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| <b>Mon</b><br><b>20<sup>th</sup></b> | 10.00am | Staff Meeting           |
|                                      | 10.00am | Oasis                   |
|                                      | 7.00pm  | Preachers' Workshop     |
|                                      | 8.00pm  | Euro 2016 England match |

Pray...for the Staff Meeting that they may know the leading of the Holy Spirit in every detail. Pray for the Preacher's Workshop this evening that it may be informative and useful in proclaiming the Gospel and deepening the spiritual walk of God's people

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| <b>Tue</b><br><b>21<sup>st</sup></b> | 10.00am | Oasis             |
|                                      | 1.00pm  | Oasis Minis       |
|                                      |         | <b>Homegroups</b> |

Pray... for the Oasis Minis that the group will grow and be an oasis in the lives of mums with young babies, that they may find help, support and experience the love of Jesus for each one

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| <b>Wed</b><br><b>22<sup>nd</sup></b> |  | <b>Homegroups</b> |
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Pray...for the Oasis Social tomorrow evening that it may be a good time together and the interview with Bianca Reeve will help many

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| <b>Thu</b><br><b>23<sup>rd</sup></b> | 10.00am | Oasis                           |
|                                      | 8.00pm  | Oasis Social                    |
|                                      | 8.00pm  | Discipleship Explored Course #2 |
|                                      |         | <b>Youth Cells</b>              |

Pray...for the nation as it votes in this important EU Referendum today that the Lord will guide us along the path we should take

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| <b>Fri</b><br><b>24<sup>th</sup></b> | 4.00pm | Little Nutters |
|                                      | 5.30pm | TGI            |
|                                      | 7.30pm | Eureka         |

Pray... for the Children's and Young Peoples' groups meeting today that they may have lots of fun in their groups and learn more about Jesus in the Bible time, and learn how He can guide them through life

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| <b>Sat</b><br><b>25<sup>th</sup></b> | 8.30am | Men's Breakfast at Toft |
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Pray... for the Men's Breakfast when the theme will be 'I received mercy'. Pray this may stimulate everyone into thinking how we can share our faith or come to faith in Jesus

### Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June (Trinity 5)

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| <b>Knutsford</b> | 8.45am  | BCP Morning Prayer             |
|                  | 10.15am | <b>Knutsford Civic Service</b> |
|                  | 3.00pm  | <b>Crosslinks Meeting</b>      |
|                  | 6.30pm  | Evening Service                |
| <b>Toft</b>      | 10.15am | Morning Worship                |

Pray... for the Civic Service that as our Mayor, and visiting Civic Dignitaries, together with our congregation, meet for worship, we may know the Lord's presence and for the preaching of God's to be powerful to the salvation of many

## Today's Services 19<sup>th</sup> June 2016 (Trinity 4)

### The Collect

Almighty God, the protector of all who believe in you and without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may pass through the things of this age in such a way that we do not finally lose the things of the age to come. Grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake. Amen

## St John's Knutsford

### 'The Creed: I believe in Jesus Christ'

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| <b>8.45am</b>          | <b>BCP Morning Prayer</b> |
| Led by: Nigel Atkinson | Preacher: Nigel Atkinson  |
| Exodus 29:38-46 (p70)  | Galatians 1:1-10 (p972)   |

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| <b>10.15am</b>        | <b>Holy Communion with Thanksgiving</b> |
| Led by: Richard Reeve | Preacher: Nigel Atkinson                |
| Exodus 29:38-46 (p70) | Galatians 1:1-10 (p972)                 |

### 'How the Holy Spirit speaks'

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| <b>6.30pm</b>        | <b>Evening Service</b> |
| Led by: Debbie Woods | Preacher: John Lee     |
| John 16:4b-15 (p902) | 2 Cor 3:12-4:6 (p965)  |

You can expect the sermons to last about 30 mins, and the service overall about 70-95 mins. Knutsford Sermons are available on the web within a few days

## St John's Toft

### 'How does the Holy Spirit speak to us?'

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| <b>8.00am</b>          | <b>Holy Communion</b>    |
| Led by: Nigel Atkinson | Preacher: Nigel Atkinson |

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| <b>10.15am</b>         | <b>Morning Worship</b> |
| Led by: Dan Young      | Preacher: Dan Young    |
| Ezekiel 37:1-14 (p868) | John 6:53-69 (p1071)   |

Do join us for refreshments after the service

**Do you need to talk to someone?** We have friends in Knutsford & Toft you can talk to. Call our Ministers: Nigel (K632834) or Dan (K228216).

**After Service Prayer:** After the 10.15 service at Knutsford there will be people in the Memorial Chapel who will pray with you if you would like.

