



**REACHING WIDER... with the compassion of Jesus REACHING DEEPER... into the heart of God**



# **Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

## ***Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost***

### **St Aidan's**

**10:30 am Morning Worship**

Leader: Alison Taylor Preacher: Mark Skidmore

Readings: Luke 8 verses 22-25

### **St Joseph's**

**9:00 am & 10:30 am Morning Worship**

Leader: Joshua Blunt Preacher: Liz Cox

Readings for both services: Matthew 5 verse 5 & Phillipians 2 verses 1-11

### **St Philip's**

**9:00 am & 10:30 am Morning Worship**

Leader: Elaine Holt Preacher: Nick Smith

Reading for both services: 2 Corinthians 6 verses 3-13

## PARISH NOTICES

**Parish Weekly Prayer Gathering** Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October between 7.00 and 7.30 pm. We are holding weekly gatherings to focus on prayer during and for the vacancy. These are at St Philip's and will also be available on Zoom for those that cannot make it in person

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/72418971704?pwd=bJ2n8Zg7SyQD4TSZQwE1Um9nlhGZyt.1>

If you would like any further information please contact Nick Smith.

**Penn Wynn Foundation Grants for Young People** the deadline for applications is 28<sup>th</sup> October. Flyers are available in each church with more information or speak to Andrea Beech or Val Plant.

**Light Party** Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October 4.30-6.00 pm at St Joseph's. Come and join us for fun, crafts, food and to hear God's word. Children can come dressed up as super heroes or princesses. Let's shine light in the darkness.

**Cherished** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 12-2 pm, our next "cherished" event is at St Philip's, come along and hear Amy Summerfield speak (formerly of Pulse Ministries). A light lunch will be provided, sign up sheets will be available in each church. Please put the date in your diaries!

**Operation Christmas Child** shoeboxes are now available in the foyer's of St Joseph's and St Philip's. Please take a leaflet and shoebox to fill to bless a child this Christmas and return to church by November 17<sup>th</sup>. For further information please speak to Gunter Skoppek or Joyce Lee-Whitehouse.



**St Philip's** Tuesday's 9.30-11.30 am. Why don't you come and join us for a chat and refreshments.

**St Joseph's** Tuesday's 1.00-4.00pm come and join us for a light lunch at 1 pm followed by crafts and activities.

## ST AIDAN'S

**Bible Study** Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October 7.30 pm

**Prayer meeting** Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 1.30 pm in church, followed by refreshments at 2.30 pm. All welcome.

**Light Lunch** Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 12 noon, please let us know by Monday if you are coming (Alison 07540660870).

**Operation Christmas Child** our shoebox coffee morning raised over £600, thank you! Please return filled shoeboxes by November 17<sup>th</sup>.

**A date for your diary** – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 7pm Quiz Night, details to follow

**Sunday 27th October 2024**

10:30 am Morning Worship

## ST JOSEPH'S

**Prayer meeting** Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 10.30 am followed by a Communion Service at 11.30 am

**Nearly New Sale & Cake Stall** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 10.30 am to 2.30 pm. We need a few volunteers to run a stall, all items will be sorted and priced. Have you got an hour or two to spare, if so please see Ann Cox or Jenny Green.

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

9:00 am & 10:30 am Morning Worship

## ST PHILIP'S

**Oasis Service** Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 11:00 am. Please join us for tea or coffee after the service.

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

9:00 am Holy Communion

10:30 am Morning Worship

**Bibles needed** An evangelistic Christian café owner in northern Spain has requested good quality New Testament Bibles we no longer require to give to interested English speaking visitors. St Aidan's will be collecting the bibles and sending them to Spain. Can you help?

These can be taken to St Aidan's or dropped in to the Parish Office.

### PARISH CHILDREN & YOUTH

**Little Gems** (0-5 yrs) Mondays 1:00 – 2:30 pm at St Aidan's  
**St Joseph's Playgroup**, Tuesday & Thursday mornings for 2-4 year olds  
**Stay & Play**, Wednesdays, 9:30-11:00 am at St Joseph's  
**Adventurers**, Wednesdays, 4-5:30 pm at St Joseph's  
**Busy Bees**, Thursdays, 9:30 – 11 am at St Philip's  
**JAM** Sundays at St Philip's 10:30 am service  
**Path**, Sundays at St Philip's 10:30 am service  
**Young Adults** Sundays at St Philip's, 6:30 – 8:00 pm (Ages 15-22 yrs)

### PENN FIELDS PRAYERS

- Thank God for our family and friends, pray for those who don't know Jesus
- Pray for peace in the Middle East and Ukraine, that God will give the leaders wisdom to agree an end to hostilities
- Pray for the parish, now in vacancy, that God will send us the right person

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