

St John's and St Michael's Churches
Notices for Sunday 25th August

St Michael's

9.30am Morning Worship: Good morning and welcome to our service today led by Jan. Angie talks to us about *David and Bathsheba* 2 Samuel 11 & 12. **Prayer Ministry** available after the service.

Sidesperson: Janet **Reading:** Jean **Prayers:** Service
Leader Coffee: Katie & Laurie

St John's

11am Holy Communion: A warm welcome to the service this morning led by Robyn and Jane. Our sermon today is part of the 'Is that really in the Bible?' series and visits the story of *Ananias & Sapphira* Acts 5:1-11.

Sidesperson: Simon & Lesley **Reading:** Julie
S Prayers: Jane **Communion:** Moira & Gill **Coffee:** Simon & Lesley **No SAS and Spark**

Watch on YouTube the 11am service from St John's...

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCB6N81vubkdzSYD7rCPFw5Q>

St John's - Prayer Meeting: Please join us before the Sunday service at **10.15am** for prayer. **Prayer Ministry** is also available after the service .

The **Filling Station** in August is now **cancelled**..next FS is 23rd September.

24/7 PRAYER for Revival in Telford from 8am **29th August to 31 August** 10pm at St Christopher's Room, Admaston House, TF5 0BN. Book a slot on <https://signup.24-7prayer.com/signup/172b4e> There will be a special service on the evening of 29th August @ 7pm. Further information please see the poster on display in our churches.

FASHION SHOW: Why not join Lilleshall Bellringers for their fundraising Fashion Show and Pop Up shop on **30th August 2024** at St John's Church, Muxton? Tickets are £5:00. Refreshments will be available, but you can bring your own wine/prosecco! All our models will be local ladies and it will be fun to see them strutting their stuff on the catwalk. Doors open at 7pm for a 7:30pm start. All proceeds go towards the Lilleshall Bell Restoration Appeal. Email or message Lilleshall Bell Ringers to reserve a ticket. lilleshallbells@hotmail.com

The next **Prayer breakfast** at St Michael's takes place on **Sunday 1st September** 8.15 for 8.30am

St John's Evangelism Team are having a mission week planning meeting on **Tuesday 3rd September** 7.30pm at St John's.

Worship, Lunch & Music returns on **Thursday 5th September** at 12noon with a service of holy communion followed by lunch and recital.

St John's LUNCHCLUB takes place 12noon on **Friday 6th September**.

sub:Zero a Youth café for young people in school Yrs 7+ restarts after it's summer break on **Friday 6th September** from 4.30-6.30pm.

Leaders/Helpers of Activity Days are all invited to join an evening of fun and food on **Friday 6th September**, 7pm at St John's.

The next **Safeguarding Team** meeting takes place on **Sunday 8th September** after the 11am service at St John's.

Truth to Tell! Our new informal worship begins its journey on **Thursday 12th September**. Come and join us for tea/coffee and cake with a 'Thought for the Day' between **10.30-11.30am** at St John's.

RIDE & STRIDE - SHROPSHIRE CHURCHES OPEN DAY this year takes place on **Saturday 14th September** when you have an opportunity to collect sponsorship and plan your route visiting churches around Shropshire. Half the money raised goes to our churches and the other to Shropshire Historic Churches Trust which gives grants for repairs and restoration. For further information see either Lesley, Ken or take a look on <https://www.shropshirehct.org.uk/OtherActivities/RideStride.aspx>

The Coffee Lounge at St Michael's takes place 9.30am-4.30pm **every Wednesday** .. All are welcome. We look forward to seeing you.

Confirmation Service 11am at St John's on 22nd September and **Preparation:** The second preparation session and Rehearsal takes place on **Thursday 12th September** from 6pm-7pm at St John's.

Vikki Day is heading off to Sandhurst in September for her training to become an Army Chaplain. Her last day when we will be officially saying farewell is at a joint service on **Sunday 15th Sept** 11am at St Michael's followed by a shared lunch at St John's and afternoon tea at St Michael's.

Telford Street Pastors is celebrating 13 years at a special event on the evening of **Friday 27th September**. Revd Les Isaac, founder of Street Pastors, will be speaking, new Street Pastors will be commissioned and there will be songs by the Darby Singers. Refreshments to follow.

St John's Community Choir presents '**Shaken not stirred**' a concert on **Saturday 28th September** 2pm/7pm. Further details will follow.

Date for your diary: Tearfund Quiz **Saturday 16th November**

BELL RESTORATION APPEAL: An appeal has been launched to raise money to restore the bells at Lilleshall Church and the target we are aiming for is huge! There will be lots of events and fundraising activities planned so look out for them. To date, nearly £100 through EASY FUNDRAISING, and for the 23 of our supporters who have signed up to this scheme, it has not cost them a penny! This is money that shops and businesses give away as a tax incentive. If you do your weekly shop on-line, please consider supporting the Lilleshall Bell Restoration

Appeal through EASY FUNDRAISING. Speak to Julie HARTRIDGE for more information.

Donate your used **PRINTER INK CARTRIDGES** in the porch at both churches to help raise funds for Lilleshall Bell Restoration Appeal.

NORMAL OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9-3pm, Tuesday 9-12noon and Friday 9-3pm 670033

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Services and Rotas for Sunday 1st September	
SML - 8.30am Prayer & Breakfast and 9.30am Holy Communion	
SJM - 11am Morning Worship + Baptism	
St Michael's	St John's
Sidesperson: John & Diane	Sidesperson: Terry & Jan
	Reading: Julie S
Reading: Dave Po	Communion: N/A
Prayers: David Pi	Prayers: Barbara
Coffee: Dave & Sue	Coffee: Terry & Jan
	SAS: Katharine & Josh