest Festival <i>At St Alkmund's</i>
4.30pm	Afternoon Service	A Good Example & Harvest (1Thessalonians 1:4-10) <i>At St Paul's</i>
6.30pm	Evening Service	The Kingdom of God (Luke 13:10-21) <i>At St Alkmund's</i>

### For more information see:

[www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk](http://www.stalkmundsduffield.co.uk) or [www.littleeatonchurch.co.uk](http://www.littleeatonchurch.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 Bailey [safeguarding@littleeatonchurch.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@littleeatonchurch.co.uk)

Dear Friends,

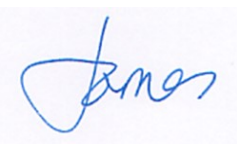
As our come and see mission events draw to a close today, we may be asking – what's next – either in terms of other events to come to and invite people to, or in terms of an opportunity to think things through a bit more.

In terms of events, next week we will be celebrating our **Harvest festival** – at 10am at Duffield and 4.30pm at Little Eaton. This is a great opportunity to invite friends, and to bring gifts along, as we seek to support the homeless in our local area. Even though few of us make our living directly 'from the land' anymore, we still recognise the connection, and the chance to give thanks.

Every month we also have a **First Sunday Special**, at our evening service. this term we are thinking through some of the questions people ask about Jesus. Do join us on the 6<sup>th</sup> October as we ask whether Jesus was just a wise man from Galilee. This service is in the hall, we sit around tables, and there is an opportunity to ask questions. And plenty of tea and coffee. It provides a more informal opportunity to gather together, and to find out more about Jesus. The **essentials** course begins shortly at Little Eaton – more information can be found later on in this news sheet. It is a great opportunity to think through the Christ faith. So, if that interests you, do come along.

And for those of you who have enjoyed the experience of doing small events during the mission, don't feel that you must stop, and wait until we do another mission as a Benefice. If your small group wants to organise another event, whether that is a meal, a coffee morning or something else, then go right ahead!

Yours in Christ



If you would like to see **James Hughes**, the Vicar, about any pastoral or church matter, please contact him at home on 841867 or at the office on 840536. David Barnsley can be contacted at home on 585190, or on mobile 07759 827842.

### Dates for your Diary.

<b>Mon 23rd Sept</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
<b>Tues 24th Sept</b>	8pm	<i>Men's 5 a-side football</i>
<b>Wed 25th Sept</b>	10am	<i>Ladies Bible Study</i>
	1pm	<i>Lunchtime Concert</i>
<b>Sat 28th Sept</b>	12.30pm	<i>Wedding in church Harry Bray &amp; Joan Ruscoe</i>
<b>Mon 30th Sept</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
<b>Tues 1st Oct</b>	8pm	<i>Men's 5 a-side football</i>

### General Notices

#### 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 14th October (not 3rd Monday as usual).

#### Church Directory

For the new church directory, we would like to include pictures of people. Jeff Taplin will have the church camera at the end of the service, if you are happy to have your picture taken for the directory and have previously filled in a GDPR form, please do seek him out, or find Emma who can tell you whether you signed a GDPR form.

#### Help for Babes & Bouncers

If anyone could help for half an hour from 11.15am, on Mondays to help pack away toys and crafts. Thank you.

#### Open The Book

Will be doing morning assemblies at William Gilbert School on Wednesday 25th September, 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd October. Bringing Bible stories to the children through song and drama. Please pray for the people involved and that the message will get through to the children's hearts.

#### Lunchtime Concert

If you do have a request for Emma to play on Wednesday, please let he know by today. Thank you. See you Wednesday!

### Dates for your Diary.

<b>Thurs 25th Sept</b>	7.30pm	<i>Growth Groups (see leaders for details)</i>
<b>Tues 1st Oct</b>	9.45am	<i>Growth Group</i>
<b>Thurs 3rd Oct</b>	2pm	<i>Songs of Praise at Little Eaton</i>

### General Notices

#### Harvest Gifts

Our Harvest Service is next week, 29th September. We are collecting items for the Padley Centre again this year. If you would like contribute there is a list of things they want at the back of church.

#### 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.

#### 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 24th October.

#### David's changing role

David is settling into a new pattern of a working week. He'll be usually working Monday and Wednesday daytimes at St Peter's, Stapenhill; and so, won't be available during those times.

### 22nd September 2019

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

**Opening songs** Come people of the risen King;  
Behold our God

**Confession**

**Notices**

**Children's talk** "Come and see"  
**Song** God's love is the best love

**Children depart**

**Reading**

**Prayers**

**Song** Amazing grace  
**Sermon** "Come and See"  
**Song** Be Thou my vision

*James Hughes*

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

**Songs** Come People of the Risen King  
All Heaven Declares  
Cornerstone

**Confession**

**Prayers**

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

**Reading** John 10:1-10 (pg 1076)

**Sermon**

**Song** I will Sing the Wondrous Story

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

**Opening songs:** Cornerstone,  
10,000 reasons

**Confession**

**Prayers**

**Notices**

**Reading** Luke 13:1-9 (pg 1051 or 966 in lg print)

**Creed**

**Song** You are holy

**Sermon** "Repent or Perish" *James Hughes*

**Song** There is love

**Communion**

**Song** Before the throne of God above



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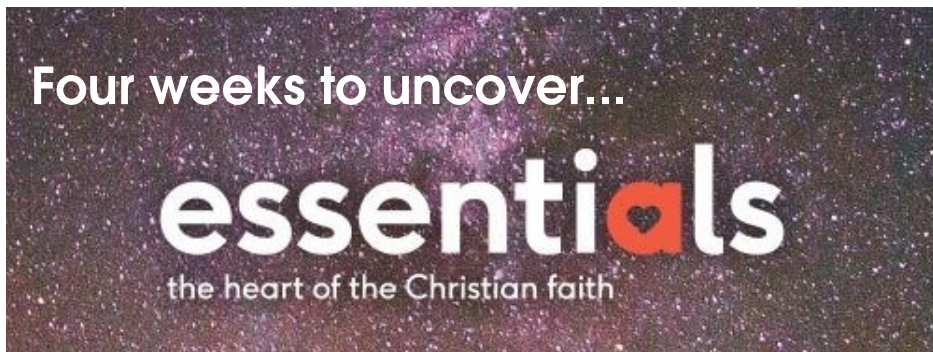
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**Dates for your Diary.**



**Thursday 3rd Oct, 7.30pm at Little Eaton Church Hall.**

An informal course, with a discussion, a short 10 min video, and looking at a bible passage. We won't ask you to pray, sing, or read out loud. All are welcome to come along.

Please contact David Barnsley for more details:  
vicar@litleeatonchurch.co.uk

<b>Mon 23rd Sept</b>	7pm	<i>Impact</i>
	7.30pm	<i>P.C.C. Meeting</i>
<b>Tues 24th Sept</b>	9.15am	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
	7.30pm	<i>Ignition</i>
<b>Mon 30th Sept</b>	7pm	<i>Impact</i>
<b>Tues 1st Oct</b>	9.15am	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
	7.30pm	<i>Ignition</i>
<b>Wed 2nd Oct</b>	7.30pm	<i>Prayer Meeting</i>
<b>Thurs 3rd Oct</b>	7.30pm	<i>Essentials Course at St Paul's</i>
<b>Sun 6th Oct</b>	5.30pm	<i>Salt Cafe</i>

**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.

Richard Lindop speaking at St Augustines Church, Derby for Tearfund.

Helen & Carys at CU on Tuesday.

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