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NUNEATON FOOD BANK – 16th April 2021

Distributed: 4384.4kg to 350 people of which 119 were children.

Shopping List : This week we are still in need of:

URGENTLY NEED: *Sponge Puddings, Small Jars of Coffee, Tinned Custard, Tinned Fruit,*

Tinned Fish, Crisps, Biscuits, Squash, Dog & Cat Food

Male & Female Deodorant, Shaving Gel/Foam, Toothpaste, Shower Gel, Shampoo,

Washing Up Liquid, Washing Powder, Toilet Rolls, Tampons

You can also donate money via the website www.nuneaton.foodbank.org.uk

There is a **GIVE HELP** section, under the **DONATE MONEY** section - **ONE OFF GIFTS** - with a 'button' which allows you to donate directly to Nuneaton Foodbank'.

Thank you to All Saints Church for 10.5kg of food donations and also financial donations.

NUNEATON FOODBANK - The supermarkets have been very generous to the Foodbank and so the warehouse is very well stocked with most – **but not all** – the items they need. This year they have asked whether people might be prepared to make financial donations to enable them to buy specific items they run short of. Donations can be made via the website, please see above and cheques can be made payable to **Nuneaton Foodbank**. Our Foodbank box and donations box is in the porch at All Saints Church. Please refer to the 'urgently needed' list above. Thank you.

DATES for your DIARY

Sun 23 May	4.30pm	Astley APCM at Astley Church after service
Thur 27 May	7.30pm	Deanery Synod
Sun 30 May	11.00am	Coton APCM at Coton Church after service
Tue 01 June	7.00pm	Living in Love & Faith taster session
Mon 07 June	7.30pm	Preachers' meeting via zoom
Sat 12 June	10.00am	Church and Churchyard cleanup at Coton

Sunday 23rd May 2021

The Parishes of All Saints, Chilvers Coton &

St Mary the Virgin, Astley

CHURCHES REOPEN!

Both the churches at Astley and Chilvers Coton are now open again for Sunday services, starting at 9.30am at Coton, and at 3.30pm at Astley. Due to coronavirus regulations there are limited spaces available, so please contact Joanne in the Parish Office to book your place if you are coming to Coton. However, as we have learnt over the past year, things can change overnight. If we are unable to open, we will let you know.

Frank.

4th Sunday 23rd May 2021

PENTECOST

9.30am Morning Celebration

Leader: Kerry Parker

Preacher: Colin Brown

Bible Readings: Acts 2: 1 - 21 Page 1093; 1926
John 15: 26 - 27 & 16: 4b - 15 Page 1084; 1911

3.30pm Astley Holy Communion Rev'd Rupert Allen

5th Sunday 30th May 2021

TRINITY SUNDAY

9.30am Healing & Testimony

Leader: Rev'd Frank Seldon

Preacher: Peter Wrigley

Bible Readings: Romans 8: 12 - 17 Page 1134; 1998
John 3: 1 - 17 Page 1065; 1880

3.30pm Astley Evening Prayer Rev'd Frank Seldon

1st Sunday 6th June 2021

1st Sunday of TRINITY

9.30am Holy Communion

Leader: Rev Rupert Allen

Preacher: Kerry Parker

Bible Readings: 2 Corinthians 4: 13 - 5: 1 Page 1160; 2042
Mark 3: 20 - 35 Page 1005; 1776

3.30pm Astley Evening Prayer Rev'd Rupert Allen (Leader)
Kerry Parker (Preacher)

PRAYER

For all those suffering from the Coronavirus.

For all those working in or for the NHS. Those trying to find a cure, all those people still working to support us all. Pray for all those who have lost their jobs. Pray for all those living or working in Care Homes.

For those in need of any kind of healing prayer especially those known to us including: Margaret Merrick, Samuel Sandhu, Anthony Proctor, Ann Seldon, Kathy & Mark Faulkner, Andy & Kerry Parker, Ken Hollis, Leonard Brandreth, Geoff Cowley, Gemma Neale, Christine Hopkins, John Middleton, Beryl Piper, Joan Brickell, Alan Miller. Pray for those awaiting hospital tests, results and operations.

We Remember the bereaved family and friends of Betty Hemmings and Brian George Barnes. May God bring them his strength and comfort at this time.

