



Lillington Parish Church

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Sunday 30th August 2026

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13th After Trinity

Sunday 30th August

9.30am Holy Communion

(church & online)

11.15am Worship for All

(church)

Tuesday 1st September

7.30pm Bell Ringing

(church)

Wednesday 2nd September

10.00am Holy Communion

(church & online)

Saturday 5th September

9.30am – 4pm Church Day In

(church)

Sunday 6th September

9.30am Holy Communion

(church & online)

11.15am All Age Communion

(church)

6.00pm Evening Service

(church)

Hymns

1. The God of Abraham praise 706
2. Be still for the presence of the Lord 62
3. Take up the cross thy Saviour said 689
4. Praise to the holiest 627



9.30am Service - Please note that this service is live streamed

Lesson Reader: Gaynor Cook

Intercessor: Carol Innes

Leader Preacher: William

Chalice: Robin Innes

Bible Readings: Exodus 3:1-15 Matthew 16:21-end

11.15am Service

Lesson Reader: Rob Smith

Intercessor: Maureen Reynolds

Leader: William

Speaker: Hester Meacock

Reading: Matthew 16:13-20

Collect

Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Prayers for the sick

Lyn Wilne Mary Babbs Guy Nita

The Departed

Janet Willock

Offertory

We do not take any collection during the service but if you would like to donate, you can scan here on your smartphone. Alternatively, you can use the card reader by the welcome table. Thank you for all you are able to give.



FOOD BANK NEEDS - tinned tomatoes, pasta sauce, pot noodles, deodorant, shaving gel/foam, washing up liquid, chocolate and crisps.

This makes a real difference to a lot of local people. Thank you.
Donation point: in front of the Vicarage

SEPTEMBER DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 5th September

9.30am – 4.00pm

The Prodigal Son parable is a timeless treasure trove of truth about ourselves and about God. We hope this day will offer fresh insights and hope for our whole church family.

The Church Day in will be a chance to explore what it means to find our way home. Together we will reflect on why we wonder, what kind of Father God truly is, and the joyful life to which he invites us.

There will be food, fun, time for quiet reflection and personal refreshment.

Please sign up at the back of church to help us plan the catering



"Flying the flag for Christianity"

A thoughtful Sunday evening service on 6th September at 6p.m.

- Do you know about the 'Christianity flag'?
- Are you a pluralist, an inclusivist or an exclusivist?

Do come and find out.

Foundation Safeguarding Training

There will be a face to face foundation safeguarding course in church on Monday 7th Sept 6pm-7.30pm. This follow on from the basic course and needs to be completed by PCC members and volunteers in a role with children, and/or vulnerable adults . If your training is out of date and you would like to attend, please email Ellie Hucklesby at safeguarding@lillingtonparishchurch.org and I will book you in.

Saturday 12th September – Monthly Coffee Morning with delicious cakes and fun crafts. 10am – 12 noon.
All welcome



Celebration Organ Recital in church on Saturday 26th September at 7pm

Celebrating 90 years since the installation of the organ.

FREE ADMISSION

New Director of Music

Joe Goodlad begins as our new Director of Music on Sunday 6th September. He brings wide-ranging experience in church and choral music. Currently a music teacher at Warwick School, he has previously served as Director of Music at Cotham Parish Church in Bristol and has led choirs in several cathedrals, including Coventry, Wells and Peterborough. An organist for over ten years, Joe is also an accomplished pianist, conductor, accompanist and composer. He has particular experience of developing choirs and encouraging singers of all ages and abilities. Joe is equally at home with traditional choral music and contemporary worship and is passionate about using music to bring people together in worship and community.

Help in the Church yard



We are currently looking for volunteers to help maintain our beautiful church yard. Mowing, pruning, weeding - whatever your skill, if you have a spare hour in the week we would love to hear from you. We have all the equipment, and you would be doing something that the whole community will benefit from and appreciate. Please see William or the wardens if you can help.

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