

# St Thomas' Church, Trowbridge and St John's, West Ashton

## Weekly News

Sunday 7th July 2024

Trinity 6



**10.30am, St Thomas : Morning service:**

led by Martyn Whittock

**10.30am, St John's : Morning service:** led by Judy Wright

**10.30am, Kingfisher Church: Informal Service:** led by Ed Greening

“This, then, is how you should pray:

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.

Matthew 6:9-13

## *Welcome*

*You are warmly welcome to join us for any of our services -  
if you are new please make yourself known to us and please join us  
for coffee or tea after the service.*

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## Services for 14th July 2024 Trinity 7

**10.30am, St Thomas & St John's: Joint Holy Communion service:** led by Bishop Andrew followed by bring your own lunch

Flowers: Barbara R.

**10.30am, Kingfisher Church: Morning Service:** led by Ed Greening and Alison Bennett

### Notice

#### **Explorers (AGE 7-11, primary):**

#We need an extra helper.

#If anyone would be willing to lead occasionally when existing leaders are both unavailable that would be great.... only a couple times a year.

#### **Apprentices (AGE 15-18, basically GCSE & A-Level age):**

#With Janet leaving in the summer, we are looking for one or two people who would be willing to join the rota of leaders.

#We could also benefit from someone willing to be an additional helper.

#Hannah & Gwen could discuss frequency with any who are interested in this area.

#### **AUGUST 18<sup>th</sup>**

We need someone to help Naomi lead the 'Junior Church Special,' on Sunday morning August 18<sup>th</sup>. This is a shortened (45 minute) combined Junior Church (ages 4-11).

The theme is decided (Mary & Martha) and resources are provided.

### Allan and Janet's Farewell Party

Saturday 6th July 6pm Holy Trinity Church. We have permission to park at Selwood housing and Citizen Advice, near the railway station car park for the evening.

### Photos of past Vicars

There used to be photos of past vicars in the vestry, does anyone know where these are now please?

## Help needed

Help is needed with two work parties over the next few weeks:

- **Weds 10<sup>th</sup> July, morning and/or afternoon** a team is needed to move the church office into the creche room.
- We also need volunteers to do some gardening in the vicarage garden, either as an organised work party or ad-hoc when it suits people.

Please contact either John Chettleburgh or Paul Edwards if you can help with any of these (note that Paul's e-mail is [paul.d.edwards.pde@gmail.com](mailto:paul.d.edwards.pde@gmail.com), not as in the current church directory).

## Dates for your Diary

- 14<sup>th</sup> July - morning communion service will be led by Bishop Andrew, and we'll also be welcoming our friends from West Ashton.
- 14<sup>th</sup> July - 'bring a picnic' lunch, with an informal opportunity to provide input to the process of looking for a new vicar
- 8th September—keep this date free for a possible lunch and prayer event after the morning service. More info to follow.

A promotional poster for 'Church In The Park'. The title 'Church In The Park' is written in large, colorful, 3D-style letters (blue for 'Church', red for 'Park', and black script for 'In The'). Below the title is a green banner with the text 'WILL YOU BE JOINING THE CELEBRATION?'. The background features a bright rainbow over a blue sky with white clouds, framed by green trees on the left and right. At the bottom, there is a photograph of a diverse group of people smiling and waving their hands. Text at the bottom of the poster describes the event: 'Come and enjoy an afternoon of worship, music, stories, craft, face-painting, treasurehunt, games, refreshments and much more. All free! This event is being organised by the Churches in Trowbridge.' and provides the date and time: 'Sunday 7th July 2024 from 1.30-3.30pm at Trowbridge Town park'.

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