



**ALL SAINTS' AND ST GODWALD'S
SUNDAY 2nd AUGUST 2026
The Ninth Sunday after Trinity**



Prayer for the Week

Lord God,
your Son left the riches of heaven
and became poor for our sake:
when we prosper save us from pride,
when we are needy save us from despair,
that we may trust in you alone;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

Emilia, Rhoda, Pat Archer, Tim Pinfield, Fr David, Nickie Schirrmacher, Tessa Carrick and Jan Hewer.

The Christian Union at South Bromsgrove High School

Please pray for the youngsters and for the termly online prayer meetings that are held to support the school.

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Please include our schools – first, middle and high – in our prayers

PIZZA (CAFÉ) CHURCH

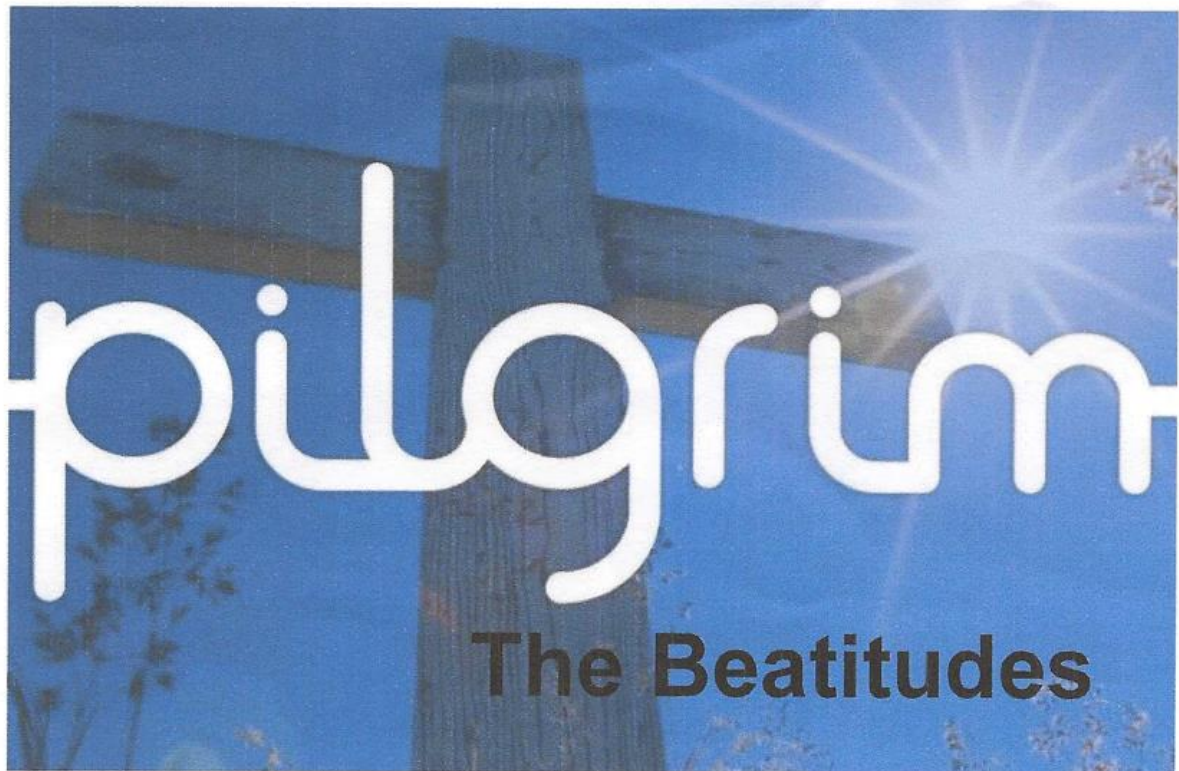
Café Church is an informal service in the **Church Hall** at **St. Godwald's** for all the family to enjoy. A small buffet style supper is included. **The next Pizza Church** is on **Saturday, August 29th 2026 at 5.00pm** (and every last Saturday of the month).

SOUL AND SENSES SERVICE

This is a Service at **All Saints' Church**, usually held on the **SECOND SATURDAY of each month** at **5.00pm** and lasts around 40 minutes and includes reflective prayer, music and poetry.

The next service will be on **SATURDAY 12th SEPTEMBER at 5.00 pm.**

Please come and join us in wondering and exploring what God is saying to and with us. All are very welcome for a time of quiet and reflection.



Building our lives on the teaching
and example of Jesus

**A six-week course:
Thursday July 30th to Thursday 3rd Sept
2-3:30pm**

**The Ruth Heald Room, St Godwald's
Church, Fininstall Rd B60 2EA**

ALL SAINTS'

CHATTERY

Meetings are held weekly on **Wednesdays** in **All Saints' Church Hall** from **2.00 to 3.30 pm**.

It is a warm, friendly group of a wide range of ages. Further details from Sue Thompson on 01527 836142.

CHOIR PRACTICES: Most weeks the choir rehearsals are on **Thursdays** from **5.30 pm to 7.00 pm**.

