

## Events for the week 11th June — 17th June 2017

Sun 18th	10.30am 1.00pm 7.00pm	Choir Practice Baptism of Noah Clive Thornton Contemplative Prayer	Choir Vestry Savage Chapel 5 Gloucester Close
Mon 19th	7.00pm	Church Walk	See inside for details
Wed 21st	6.30pm 7.30pm	Junior Choir Practice Full Choir Practice	Choir Vestry Choir Vestry
Thu 22nd	10.00am 10.30am 7.30pm	Toddler Group Holy Communion Bell ringing &	St Michael's St Michael's Bell Tower
Fri 23rd	9.10am	Contemplative Prayer	Savage Chapel

## Services next Sunday (25<sup>th</sup> June: Trinity 2)

9.30am	Storytelling Service
11.00am	Treacle Service

### Electronic version of church notice sheet

If you wish to receive the church notice sheet electronically each week, please email [stmikesnotices@gmail.com](mailto:stmikesnotices@gmail.com). The notice sheet is also available on the church website: [www.stmichaels-macclesfield.org.uk](http://www.stmichaels-macclesfield.org.uk)



### Scout and Guide Groups

Macclesfield Parish Church Scout and Guide Group provides youth activities throughout the week for young people aged from 5 - 26 as well as flexible volunteering opportunities for adults. For more details visit [www.mpcsg.co.uk](http://www.mpcsg.co.uk) or email [enquiries@mpcsg.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@mpcsg.co.uk)



### Planned Giving Scheme

St Michael's operates a Planned Giving Scheme, whereby people are encouraged to make a pledge to contribute financially to the work and mission of the Church, making our budgeting easier. It is possible to do this either by using a bank standing order or by using special envelopes which can be given in during the Sunday service. If you would like to join the scheme, please see the Treasurer, Mike Strutt, or any one of the sidespeople.



Please remember these activities in your prayers this week. For more information about any of them, please speak to one of the wardens who should be able to help you.

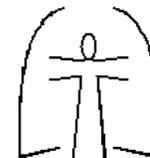
### The Collect for Trinity 1

God of truth,  
help us to keep your law of love  
and to walk in ways of wisdom,  
that we may find true life  
in Jesus Christ your Son.



# St Michael & All Angels

## Macclesfield Team Ministry



### Our Purpose

To journey inward and upward to God, whom we know in Jesus,  
To journey outward to other people and to all creation.

### Welcome

If you are visiting, we hope you feel at home. A welcome card is available near the entrance or from a sides-person. If you are new, please complete one and hand it to a sides-person, so that we can keep in touch.

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

**Trinity 1**

### 9.30am Storytelling Service with Holy Communion

**Leader** Rob Wardle  
**Storyteller** Gemma  
**Story** Peter heals a lame man in Jerusalem  
**Songs** God has spoken to His people, alleluia (NEW; MP 182) We thank you Jesus, amen

10.8  
**Hymns**  
784 Ye servants of God  
SS 5 Before the throne of God  
SS 42 Will you come and follow me?  
594 Send me out from here

**Roots Group** Pam & Ruth

**1.00pm**  
**Baptism of Noah Clive Thornton**  
conducted by Revd Rob Wardle

### 11.00am Holy Communion

**Leader & Preacher** Rob Wardle  
**Reading** Exodus 19.2-8a & Matt 9.35-



**Refreshments** are served on Sundays between the 9.30 & 11.00 services, after the 11.00 service, and also after our monthly Choral Evensong.



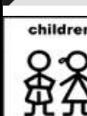
**We are a Fairtrade Church** committed to using only Fairtrade tea & coffee.



**Large Print:** We have a number of hymn books and notice sheets in large print format.



**Induction loop:** St Michael's is fitted with an induction loop; please speak to a Warden if you need assistance with this.



**A children's area is available** in the Legh Chapel (on RH side as you come into the church) for children under supervision, during services and at other times. There are bags with books and toys for small children.



**Roots:** Our young people's groups in the 9.30 and 11.00am services are known as "Roots". The young people leave and return to the main service at given points.



**Sunbeams:** on the first & third Sunday of the month, the Sunbeams group meets during the 11.00am service. This is for children aged 2½ - 6 years.



**Gluten-free wafers** are available at all Communion services at this church. If you require these, please say "gluten-free" when you take communion.



**Tokens of Giving**  
As a sign that you give by Standing Order to the cost of mission & ministry at St Michael's, you are encouraged to pick up a glass pebble on your way into Church, and add it to the basket as the Offertory is taken.

# Key Events and Notices



## Summer Walks

The next walk is tomorrow, Monday 19th June, 7.00pm, starting at the Dane Bridge in Wincle at 7.00 pm and afterwards at 9.00 pm for a drink at the Ship Inn. Gordon Darlington is leading this walk, if you wish to get in touch with him, please contact him on Macclesfield 428215.

## The Shack

The Shack' (12A) is being shown EVERY DAY at 5pm, Fri 23rd-Thurs 29th June.

