

Notes from today's service

AFTER THE SERVICE...
Please do stay and join us for coffee, tea, squash and biscuits which are served at the back of church.



PRAY if you would like to pray with someone after the service please approach any member of the Prayer Ministry team who can be identified by their large green badges.
LISTEN again to today's talk at www.alwaltonchurch.org.uk

Something new I learned:

Something I was reminded of:

A key verse:

Something that I want to pray about:

**St. Michael's 5.00pm
Evening Prayer**

A&M 470 Hills of the north rejoice

Psalm 65

Epistle Reading: Acts 28:11-31

A&M 143 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun

Gospel Reading: Matthew 3:1-12

Sermon: All roads lead to Rome – one road leads to God

A&M 301 How beauteous are the feet

A&M 100 All people that on earth do dwell

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Please give notices to Malcolm by 10am on Wednesday to ensure inclusion on the notice sheet

**St. Andrew's & St. Michael's
Partners Together in the Gospel**

Alwalton, Orton Wistow, Orton Northgate, Orton Southgate & Chesterton

15th July 2018 · The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

**World Cup Final
Morning Service**



Malcolm Ingham writes,

This morning we welcome the family and friends of Lauren to St. Andrews for her baptism and at both churches we come to the final verses of Luke's account of the Acts of the Apostles – but does the story end there?

Today	5.00pm	Chesterton Evening Prayer
Mon 16 th	9.30am	Tiddlywinks picnic 0-5's at St. Andrew's Fellowship Group at 9 Oundle Road
	7.30pm	
Tue 17 th		
Wed 18 th	7.30pm	St. Andrew's PCC at St. Andrew's Rectory
Thu 19 th	7.45pm	Fellowship Group – details from Ian Kirkpatrick or David Alvey
Fri 20 th		
Sat 21 st		
Sun 22 nd	9.00am	Chesterton Morning Prayer (BCP)
	10.30am	Alwalton Holy Communion (CW)

Our Verse for the Year 2018

“Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.”

Galatians 5:25

Please take home, read and recycle



St. Andrew's, Alwalton
learning, loving & living for Christ

WELCOME & NOTICES & Children's Church (5-11's)

WE SING: Facing
a task unfinished

THE GREATEST EVENT EVER

CONFESSION

**Almighty God, Heavenly Father,
you are fair and just, your
decisions are always right and
you are worthy of our respect.**

**You have led us out onto the
field of life and you are with from
the kick off to the final whistle.**

**When we break the rules, foul
the other players, or talk back to
you as if we know better your
heart breaks. Yet you never show
us the red card, instead, because
you are more than a referee, you
are our owner, our coach, our
physio and our captain, you sent
us the greatest player manager in
your Son Jesus to lead us from
the despair of defeat by sin, to
the victory of Salvation through
his cross.**

**In his name we ask for you to
restore us to your favour. Amen.**

ABSOLUTION

May God who loved the world so
much that he sent his Son to be
our Saviour forgive *us our* sins
and make *us* holy to serve him in
the world,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

BAPTISM OF LAUREN ALICE

CARTER

(Please join in the congregational
responses)

...This is the faith of the Church
**This is our faith. We believe and
trust in one God, Father, Son and
Holy Spirit. Amen.**

We receive you into Christ's
congregation, and sign you with
the cross, the sign of Christ. We
pray that you will not be ashamed
to confess the faith of Christ
crucified.

**Fight bravely under His banner
against sin, the world and the
devil, and continue Christ's
faithful soldier and servant to the
end of your life.**

PRAYER BEFORE GOD'S WORD

READING Acts 28:11-31

At the end:

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

WE SING: Lord the light of your
love is shining

READING Matthew 3:1-12

At the end:

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

TALK All roads lead to Rome –
one road leads to God

WE SING: Amazing grace

CREED

**I believe in God, the Father
almighty, creator of heaven and
earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only
Son, our Lord, who was
conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered
under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, died, and was buried;**

**he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven, he is
seated at the right hand of the
Father, and he will come to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the
forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Saviour taught us,
so we pray
**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,**

**your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive
those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation but
deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

COLLECT

**Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them
grow: though our faith is small as
mustard seed, make it grow to
your glory and the flourishing of
your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

WORLD CUP PRAYER

Lord of all the nations,
who played the cosmos into
being, guide, guard and protect all
who have or will work or play in
the World Cup. May all find in this
competition a source of
celebration, an experience of
common humanity and
a growing attitude of generous
sportsmanship to others.
Amen.

WE SING: In Christ alone
The Collection for God's work is
taken during this hymn

FINAL PRAYER AND BLESSING