

**ST MARY AND ST CUTHBERT PARISH CHURCH**

**CHESTER-LE-STREET**  
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**SUNDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2021**

**HARVEST**

**Collect for Harvest**

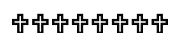
God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth,  
and to trust in your love, that we may live each day  
with confidence in the salvation which is given  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Today's Services**

**8.00 am** Holy Communion (BCP)  
(Readings: Ruth 1.22 & Matt 9.35-38)

**10.00 am** Parish Communion service led by Parish North

**6.00 pm** Evening Prayer (Readings: Psalm 132 & Luke 19.1-10)



**Prayer for the Bereaved**

We pray for the Lord to comfort all those who are mourning the loss of loved ones.  
We pray especially for the families and friends of Joseph Charles Burnside (63),  
whose funeral has taken place through the ministry of our church during the past  
week. Also, the family of Thomas William Mitchell (91), whose ashes are to be  
interred today.

**October Outreach magazine** is available (50p) in church and parish centre.

**Please note:** The Parish Centre Coffee lounge will be closed on Monday 11<sup>th</sup>  
October as there is a Bishop's Clergy day using the Centre all day. The parish office  
will still be open as usual, 9 am – 1 pm.

We need volunteers to take our Harvest Food collection to the Foodbank on  
Drum Industrial Estate, please meet at the Church on **Monday morning at**  
**9.15 am** if you can help.

**Diary of the week**

<b>Monday to</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Coffee Lounge open for tea/coffee
<b>Friday</b>	<b>- 1.00 pm</b>	Cakes, Scones, Hot Meals
<b>Monday</b>	<b>7.00 pm</b>	Standing Committee, Centre
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>6.00 pm</b>	Standing Committee, Centre
	<b>7.00 pm</b>	Extra PCC meeting
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>10.45 am</b>	Holy Communion (BCP) in Parish Church (Readings: Psalm 1 & Luke 11.1-4)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10 am – 1 pm</b>	Coffee morning

**Services on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> October – Trinity 19**

**8.00 am** Holy Communion (BCP)  
(Readings: Heb 4.12-end & Mark 10.17-31)

**10.00 am** Area Services at Central and South (Parish Centre)

**4.00 - 6.00 pm** Messy Church in Parish Centre

**6.00 pm** Holy Communion (Readings: Psalm 127 & Matt 11.20-end)

**Coffee lounge** - please come along to support our catering team and volunteers.  
Serving from **10 am – 1 pm** Mon to Fri. We have more tables available. We still ask  
you to hand sanitise when you enter the parish centre, still table service operating.

We are hoping to recommence the **Christians Against Poverty Job Club** on Friday  
22<sup>nd</sup> October. We will be starting with reduced capacity for the first 8 week course  
and really would welcome prayers for a successful restart and anyone wanting to  
come and see what we do with a view to becoming a befriender/helper please contact  
Ian Goulding (07594 525585). If you know a potential attendee for the course please  
also contact Ian.

If you would like your name to be added to our **Central 10 am** Service Rota for  
Intercessors and Readers please contact Peter & Helen Southern (388 5836).

A meeting on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October at 7 pm** in the parish centre for anyone  
involved with youth and children's work (even before Covid) to come along and talk  
about the future shape of youth and children's ministry in our church, with Sue White.