UPDATED

The timing is unfortunate for people who normally work weekdays, but there's still the weekend showings. Ticket prices are £3.50 for Sun & Mon, and groups of four or more it's £5.50 instead of the individual price of £7. I'm going on Friday 23rd; anyone want to join me? Phone me on 01625 426 110. Martin.

## Davis Rigby

We are looking for volunteers to help Davis; sitting with him in church, and making sure he finds his carers when they come to fetch him after the service. If you can help, please contact Sandie Bevan (615151) or David Mayers (420716).

## Cricket, lovely cricket

Did you know that Macclesfield Team Ministry has a cricket team? All ages & abilities are welcome; the only requirement is enthusiasm. Come and enjoy England's great summer sport at some of the prettiest grounds in the country. Come to play, or just to watch. All mid-week games start at 6.30pm The provisional fixture list is as follows:

Wed 21<sup>st</sup> June Macc Occasionals Kerridge CC  
Thur 29<sup>th</sup> June Tytherington Family Worship Kerridge CC  
Thur 6<sup>th</sup> July Stockport Teachers Kerridge CC  
Sat 15<sup>th</sup> July St.George's @Harewood House  
Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Aug Ash Tree Macc or Prestbury CC  
Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Aug Macc Occasionals (6pm start) Kerridge CC  
Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Aug Barclay's (6pm start) Over Peover CC

To confirm attendance or for more details ring David Mayers on 420716, 07963802659 (or e-mail davidjmayers@btinternet.com)

## Coffee Morning

Wednesday, 26th July - 10.00 am - noon at Joyce Millard's Home, 10 Badger Road, Tytherington. A coffee morning in aid of the Roof Fund. Tickets now available from Joyce.

## Summer Floral Design Night

In aid of East Cheshire Hospice in memory of Phyllis Melvin. Tuesday 18th July at 7.30pm at Tytherington Club. Tickets priced £15.00. See Anne Kite for more details. Tel: 424531.

## Music @ Mike's

The next concert is Friday 23rd June at 1.15pm followed by light refreshments. All welcome.

## Monthly Prayer Leaflet

We recently launched a new monthly prayer leaflet, with suggestions and items to help you in your prayer life. Available in the Narthex.

## Free film show!

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 7.45 for 8pm at St.Alban's church parish hall on Chester Road - "Ice and Brimstone", episode 4 of James Cameron's "Years of Living Dangerously" series. Provocative, challenging and entertaining - plus a chance to debate the science behind climate change, and what we could do about it.

## Greenbelt Arts Festival

I will be booking my ticket for Greenbelt Christian Arts Festival soon and I wondered if anyone else is going. It takes place over the August Bank holiday weekend. If you volunteer you can get free tickets. You can find out more by looking at greenbelt.org.uk or asking me, Tricia Atherton 07554427592

## David celebrates 50 years as Reader

The end of June marks 50 years since I was first licensed as a Reader. Many of you will have suffered hours of boring sermons as a result of this. Therefore, in recompense, Chris (who has heard most of them) and I would like to invite



you for a light afternoon tea from 3-5pm on Sunday 2nd July at 12 Ryles Park Road.

## NEW Treacle Market

The next session is on Sunday, 25th June between 12.15 pm and 3.30 pm and as usual I am asking for volunteers for stewarding, helping in the kitchen, baking cakes etc or clearing away after the event at 3.00 pm. Please sign up on the list at the back of church. Thank you once again for all those people involved with this particular event. Vicky Darlington - 428215

## NEW Church Council Meeting

The next meeting is Monday 3rd July at 7.45pm. If you have any suggested items for the PCC please e-mail Paul Simms (paul@lowerbeechfarm.co.uk) or leave a phone message on his home number 422655 by 20th.

## Grand Piano

If anyone would like to have the grand piano that we have in church, please speak to Karen Gedd (474588). It is going free to a good home. It does need some work on the action.

## NEW Our new Curate

Karen Brady will be joining us soon and we would like to prepare a welcome basket for her. If you would like to contribute to this please drop off any contributions to the Church

Office. Please note Karen does not drink alcohol.

## NEW Dave Mock's Licensing Service

Dave will be licensed at Christ Church, Barnton on Monday 26th June at 7.30pm by the Bishop of Birkenhead. If you would like to attend please sign up on the noticeboard at the back of church so we can arrange lifts where necessary and car share as parking is limited. We also need to confirm approximate numbers with the churchwardens there.

## NEW Prayer & Intercessions—volunteers

We are expanding the list of people who regularly assist us by reading the Bible or leading the intercessions in worship. Please let Gordon Darlington know if you would like to join the team. If you're at the stage of "quite like to, but not sure", have a chat with me and we can arrange some training and/or experience of speaking into the mic first. Martin Stephens.

## Confirmation

If you are thinking about confirmation (young or old) or have questions to ask about it, please chat to Martin in the coming weeks. After the Summer we will hold some preparation sessions for the service on 14th November.

Deadline for contributions to the notice sheet: 12 noon the preceding Wednesday. E-mail: [stmikesnotices@gmail.com](mailto:stmikesnotices@gmail.com) or hand in to the Team Office. Thank you.

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