



St. Christopher's Church

Growing together in Christ

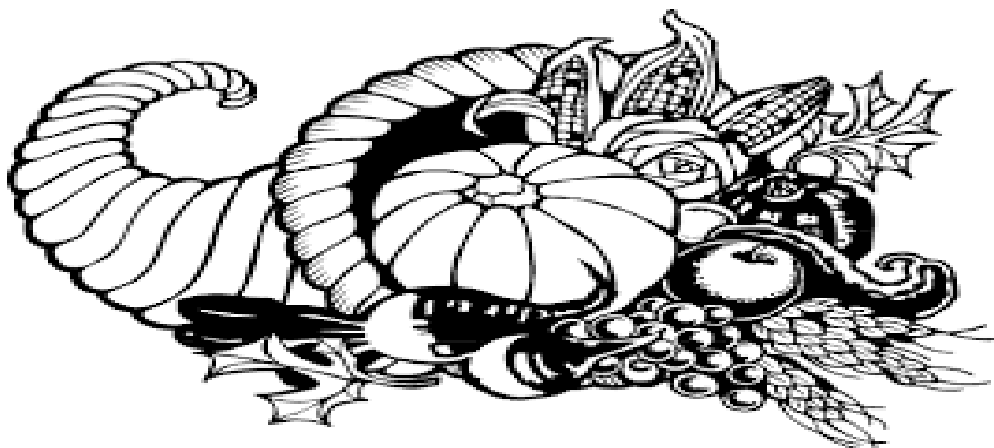
Sunday October 7th 2018

10.45am	Holy Communion	
	Service Leader:	Tom Thomas
	Preacher:	Thomas Abraham
	Readings:	Judges 3:31-4:5
		Mark 9:33-41

Welcome to our Harvest Thanksgiving!

Today we are delighted to welcome Mr Thomas Abraham to our service. He will be sharing God's word with us and telling us more about the work and ministry of Tear Fund. We have the opportunity to give to Tear Fund today and/or to contribute food for our local food bank.

Tea and coffee will be served after our service. Prayer ministry will also be available at the front of church.



Notices

1. Monday 8th October 7.30pm Growing Leaders session 2 in the Springfield Centre.
2. Wednesday 10th October 7.30pm Worship Steering Group in the church.
3. Women's breakfast - Saturday Oct 13th 9.30am in the Springfield Centre. Leisurely breakfast, good coffee, great fellowship. All women welcome!
4. Monday October 22nd 7.30pm PCC in the Springfield Centre.
5. Thursday October 25th 7.30pm in church - Youth/Children's stakeholder meeting to consider next steps in our provision for under 18s at St Christopher's.
6. October 30th-31st - Creative Families festival run by the Springfield Project. Contact the project office for more details (0121 777 2722 or info@springfieldproject.org.uk)
7. As a follow-up to the Tuesday evening talk recently given by Liz and Sameh, you might be interested to read on the Southampton Lighthouse International Church website about journeys of Christian faith written by people from a variety of religious backgrounds: slic.church/stories-online/

JOB VACANCY: Azadi Trust

Assistant to the Charity Coordinator with Azadi Trust, a small Christian charity based in south Birmingham (for details of the Trust's work please see website www.azaditrust.org). Position is 15 hours per week, flexible; £8.50/hour negotiable; includes general administration, governance, publicity, fundraising, supporting the Trust's projects and volunteers, and generating prayer. For full job description please email: azaditrust@gmail.com; informal contact welcome via Charity Coordinator Mike Hodges (07913 442760). Closing date for applications: 31/10/2018.

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We're following Jesus where the need is greatest, working through local churches to unlock people's potential and helping them to discover that the answer to poverty is within themselves. When disasters strike, we respond quickly. We won't stop until poverty stops.

www.tearfund.org



Our notices are also available via our website:

www.stchristopherschurch.co.uk

Email: stchristopherschurch@hotmail.co.uk

For other church matters please contact the Vicar Revd Tom Thomas on 702 2745 (vicarage) or speak to Lucy or Rachel at the office on 325 5342.

We do not take a collection at St Christopher's but if you would like to give a gift there is a box at the back of the church near the main entrance. If you are interested in regular giving or in finding out more about belonging to St Christopher's please speak to Tom or to one of our churchwardens.