Members of the Choir are asked to be at church on 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays by 9.50 am for practice before the 10.30 am services. Please contact Ollie Neale regarding the choir and music and to confirm times of practices: ollie.neale@hotmail.co.uk

If you enjoy listening to All Saints' Choir at Services, you might like to see this schedule:

1st Sunday of the month: The Choir join the 10.30am Joint Service at St Godwald's, Holy Communion with Hymns, (with organist Joel Pagett)

2nd Sunday of the month: 10.30am Joint Service at All Saints' with St Godwald's. The 'Main' Choral Service of the month where we might have a more complex Anthem/Service Music etc.

3rd Sunday of the month: 10.30am Lay-Led Service-only Hymns.

4th Sunday of the month: 10.30am Holy Communion-Mass Setting, Anthem and Hymns.

5th Sunday of the month: 10.30am Team Service ONLY if at All Saints' Church



MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union will meet on the **third Monday** of each month at **2.30pm** at **12, Chapel Street, Bromsgrove**. At each meeting there is a short time of worship, a speaker and refreshments. All are welcome.

THE BASEMENT PROJECT

Please remember to keep supporting the Basement Project.

More information at

www.basementproject.org.



POSTAGE STAMPS USED POSTAGE STAMPS FOR THE RNIB (Royal National Institute of Blind People)

A very **BIG THANK YOU** to all who continue to donate stamps for this Appeal. Stamps can be brought to church during any of our services, there is a box on the table at the back, or to the Parish Office, during opening hours. Gill Richards (All Saints on 07824368584).

THANK YOU AGAIN AND PLEASE DO KEEP COLLECTING THEM 😊



ST GODWALD'S

TOTWALDS

Totwalds is our worship time in church for 0-5 year-olds and their parents/carers. There is always a Bible story, lovely songs and an activity.

Totwalds is now on its summer break. **We will return on Monday 7th September at 9.30 am.**

TUESDAY WALKS meet on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays.

The next walks are on **11th and 25th August 2026 at 10.00 am** starting from the Ruth Heald Room and returning at 12 noon for refreshments.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SERVICE

Join us in the Ruth Heald Room at 10.00 am for Worship followed by refreshments.

There will be two Communion Services each month and two services of Morning Worship.

ST GODWALD'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ

The Community Café is open *every alternate Friday*. The next cafés will be **Fridays 31st July and 14th August 2026 10.00 am until 12.30 pm.**

No charge but donations always very welcome.



ST BASILS

St Basils is a homeless shelter in Bromsgrove. It works with young people aged 16-25 who are homeless or at risk, helping almost 4000 youngsters per year across the West Midlands.



Thank you very much for your continued support of the Community Café and Ramble Group; the fellowship and fundraising are instrumental in raising money for St Basils and other charities.

COFFEE AND COMPANY

On alternate Friday mornings when the Community Cafe is not running, we have **Coffee and Company**. This is a space for chat, hot drinks and biscuits.

The next session is Friday 7th August from 10.00 – 12.00

All welcome!

CHURCH CLEANING at ST GODWALD'S



Our next session of communal church cleaning (**mainly dusting and hoovering**) will be on **Friday 7th August from 10.00 – 11.00 am**, joining with **Coffee and Company** in the Ruth Heald Room afterwards.

All Welcome – Many hands make light work!

ST GODWALD'S and ALL SAINTS' SERVICES for AUGUST:

Sunday 9th August: The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

9.00 am St Godwald's: Holy Communion (BCP) led by Rev'd Ann Cogle

10.30 am All Saints': Joint Holy Communion (CW) with St Godwald's led by Rev'd Ann Cogle

Sunday 16th August: The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

8.00 am All Saints': Said Holy Communion led by Rev'd Sue Humphries.

10.30 am St Godwald's: Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd Ann Cogle

10.30 am All Saints': Morning Worship - led by Pam Rosewarne and Sue Ward.

Sunday 23rd August: The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

9.00 am St Godwald's: Holy Communion (BCP) led by Rev'd Dr Alan Conant

10.30 am St Godwald's: Morning Worship led by Emma Morris and Judith Rowe

10.30 am All Saints': Holy Communion (CW) led by Rev'd Dr Alan Conant

Saturday 29th August:

5.00 pm St Godwald's Café/Pizza Church

Sunday 30th August:

10.30 am St Michael's, Stoke Prior: Team Service

CONTACT DETAILS:



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Church Halls)

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pa.bromsgroveparish@gmail.com

Please scan below to check the Parish Office
opening hours for this week:



For funerals, please contact **Irene Caswell-Berwick - Parish**

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st.johns.bromsgrove@gmail.com

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St Godwald's Church Wardens:

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All Saints' Organist and Choirmaster

Ollie Neale, email: ollie.neale@hotmail.co.uk

SAFEGUARDING

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Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor:

Hilary Higton 07495 060869

The Diocese of Worcester, All Saints DCC and St Godwald's DCC are all committed to promoting a Safer Church for everyone. We will seek to promote the welfare of children, young people and adults, work to prevent abuse from occurring, protect those that are at risk of being abused, and respond well to those that have experienced abuse.

*****Information for the Newsletter:** Please let me have any news or items for the **next Newsletter** from either St Godwald's or All Saints' **by 12 noon on a Tuesday,**

Thank you, Catherine Maund: cmaund1@sky.com