

<b>Mon</b> <b>12<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Oasis
	10.00am	Staff Meeting
	2.00pm	Young at Heart
	7.30pm	Oasis Leaders Meeting

Pray for the Staff and Oasis Leaders meetings today, that they may be guided by the Lord for the furtherance of the Gospel. Pray for the Young at Heart Meeting with a talk by Peter Ashburner on his career as an Auctioneer.

<b>Tue</b> <b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Oasis
		Home groups

Pray .for Oasis, that they may be times of welcoming new people as well as established ones and Jesus' love may be seen by all. Pray for the Homegroup Leaders Meeting tonight, that the preparations and discussions may helpful in expanding areas of the Lord's work.

<b>Wed</b> <b>14<sup>th</sup></b>		Home groups

Pray for Jirka & Keira Kralovi and Wanyeki and Mary Mahiaini, that the Lord will watch over them in their service for Him. Pray for Wanyeki and Mary who are now in this country, and visiting us in October.

<b>Thu</b> <b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00am	Oasis
		Youth cells

Pray for the Youth Cells meeting tonight that they may be beneficial for each member as they study the Scriptures and grow in knowledge of the Lord.

<b>Fri</b> <b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	4.00pm	Little Nutters
	5.30pm	TGI
	7.00	Cornerstone
	7.30	Eureka

Pray for the various children's and youth groups meeting today, that they may enjoy coming to know more about Jesus. Pray that the Cornerstone meeting will be a good time of fellowship and the devotional time will be a blessing to all.

<b>Sat</b> <b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	1.00pm	Wedding of Amy Drew and Bret Utley

Pray for Amy and Bret , that God will bless their married life together. Pray for guidance for all those preparing to preach God's Word tomorrow.

### Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September (Trinity 17)

<b>Knutsford</b>	8.45am	Holy Communion
	10.15am	Morning Worship
	6.30pm	Evening Service
<b>Toft</b>	10.15am	Holy Communion

Pray for God's Word as it is proclaimed in our town and throughout the world, that the message of the Gospel penetrates the hearts of all who listen, and that they come to salvation in Christ.

## Today's Services 11th September 2016 (Trinity 16)

### The Collect

Lord, let your continual pity cleanse and defend your church, and because it cannot continue in safety without your aid, protect it by your help and goodness forever, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## St John's Knutsford

### 'Judges: The Pity of the Lord'

<b>8.45am</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>
Led by: Nigel Atkinson	Preacher: John Lee
1 Peter 1:13-25 (1014)	Judges 2:16 – 3:6 (p201)

<b>10.15am</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>
Led by: Julija Broomhead	Preacher: John Lee
1 Peter 1:13-25 (p1014)	Judges 2:16 – 3:6 (p201)

### 'Grief & Power of God's Son'

<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Evening Service</b>
Led by: Julia Sanderson	Preacher: Nigel Atkinson
Psalms 51 (p474)	John 11: 28-44 (p897)

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

### 'Resurrection and the Life: God's Glory and our Faith'

<b>10.15am</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>
Led by: Dan Young	Preacher: Nigel Atkinson
Psalms 51 (573)	John 11: 28-44(p1078)

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.

## NEW BIBLE TRAINING COURSE

The Northwest Partnership is advertising an independent new FREE course. The sessions will take place at Christ Church, Wharton in Winsford, on Thursday evenings (beginning Sept. 22nd) 7.30-9.30pm, and will run for three terms of eight weeks. The first hour of each week will be part of a 24 session bible overview. The second session will be: Term one - Digging Deeper, tools to unearth the bible's treasure; Term two - Putting it into Practice, skills for serving in the local church; Term three - Portraits from the Family Album, eight great Christians from the past. Please express interest in this course to Richard Reeve ( [rbreeve@macace.net](mailto:rbreeve@macace.net) ) or, for more information or to enrol, contact Tim Hanson ( [timdhanson@gmail.com](mailto:timdhanson@gmail.com) ) who is vicar at Christ Church.

## HELEN KIMBER

Sadly, today is Helen's last official day with us before she moves down to Swanage. If you would like to speak to her she will be at the 8.45 service and the 6.30, but not the 10.15.

## USE OF KITCHEN

There is new advice out about the use of the kitchen. A copy is on display in the kitchen. If you need your own copy please let the office know.

## MEN'S CURRY EVENING – MONDAY, 24th October

At the Shamoli (Bottom/King Street); Monday 24th October at 8pm. £13.50 cash in advance. Seating is limited so book now using the forms with menus available from Richard. If you email him at [rbreeve@macace.net](mailto:rbreeve@macace.net) he will send you one to print out.

## LADIES BOOK CLUB – THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

At our meeting on Thursday we will discuss Seeking Allah, Finding Jesus by Nabeel Qureshi and Candle in the Darkness by Lynn Austin. Choose either - or both! New members welcome. Please contact Debbie Woods or Judy Pearce.

## YOUNG @ HEART SEPT 12<sup>th</sup> 2pm CHURCH CENTRE

This month we welcome Mr. Peter Ashburner from Wright, Marshall who will be telling us of his career as an Auctioneer. Peter is often seen on the television on Auction programmes. We look forward to seeing you again after the summer break. Anyone who is retired is very welcome to come along to the group.

## MESSAGE FROM PHIL NIXON

"I am spending this year doing a gap year at St Michael's church in Aberystwyth. I will be taking part in a school of ministry course put on by the rector and his wife as well as helping in lots of the activities run by the church. If anyone would like to support me in prayer and get my prayer letter, or they have any questions feel free to drop me an email to [philipn@talktalk.net](mailto:philipn@talktalk.net)"

## SEPTEMBER PRISON PRAYER LETTERS

The Prison Prayer Letters are now available. Please take one and help support the work in our prisons by your prayers. For further information contact Roy Evans.

## RECRUITING - VISIT TO MAHIAINIS IN 2017

St John's mission committee are currently working on a plan for August, *next* year, for a team to visit our Crosslinks mission partners, Wanyeki and Mary Mahiaini. There are certain guidelines the Mahiainis themselves have given us for what we might bring in the way of skills though, in general terms, the aim of the visit will be to strengthen our partnership with them; encourage them in their work, and learn from the church in Kenya how the lordship of Jesus makes its impact there. We would very much appreciate your prayers as the trip is organised and welcome enquiries from people who might like to join the team. To that end, your mission committee members are Beki Parrat, Nigel Atkinson, Richard Reeve, Debbie Woods, Kath Toulman and Dan Young.

## UPCOMING DATES

12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Oasis Leaders' Meeting
21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Toft PCC Meeting
26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Mission Committee Meeting
16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Café Church
22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	Mission Supper
24 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Men's Curry Night
31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Knutsford PCC Meeting
26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Men's Breakfast

## SERMON NOTES