NOTICES

PRAYER REQUESTS - If you have any prayer requests please either e-mail or telephone the Parish Office or Frank, and we will pass your requests on to the Prayer Chain. We will pray for you, or your loved ones, and it will be kept confidential. Please let family, neighbours, friends and colleagues know about this. There are lots of people wanting prayer but not sure how to pray so they are asking Google! Please offer to pray for the people you know and meet. *Frank*

NHS TEST AND TRACE - In order to support the NHS Test and Trace programme, we are taking contact details (name and telephone number) for all visitors entering and leaving All Saints Church, Chilvers Coton or St. Mary the Virgin Church, Astley. In line with guidance issued by the Department for Health and Social Care, we will keep your details safely and in compliance with GDPR legislation for 21 days before securely disposing of or deleting them. We will only share your details with NHS Test and Trace, if asked, in the event that it is needed to help stop the spread of coronavirus. We will not use your details for any other purposes or pass them on to anyone else. Thank you for your understanding. There are now also QR code posters in the entrance porch of both churches.

ASTLEY PCC - Has a Just Giving page so donations can now be made to Astley Church via this link <https://justgiving.com/stmary-astleypcc> on our Astley Church website or Facebook page. Thank you. *Jeanette and Leonard.*

JUST GIVING - Is a website that helps charities take donations over the internet. We've set up a page for Chilvers Coton which is: <https://www.justgiving.com/allsaintschurch-chilverscoton>. *Rupert.*

DAILY HOPE FREE DIAL-IN WORSHIP PHONE LINE - Due to the popularity of this service you can now call 0800 804 8044.

THANK YOU - To all those who continue to send donations to both Coton and Astley at this very difficult time. If you wish to send cheques for All Saints Church please make it payable to **Chilvers Coton PCC** and for Astley please make payable to **Astley PCC**. We really do appreciate your help.

PRAYER LIST - Every couple of months or so we update our list of people that we are praying for. If you would like your name or the name of someone you know, to remain on our prayer list then please let the Parish Office know. *Frank.*

APCMs - Will be held at Astley on Sunday 23rd May at 4.30pm (after the service at 3.30pm), and at Coton on Sunday 30th May at 11.00am (after the 9.30 service). Please come along and join us as we discuss what the vision is for the church and what our future services could look like.

ELECTIONS - You can vote for churchwardens and PCC members at the APCM's (as above). Additionally, there will be elections for Diocesan Synod in June. Is God calling you to stand for election? Please pray about this.

MESSY CHURCH - We hope to restart Messy Church in September, but we will need more volunteers. Could you help, once a month or every other month? Please speak to Frank, Peter or Edwina if you can help.

SYCAMORE COUNSELLING - Urgently need volunteers for Reception on a Tuesday afternoon and/or evening. If you can help, please speak to Frank. They are also in need of shoe boxes. Please bring them along to Church or bring them to the Parish Office. Thank you.

READERS NEEDED - If anyone would like to do the readings at the church services at Coton could you please let the Parish Office know either by telephone or email both of which are on the back of this pew sheet. At the moment the services are at 9.30am but this may change when the COVID situation changes. You can choose which service you would prefer and how many per month or quarter you would like to do. Thank you.

A SPECIAL HEALING SERVICE - will be held at All Saints Church on Sunday 30th May at 9.30am. Join us as we lament for the loss of loved ones, jobs, or health, and then give thanks for the rollout of the vaccines, and the new opportunities to live our lives to the full that occurring. We will pray for physical and mental healing for ourselves and others, and for healing of relationships and our environment. There will be a variety of prayer stations to help us share our concerns, hopes and dreams. All welcome! *Frank*

LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH (LLF) - Be part of learning together about vital issues relating to identity, sexuality, relationships and marriage. On Tuesday 1st June at 7.00pm there will be a taster session on Zoom giving us the opportunity to hear more about LLF and sample the course material. The LLF course will run on Wednesday evenings from 16th June - 21st July, 7.00 - 9.00pm. To sign up for the taster session or the course please contact Maggie Seldon maggieseldon@btinternet.com or tel: 02476 381411, or Rev'd Gail Phillip revgailvicar.stgiles@gmail.com or tel: 02476 645030.