### **THANKSGIVING SERVICE JUNE 19<sup>th</sup>**

Welcome to the family and friends of Rory Mullineux who is coming for a Thanksgiving Service at Knutsford this morning.

### **CROSSLINKS— THE FAMINE IN EUROPE JUNE 26<sup>th</sup> 3PM**

Europe has fewer evangelical Christians than any other continent. Countries in which the Apostle Paul proclaimed the gospel in the first century now host societies void of religion. At this event, Tim Coomar and Andy Lines will speak about this 21st Century challenge of re-evangelising our European neighbours. It begins at 3pm and will end at 4.30 for refreshments, at St John's Knutsford. If anyone can assist with providing refreshments on the day, please get in touch with the Office.

### **GIFT DAY – 12<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2016**

Thank you to those who have given already - we have already reached £18,000, inclusive of Gift Aid - a good start towards our target. Please continue to make your contribution throughout the next few weeks. You can give by cheque payable to St. John's Knutsford or Directly to St. John's bank account (Barclays Bank) sort code: 20-53-77 a/c no: [50278548](#). "Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver". (2 Corinthians 9:7).

### **OASIS MINIS**

A new group is starting for parents and pre-walking babies, on Tuesdays 1-2.30pm in the church centre. If you know of anyone who fits the criteria, please invite them. Flyers are available at the back of church. Katy Johnson or Cathy Johnson can provide more information if required.

### **WOOD STREET MISSION SMARTSTART**

The target is to help out 2,500 children with their uniform for the autumn term. We can help by donating the following: Non-branded school uniform, sports kit, schoolbags, stationery, school shoes and dressing-up clothes. Alternatively a donation of £30 would equip one child for the new school year. Monetary donations or cheques payable to 'Wood Street Mission' may be left in the Church Office. Please leave any donations in the Wood Street cupboard in the entrance to the Church Centre. Larger pieces of baby equipment etc can be collected by arrangement with Charlotte Blakemore.

### **ACF SUMMER OUTING THURSDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JULY**

We will be going to Barnton Grange Garden Centre and Samlesbury Hall, where we will have a two-course lunch followed by a guided tour of the Hall. Cost including coach travel, lunch and tour is £31. Please put your name on the list on the ACF notice-board in the Centre if you would like to join us in order that you receive further details re: lunch choices - alternatively, please contact Jessie Bunyan or Lis Donnelly. Payment should be made to either of the above by 27<sup>th</sup> June.

### **EURO 2016**

The next match we will be showing on the big screen in the church centre is England v Slovakia on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm. Everyone welcome.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST AT TOFT - SAT. 25 JUNE**

Our next men's breakfast takes place at Toft Church Hall and our theme will be "I received mercy": man to man about Christ. We will hear there how it is a couple of our number became Christians and then think on how we ourselves articulate our own faith to others, and what it is that sometimes gets in the way of that. Times: 8.45-10.00am; Price: A £3.50 donation can be made on the day, though please do let Dan ([youngdan52@talktalk.net](mailto:youngdan52@talktalk.net)) or Richard ([rbreeve@macace.net](mailto:rbreeve@macace.net)) know if you are coming before Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June when the food shop will take place.

### **HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB!**

Save the dates! September 5th and 6th are Inset Days for Egerton and Bexton Primary Schools. We are planning to hold a Holiday Bible Club over these two days. If you can sign your children up early, or help out, then please contact Chris on [chrisjohnson\\_8@hotmail.com](mailto:chrisjohnson_8@hotmail.com).

### **JUNIOR CHURCH HELP REQUIRED!**

There is an urgent need for more leaders to help teach in the different groups on Sunday mornings, as several people are leaving. If you can help, please see Chris Johnson ASAP.

### **THE BELLS & BELLRINGERS OF ST. JOHNS KNUTSFORD**

Designed to be a witness to the Gospel within the ringing fraternity, but also to inform our Church family about the art of Campanology as practised in general and in particular here at Knutsford. This book is priced at £4, to be divided between Church funds and the Bell Tower funds.

### **PART-TIME CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR**

We are seeking to appoint a new part-time church administrator as Helen is moving on to pastures new. We are looking for a committed Christian, who is (or will be) fully part of the church family, and is competent in administration and with computers, to run the church and church office functions day to day. The deadline for applications is Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June. If you would like more information, please speak to Nigel or one of the Wardens.

### **TOM HOLLINGSBEE**

Tom is married to Ann Livesley (as was). Tom has just finished his ordination training at Oak Hill and will be ordained as deacon at Manchester Cathedral on June 26<sup>th</sup>. He will then be Curate at St Clement's Openshaw. Please pray for Tom and Ann as they embark on this new stage in their lives.