

# st thomas BRAMPTON



## Sunday 9 June

9.30am // 11am // 6pm



# Welcome!

means to follow Jesus and who He is, we'd love to meet you. We have an information desk at the back of church and a welcome team on hand!

## TODAY SUNDAY 9 JUNE (PENTECOST)

9.30am Holy Communion  
11am All Age  
6pm Evening Worship



## NEXT SUNDAY 16 JUNE

9.30am Holy Communion  
11am Service of Word  
6pm Evening Worship

## MISSED A SERVICE?

Recordings of our services can be found on our website [www.st-thomas-brampton.org](http://www.st-thomas-brampton.org)



*What's on ?...*

### REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES AT ST T'S:

#### PRAYERS

Every Sunday in Meeting Room 2  
10.15am-10.30am

#### TOT'S CAFE

Mondays during term time  
9.45am-11.30am

#### KNIT AND NATTER

Tuesdays 10am-12.30pm in Centre

#### COMMUNITY EVENING - 7.30pm

Friday 14 June : Venue tbc

We're so pleased to see you at St Thomas' today. Whether you're new to Chesterfield and looking for a church or exploring what it

If you are visiting with children we would love for them to join in with our fun children's activities during the 11am service. They will start off in church and will leave during the service and return before the service ends.

**SPARKS** Children aged 1-4 can join our Sparks group in the Suite which adjoins church. You will need to take them and collect them afterwards but you may stay with them if you wish.

**FLAMES AND TRAILBLAZERS** Children aged 5-10 meet in Meeting Room 1 over in the Centre.

**PATHFINDERS** Children aged 11-14 meet in Meeting Room 2 over in the Centre.

**YOUTH** For information about our Youth work (Yr9 and up) please contact our church office. Email [admin@st-thomas-brampton.org](mailto:admin@st-thomas-brampton.org)

For information about our children's work please contact our church office. Email [admin@st-thomas-brampton.org](mailto:admin@st-thomas-brampton.org)

## GET INVOLVED

If you decide that St Thomas' is the church for you, the best way to settle in is to get involved. We want to be a church where anyone can come, feel welcomed and accepted, and find their way at their own pace. Joining a small group and serving are great ways to get involved and feel part of St Thomas'.

# St Thomas' News...

## DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT PRAYER?

As part of our 11am sermon series called 'Steer' we've gathered together a panel of people who are going to address any questions you have about prayer. This will take place on **Sunday 16 June** at the 11am service in place of the talk. Is there something you've always wanted to ask about prayer? Have you had a nagging question as we've gone through this series? If so we'd love to talk about it. We need to have your questions in advance, you won't be able to ask them on the day. You can submit your questions by either posting them into the box on the Welcome Desk or emailing your question to [admin@st-thomas-brampton.org](mailto:admin@st-thomas-brampton.org).

## CHURCH PICNIC

We will be having a church picnic on Sunday 23 June as it will be Sally Anne's last Sunday with us. Bring your own picnic and we'll provide the cake. Join us after the 11am service on the church lawn.

## MONTHLY FINANCE UPDATE

We have a brand new 'Giving Pack' available from the Welcome Desk or by contacting the church office on [admin@st-thomas-brampton.org](mailto:admin@st-thomas-brampton.org). It's for anyone who is interested in giving financially to St Thomas' on a regular basis. We have a 'rule of life' at St T's about our finances: 'We are good stewards with what we have, and we trust God for what we don't yet have.' When God puts a vision on our hearts we believe he will provide - sometimes that's through miraculous ways, sometimes it's through the generosity of our church family. Both are amazing and inspiring! If you'd like to consider giving regularly to St Ts then please do pick up a 'Giving Pack' today.

# Other church family news...

**THOM'S BLOKES** Tuesday June 18 meet at the church car park at 9:45am for a visit to Buxworth Basin and Torrs Gorge, New Mills. Buxworth Basin was part of the canal system where barges were loaded with limestone for transport to Stockport and Manchester. There are information boards at the site and it is easy to get around. Torrs Gorge is an industrial archaeological site where factories were built. Recent additions to the site include a hydro, a Archimedes screw and a walkway along the side of the gorge. At the top of the gorge is a museum. However, there is a steep walk way 100ft down to the bottom of the bottom of the gorge. Further information from David: email David36m@btinternet.com phone 231115.

**HAPPY 40TH BIRTHDAY - AFTERNOON TEA PARTY** Alison and Graham Wells invite you to join them on Sunday 16 June from 3-6 pm at 43 Oakfield Avenue to celebrate Fair Trade. Join us for a bring and share afternoon tea (drinks provided) in aid of Traidcraft Exchange. We would really love to hear from people who are hoping to come to this event and if they will be bringing anything to share. Any offers of help/attendance to us by 14 June please. Thanks – Alison and Graham Wells alisonjanew@sky.com 01246 566257 or 07817573283.

**SALLY-ANNE'S ORDINATION AS DEACON** Sally-Anne Beecham will be ordained on Sunday 30 June at 10.45am at Derby Cathedral. Please consider yourselves warmly invited to the service. If you can attend, please let her know by email - sabeecham@hotmail.co.uk, as the cathedral needs numbers. Once ordained Sally-Anne will immediately begin her curacy in Bakewell Benefice and at SS Augustine Church, Chesterfield. She would welcome your prayers as she finishes college and starts this new journey. Thank you.

**LAURIE WOODGATE** is being confirmed on June 9 4pm at The Potting Shed Church, Caunton, NG23 6BB. I know he would appreciate your prayers and if you would like to be there you would be most welcome. Thanks – his Mum – Alison Wells.

**A BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who donated books, came to our coffee morning, or who bought books. We raised £370 for The Alzheimer's Society. Thank you!

## NEW TO ST THOMAS'?

We would LOVE to connect with you and tell you all about life at St Thomas'. If you would like to complete the form below and hand to a member of our welcome team we will get in touch with you.

Name/s:

Contact numbers:

Email Address:

Address:

Which service do you attend?    9.30am       11am       6pm

(Please tick) I consent to St Thomas' Church contacting me by phone and email.