

First Reading at Service

Reading from the Old Testament

Psalm 138

Of David

I will praise you, Lord, with all my heart; before the “gods” I will sing your praise. I will bow down toward your holy temple and will praise your name for your unfailing love and your faithfulness, for you have so exalted your solemn decree that it surpasses your fame. When I called, you answered me; you greatly emboldened me. May all the kings of the earth praise you, Lord, when they hear what you have decreed. May they sing of the ways of the Lord, for the glory of the Lord is great. Though the Lord is exalted, he looks kindly on the lowly; though lofty, he sees them from afar. Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life. You stretch out your hand against the anger of my foes; with your right hand you save me. The Lord will vindicate me; your love, Lord, endures forever— do not abandon the works of your hands.

This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.



Second Reading at Service

Gospel Reading

Luke 11: verses 1 to 13

Jesus' Teaching on Prayer

One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples.” He said to them, “When you pray, say: “‘Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation.’” Then Jesus said to them, “Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, ‘Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.’ And suppose the one inside answers, ‘Don’t bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can’t get up and give you anything.’ I tell you, even though he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet because of your shameless audacity he will surely get up and give you as much as you need. “So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened. “Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your

Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!”

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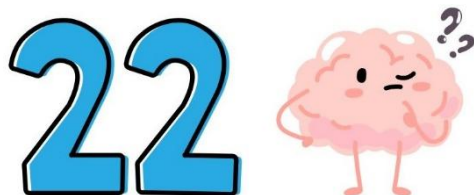
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Notices

Refreshments – join us after the service at the back of church for a drink and biscuit. A new rota for August and September is on the noticeboard. Please sign up and help.

22 Questions - The next discussion evening will be at 22 Phildock Wood Road, Derby DE22 4PH at 7.30 - 9pm on Tuesday 5th August. We don't promise answers, but we promise a safe place to talk, a drink and a good biscuit! All are welcome!



Here is this week's **GREEN TIP!**



**SHORTEN
SHOWERS!**



In a household of four, if each person spent a minute less in the shower each day, you'd cut carbon emissions and you could save £80 per year on water and energy bills, according to the Energy Saving Trust.



Next Week

3rd August – 7th After Trinity
Holy Communion - 9.30am

Food bank reminder –

please remember to bring any donations for our food banks in to church as supplies get lower during the summer months.

Your donations are very much appreciated.



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sheet, please contact Emma Jones.*

**WELCOME TO
ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH
KIRK LANGLEY**

**Sunday 27th July 2025
Sixth Sunday After Trinity**



**The service today is Morning Prayer
with Baptism**

*If you have a prayer request, please pass to
the Church Warden*

Please take this leaflet home with you for reference.