

Mon
12th
Aug

Praise God for our emergency services, working in all conditions to benefit others, sometimes at the risk of their own lives and health.

Tue 7.30pm Toft Fellowship
13th
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Pray for all those imprisoned because of their faith, that God will sustain them and those they love, and that justice will be seen to be done.

Wed 12.30pm SJK funeral: Celia Hamman
14th
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Pray for the family and friends of Celia Hamman, that they may know the Lord's comfort in their loss.

Thu
15th
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Pray for the situation in India and Kashmir, remembering that God is in control, and pray for Christians in the Muslim culture.

Fri
16th
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Praise God for summer, for warmer temperatures and the opportunities some have for holidays and refreshment.

Sat
17th
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Pray for the children of this country, that they will hear the Word of God, despite the lack of opportunities, and want to know more about Jesus.

Sunday 18th August (Trinity 9)

Knutsford	8.45am	Morning Worship
	10.15am	Holy Communion and Christening
Toft	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.15am	Morning Worship

Thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man! Extol him in the congregation of the people and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

Today's Services Sunday 11th August 2019 (Trinity 8)

The Collect

Almighty God, whose never-failing providence governs everything in heaven and on earth, humbly we ask you to remove all that is hurtful and to give that which is profitable to us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

St John's Knutsford Jesus calms the storm

8.45am

Led by: Stephen Watson

10.15am

Led by: Mark Cawson
Psalm 107: 23-32(p507)

Morning Worship

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Matthew 8: 23-34(p813)

Evening Services restart 1st September

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 Is God in charge?

10.15am

Led by: Helen Eccles
Job 38: 1-15 (p538)

Holy Communion

Preacher: Dan Young
John 9: 1-15 (p1075)

Do join us for refreshments after the service.

In the middle of a crisis? Sick? In need? Not sure what to do next? We have friends in Knutsford & Toft you can talk to. Call Dan (K228216), or our pastoral team leader Anne (07436 112305)

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.

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Days off: Thursdays: Richard; Fridays: Dan; Helen
Saturdays: Nigel, Chris J, Chloe

MEN'S WEEKEND - 6-8 SEPT 2019

Come and enjoy a weekend break filled with faithful Bible teaching, stirring worship, encouraging fellowship, hearty food and a great range of (optional) indoor and outdoor activities. Speaker: Capernwray Bible School Principal - Derek Burnside. Theme: Behold the Baptist! Standard room £114 per person. More details and booking at: <https://capernwray.org/events/mens-weekend/> If you would like to know more or need help booking be in touch with Richard. We will coordinate transport nearer the time.

SMARTSTART – WOOD STREET MISSION

As in previous years, Wood Street are collecting items for the new school year for disadvantaged families. If you can, please consider any of the following donations: non-branded school uniform items, sports kit items, stationery, underwear, school bags, lunchboxes etc. Items can be left in the Wood Street cupboard for collection. If you prefer to donate cash, look on their website how to do so.

www.woodstreetmission.org.uk

NORTHWEST PARTNERSHIP

Would you like to know more about the Bible and how to use it better? The Northwest Partnership runs courses starting every autumn, in the daytime or the evening, in Leyland or Liverpool. Everyone who has done the course has found it invaluable. To find out more, look at their website: northwestpartnership.com/training/ministrytraining. Don't be put off by the title, it's for anyone who wants to serve God in their community.

PRISON PRAYER LETTERS

August prison letters are awaiting you in your pigeon-holes. Please see Roy Evans if you don't get your own copy and would like one. Spares are available in the church centre.

SAVE THE DATE 1!

Sadly, Chloe Page, our Youth Ministry Trainee, will be leaving us at the end of August to take up a new job in Congleton. Nick and Beki Parratt are having an Open House for her on Sunday August 18th, from 2-4pm, where tea and cakes will be served. The address is 10 Conway Close, Knutsford, WA16 9DH.

LADIES BOOK CLUB

We look forward to our Book Club meeting on Monday 9th September, 8pm at Debbie Wood's home, 10 South Downs, WA16 8ND. The book is Bread of Angels by Tessa Afshar. (The cheapest online site to buy the book is Eden, or it's available to download.)

NORTHERN WOMEN'S CONVENTION

2nd November at King's House Conference Centre, Manchester. The topic is Ephesians and focusses on rediscovering our identity in Christ, with seminars on singleness, gender identity, coping with stress and

reading the Bible 1-1 with other women. Leaflets available in the office. A group will be going from SJK, so let Chris H or Sue Broadbent know if you're interested.

TOFT FELLOWSHIP

On Tuesday 23rd July we started a series of six meetings, from 7.30 to 9 pm, at 35, Beggarmans Lane. We are studying the book of Job, which helps us face the difficult issue of undeserved suffering.

FILM CLUB

Are you interested in joining a group to view selected films each month at the local cinema, and (optionally) discussing afterwards over a drink? If so, please contact Jon Stanhope at jonstanhope@hotmail.com

CHRISTIAN ILLUSIONIST- SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER at 7 pm

Tickets are now available from the office for the visit of illusionist Steve Price. Steve will bring us an amazing and hilarious show that integrates a Christian message along the way. Great to invite family and friends to. See offer - Tickets are £10 adults / £5 children under 16 / family ticket £25. When also buying for non-church guests - buy one get one half price.

KEVIN WILLETT

Kevin's funeral will be at Toft on Thursday 22nd August at 1pm, and will be followed by refreshments in the church hall.

OFFICE REQUEST

If you leave a message on the office desk, please leave your name as well, so you can be contacted if there is a query. If you would like a name added to the Church Prayer list, please see Anne Greaves or Chris H.

UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

13 th Aug	Toft Fellowship
16 th Aug	Office Closed
18 th Aug	Chloe's tea party
20 th Aug	Archdeacon's Inspection
	Toft fellowship
21 st Aug	Home Communion
22 nd Aug	Toft funeral: Kevin Willett
26 th Aug	Office closed all week
27 th Aug	Toft Fellowship
1 st Sept	Evening services restart
2 nd Sept	Oasis Meeting
3 rd Sept	Junior Church Meeting
6 th Sept	Men's weekend away
9 th Sept	Oasis restarts
	Young@ Heart
11 th Sept	Home group leaders meeting
12 th Sept	Church Fellowship
14 th Sept	Prayer & Pastries