



### Midlands Women's Convention

Cornerstone Church,  
Nottingham

Saturday 5 October, 2019,  
doors open 9:15am.

Save the date, and go to <https://christianconventions.org.uk/mwc/convention>

to book your place.

### Midlands Men's Convention

Saturday 9th November at  
Cornerstone Church  
Nottingham.

Doors open at 9.30am.

Tickets can be booked at

<https://christianconventions.org.uk/mmc/convention>.



*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 29th September 2019

### Services on 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>

### Next Sunday (6th October)

8am	Communion	All Saints Chapel
10am	Morning Service	A Council in Jerusalem (Acts 15:1-35)
		<i>At St Alkmund's</i>
4.30pm	Communion	Fathers, Mothers Brothers (1 Thessalonians 2:1-16)
		<i>At St Paul's</i>
6.30pm	First Sunday Special	Meeting the real Jesus: Just a wise man from Galilee? (Mark 2:1-12)
		<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)

## Youth and Children's Work



**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.

**Explorers** runs every Sunday during our 4.30pm service for 3-11 year olds, starting in the service, then escorted to the hall for songs, Bible stories and craft activities. Children are brought back to the church at the end of the service.



**Creche** Babies and small children are welcome at our services—there is a supervised creche available during our afternoon services in the hall. Creche children leave and return with our Explorers.

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 30th Sept</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
<b>Tues 1st Oct</b>	8pm	<i>Men's 5 a-side football</i>
<b>Mon 7th Oct</b>	9.30am	<i>Babes &amp; Bouncers</i>
	2pm	<i>Songs of Praise at Duffield</i>
<b>Wed 9th Oct</b>	10am	<i>Ladies Bible Study</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. **Pictures being taken today and next week!**

### 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 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.

### Dates for your Diary.

<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>
<b>Thurs 10th Oct</b>	7.30pm	<i>Growth Groups</i>

### General Notices

#### Afternoon Service, help needed.

Now our new service has been running for a few weeks do you feel able to help? We need people to set up and serve refreshments or do a bit of baking or greet people as they arrive. Please see Diane at church or contact the office.

#### 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.

#### Men's Group

Our men's group are having a games night on 18th October at 7.30pm. More details to follow.

#### John Newton Webb

John will be joining us for our afternoon service on 24th November. This is a great opportunity to find out more about what he and Sian are doing and how we can be supporting them.

### 29th September 2019

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

**Opening songs** We plough the fields and scatter  
May the Peoples Praise You

#### Confession

#### Prayers

#### Notices

**Reading** Genesis 8:13-22 (*pg 7 in both bibles*)

**Song** Our God is a Great Big God

Super Saviour

**Sermon** "Giving Thanks to God at Harvest" *James Hughes*

**Song** Come Ye Thankful People Come



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

**Songs** Come ye Thankful People Come  
Cornerstone  
Light of The World

#### Confession

#### Prayers

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

**Reading** 1 Thessalonians 1:4-10 (*pg 1186*)

**Sermon** "A Good Example" *James Hughes*

**Song** Great is Your Faithfulness



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

**Opening songs:** The Splendour of the King  
Give thanks to the Lord  
Sovereign Over Us

#### Confession

#### Prayers

#### Notices

**Reading** Luke 13:10-21 (*pg 1051 or 967 in lg print*)

#### Creed

**Song** Never Alone

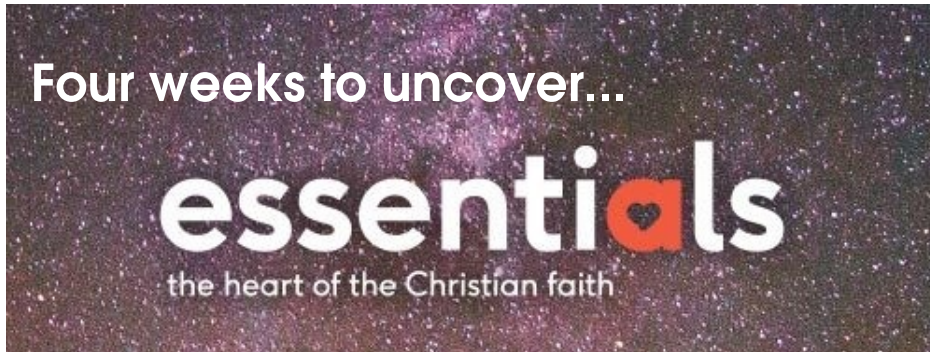
**Sermon** "The Kingdom of God" *David Barnsley*

**Song** Be Thou my Vision





**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@littleeatonchurch.co.uk

<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 at St Alkmund's</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>
<b>Mon 7th Oct</b>		<b>Office Closed</b>
	7pm	<i>Impact</i>
<b>Tues 8th Oct</b>	9.15am	<i>Morning Prayer</i>
	7.30pm	<i>Ignition</i>
<b>Wed 9th Oct</b>		<b>Office Closed</b>
<b>Sat 12th Oct</b>	9.30am	<i>Parenting Course</i>



# Biblical Parenting

Saturday 12th and 19th October 2019

9.30am-12.30pm @ St Alkmund's Church Hall, Duffield

Join us as we explore what the bible tells us about parenting, and as we work out how to do it in today's world. There will be plenty of time for discussion, and for sharing with those at a similar stage of life.

Activities for children and young people will be provided during the morning.

To sign up, contact the church office at Duffield:  
office@stalkmundsduffield.co.uk

## 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; Graham Newton; Jeremiah Kashoboorzi.

## Ministry Team Prayer Diary.

Please include these in your prayers this week.

James is leading assembly at William Gilbert School on Monday

Helen & Carys at CU on Tuesday.

Richard Lindop is preaching at Stapenhill next Sunday evening.

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