

CRAFT & CHAT

Wednesday's 1-4pm In St. Michael & All Angels

Why not bring your craft, and do it with friends old and new over a hot or cold drink.

Embroidery, Needlepoint, Cross-stitch, Sewing, Knitting, Crochet, Art, Modelling, Painting...



WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday 9am

Holy Communion

10:45

Family Celebration

Wednesday 10:30

Holy Communion

2nd Saturday 4pm

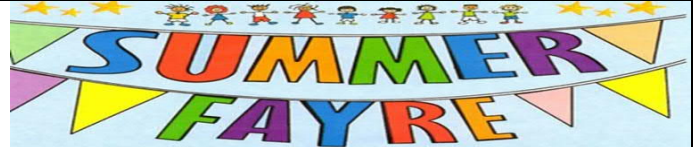
Messy Church



Summer fayre:

Items for Bric-a-Brac, Tombola, & Raffle prizes are needed. Please bring them as soon as possible.

Also offers to man stalls, or interest in providing additional stalls to Margaret & Jane



- 15th July
 - 1 to 3pm
 - Admission free
- The Vicarage, 8 Church Street, DE24 0PR

GIVING TO ALVASTON PARISH CHURCH

We seek to support our ministry through regular giving of church members. You can place money, cheques & standing order forms in the offering plates (forms on welcome table) or by texting SMAA01 £10 to 70070.

If you are a UK TAX payer Please use a Gift Aid Envelope

It costs approximately £900/week to maintain St. Michael & All Angels building and ministry

PARISH VISION DAY

July 22nd

10 to 3pm

A day to look at the future plans for the mission of the parish.

ALL CHURCH MEMBERS ARE WELCOME

Please bring a pack lunch

Bacon Butties at 9:30 for early attendees

All Welcome

2ND SEPTEMBER
10:30-12:00

St. Michael & All Angels

Coffee & Cake



Messy
Crafts, Food, Story, Songs
For the whole family

4pm till 6pm

Saturday
September 9th

St. Michael's Church Hall

Dates for your diary

9 th Sept	Messy Church
20 th Sept	Alpha course Starts – What's Christianity about?
23 rd Sept	History Weekend – Celebrating Weddings
1 st Oct	Harvest Festival
21 st Oct	YesterYear Cappella choir
12 th Nov	Remembrance Day & Memorial Service
25 th Nov	Christmas Fair
10 th Dec	Christingle
15-17 th Dec	Christmas Tree Festival
17 th Dec	Lessons & Carols
24 th Dec	Family Carols

Parish Vission Day

Please put your name on the sign up sheet, and indicate if you will be with us for Bacon butties at 9:30.

Safeguarding training

Are you available 15th August 6:30-9pm? A training session is being held here. PCC members, Messy church helpers, bell ringers, musicians Please sign up.

We have been looking at Jesus and how the early disciples sought to follow his actions, and what this means for us today. How do you see yourself following the teaching of Jesus? What has changed in how you think about Jesus Ministry? This week who could you ask about what they believe, and have a discussion with about how interesting that is, and what Christians believe that is different from them? How do you respond to the ‘that’s ok for you, I’m not that good!’ or Christians are all hypocrites, their not as good as they all make out? Are we prepared to actually tell people how broken, hurting, sinful we really are? Would it help to say well the Vicar used to be an atheist, and claims to have broken or severely bent all ten commandments? Would it shock them? Or does it make our message more relevant?

Yours in faith

John Whitney – Vicar of Alvaston



Baptism & Wedding Enquiries If you want to be married, baptised, or give thanks for the gift of a child, please come to an act of worship, and make yourself known so we can take your details and begin your journey.

Small Groups are a significant way of growing in faith and discipleship. They are the core of pastoral care and prayer. They will restart fortnightly meetings 1st week in September. If you aren't in a group signup sheet at the back. Or e-mail office@alvaston.church.



Food Bank The Food Bank collection continues to be a really important ministry in the Alvaston area. Please consider what you can bring each week or month to continue to bless those in desperate need.

Prayer occurs regularly in small groups, communal worship and other settings. When you pray please remember those who are lonely or unwell in Body, Mind or Spirit & command healing in their lives just as Jesus commanded us to do. If there are people in need of prayer please ensure their names & a reason is in the prayer book for this month. If their prayer needs change please update the entry.



Day	Time	Week	Regular Worship
Sunday	9am	Every Week	Holy Communion with Hymns
		1 st Week	Family Worship with Communion
		Other weeks	Family Worship
Tuesday	8:30am	Tuesday	Morning Prayer
Wednesday	10:30am	1 st Week	BCP Holy Communion
		Other weeks	Holy Communion
		26 th July, 2 nd , 9 th Aug	NOTE
Saturday	4pm-6pm	2 nd Saturday Term times	Messy church with Activities, Songs and food St. Michael's Hall Elvaston Lane