

Engaging deeper with Jesus Enabling all to meet Jesus Enriching our Community

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2025 Church Text: I pray that you, being rooted and firmly established in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the length and width, height and depth of God's Love. Ephesians 3 v17 & 18

## Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2025

## **Sunday 15th June**

10.30am

**All-Age Worship** 

Gill Smith and Wendy & Simon Temple



## **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**

**10.30am** 

## **Family Worship**

## **Revd Andy Gore**

'The Mystery of Love' Ephesians 1:9-10, 15-19; 1 Thess 4:13-5:11

4.00pm

**Café Church** 

**Revd Andy Gore** 

7.30pm

**Embrace Youth Service** 

## **Monday 16th June**

Toddler Group09.30 - 11.30Jolt15.30 - 17.00Monday Prayers19.00 - 19.45J419.00 - 21.30

#### **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June**

Table Tennis 10.00 - 12.00Hope and Light 15.45 - 16.45Joyful Noise 19.00 - 21.00

## **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

J3 15.30 – 17.00

## **Thursday 19th June**

Coffee Pot 10.30 – 12.30 Communion 11.00 12 15.30 – 17.00

#### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June

Toddler Group 09.30 - 11.30Beginner's Ukulele 14.15 - 15.00

### **Saturday 21st June**

Who Let The Dads Out 09.30 – 11.00

The notices for June will be typed by

#### **Heather Machin**

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Please send by Wednesday. Thank you.

#### Letter of the week

"Eat this book"

Monday (16<sup>th</sup> June) Romans 4 verses 1 – 12

<u>Tuesday (17<sup>th</sup> June):</u> Romans 4 verses 13 – 25

Wednesday (18<sup>th</sup> June): Romans 5 verses 1 – 11

<u>Thursday (19<sup>th</sup> June):</u> Romans 5 verses 12 – 21

Friday (20<sup>th</sup> June):
Romans 6 verses 1 – 14

<u>Saturday (21<sup>st</sup> June):</u> Romans 6 verses 15 – 23

"What do you think Paul is saying to you today?"



# Homemade cakes will again be on sale today.

Where does the money go? Proceeds ensure that more children with a parent in prison have a gift and personal letter from their parent this Christmas and the opportunity to receive a Christian book suitable to their age.

Thankyou so much for your continued support.

The Angel Tree Team





#### Please note:

Andy is on holiday until 19<sup>th</sup> June. For any issues, please contact the church secretary or any other member of the leadership team.

## It's Sparkle Time!!

This year at least 10 of us will be donning pink bunny ears, tutu's and will sparkle along the streets of Chesterfield raising funds for Ashgate Hospice. It's a magical evening and fun to do, but has its serious

side too. Please sponsor us. There is a large A3 sheet for those that prefer paper to logins. Our Just Giving Page is under the name of Dronfield Baptist for Ashgate Hospice. We



are made up of Church Members and Members of the Ukulele Band.

Thank you for your generosity both for 2025 and in the past.

## https://www.justgiving.com/page/gilli-gore-2

Gilli & Andy, Simon & Wendy, Cathy & Mike, Catherine, Wendy, Lorraine and Malcom





Mike Coates and his daughter Helen have been invited to play a thirty minute slot - guitar and flute - in the Soltice

Festival at the Crooked Spire Church on Saturday 21st June starting at 1.10pm. They are playing 8 songs inc Hallelujah, I Don't Know How To Love Him, Unchained Melody And Wonderful Tonight. They would love your support it is outside (weather permitting) or inside the church if wet.

## **Thought for the Week**

#### **Pentecost**

Acts 2 is a favourite chapter of mine in the Bible. The Apostles saw what the all-powerful religious and Roman authorities did to anyone who challenged their authority and they rightly feared for their lives. They were most likely confused and very frightened, Jesus had gone but had told them to wait for the Holy Spirit. Maybe they did this with mixed emotions, wanting to believe but scared to go out and about as normal.

Then it happened, the Holy Spirit came with more power than they could ever have imagined, the timid apostles became fearless lions for Christ and thousands gave their lives to Christ immediately. Christian faith grew against all the odds; it survived and flourished as political empires came and went. Christianity became the official faith of the Roman Empire which tried to snuff it out.

For me this is the ultimate proof that Jesus is alive, he is the son of God and when we believe we can have the power of the Holy Spirit living in us.

What can we learn from this?

Listen and Obey – Jesus told them to wait in Jerusalem for the Holy Spirit and they did.

Build our relationship with Jesus through prayer and worship so that we are open to the spirit,

Speak up for Jesus and justice, no fear, the Holy Spirit will give us the words

Don't worry about our imperfections, his strength is made perfect in our weakness.

I sometimes look at our world, at existential wars raging on our doorstep, religious and secular hatred on the streets around us, at the steady erosion of freedoms and the regrowth of controlling societies, at greed and injustice and the coming tsunami of Artificial Intelligence based control and genetic engineering.

When this makes me afraid, I know that I need to cling to the rock that is Jesus and pray that the Holy Spirit will work through me and continue telling others of the love and peace that can be found in Jesus.

**Ed Tomlinson** 

## BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

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