



PARISH OF NESTON

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SUNDAY 27th SEPTEMBER 2026 MICHAELMAS

Readings: Genesis 28.10-17 (P.25) Revelation 12.7-12 (P.250)
John 1.47-end (P.89)

St Mary & St Helen 8.00am Holy Communion
9.15-10am *Jesus and Me* for young families
6.00pm **Michaelmas Celebratory Evensong**
with Chester Cathedral Nave Choir

St Michael's 9.30am **United Patronal Festival Eucharist**

YouTube Live Stream No Stream today

Collect for St Michael and All Angels: Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

BRING & SHARE QUIZ NIGHT

7pm Friday 25th September at St. Michael's, Little Neston.

We pray for peace and reconciliation among nations at war.
Give their leaders wisdom and integrity to end conflict and
give their people the peace they so long for.

CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

Mo - Thur 9am Morning Prayer in the Parish Church

Mo 28 Ps 17.1-11; Lk 9.46-50

Tu 29 Ps 88.14-19; Lk 9.51-56

We 30 Ps 88.1-6, 11; Lk 9.57-end

10am Holy Communion in the Falklands Chapel followed by Coffee

Th 1st OCTOBER Ps 27.13-16; Lk 10.1-12

9.30am Bible Study in Paisley Grey. Last one until 5th Nov

2pm Holy Communion in St Michael's

Fr 2 Ps 139.6-11; Lk 10.13-16

9.15-11.15am Stay & Play in the West end of the Parish Church for pre-school children, their parents and carers.

5pm Parish Prayers on Zoom:

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/89035035754?pwd=Ds1dYJAOwcHXjCtPWsqyauQxxjFEK9.1> Meeting ID: 890 3503 5754 Passcode: Neston2

Sa 3 Ps 119.169-end; Lk 10.17-24

SUNDAY 4th OCTOBER 2026 HARVEST FESTIVAL

Readings: Deuteronomy 8.7-18 (P.7) 2 Corinthians 9.6-end (P.180)
Luke 12.16-30 (P.71)

St Mary & St Helen 8.00am Holy Communion
9.15-10am *Jesus and Me* for young families

10.45am Sunday Praise

St Michael's 9.30am Sunday Praise

St Thomas' 9.30am Sunday Praise

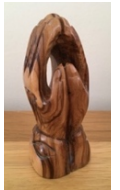
YouTube Live Stream 10.45am Sung Praise. Search Parish of Neston

PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING

PARISH Noelene Charlick, Marion Forshaw, David Johnson and Anne Kitchener.

HOSPITAL Arrowe Park: Beryl Hughes, Marion Parsons and Revd Frances Skinner

ELSEWHERE Hayley Moss. Hazelwell Care Home: Ruth Snowdon and Norman Sutton



We remember those who have died: We give thanks for the lives of those who have died recently: Susan Gray. We pray for her family and friends at this sad time. We remember anniversaries that fall at this time.

HOME COMMUNIONS: Anyone wishing to receive Holy Communion at home because of illness or infirmity, please contact *Kevin on 353 1000*.

HARVEST DECORATIONS

The Flower Ladies will be decorating the Parish Church for Harvest. Any donations in memory of a loved one would be most welcome. *Please contact Marion Forshaw or Janet Rossiter. Thank You*

HARVEST GIFTS

Gifts of dried and tinned food will be gratefully received at all our Services and given to the local Foodbank and the Ark for the homeless in Birkenhead. Thank you.

PARISH HARVEST SUPPER

Monday 5th October, 7pm at St Thomas' Church, Parkgate

On the menu will be a Pork and Cider (or Veggie) casserole with jacket potato, school cake and custard. Please bring your own drinks and glass. This will be followed by entertainment from **The Bunker Boys**. Cost £10. Tickets available in our churches or from *Lesley Irvin (353 8840)*

PILGRIMAGE TO SHREWSBURY - Tues 27th October

If you wish to come on the Pilgrimage to Shrewsbury could you please TEXT Carol on 07929096443. Please only text me with your details. Thanks *Carol*.

MU THANKS

Thank you cake makers and everyone who supported the **Mothers' Union 'Empower her Literacy Campaign' Cake Sale**. We took £175 that has been sent to the MU for distribution. We hope you enjoyed your cakes.

There are millions of women worldwide who are unable to register the birth of their child or read a medicine packet, or apply for a job. We all agree that access to education for children is a fundamental right. Yet millions of women missed out on an education *due to conflict, financial barriers, or just because they are girls*. As we all champion children's access to education as a

fundamental human right, Mothers' Union believes we must also prioritise education for women of all ages. *Diane Millington, Neston Branch Leader*

NESTON AND DISTRICT CHURCHES TOGETHER NDCT

NDCT is the ecumenical group that brings together the churches of all denominations in Neston, Williston and Burton. Next year, it is our turn to chair NDCT meetings and lead other events during the year. Richard Lewis has been nominated as chairman, but we also need a secretary for one year. There are about six meetings a year, each lasting about 90 minutes. If this is something you feel you could help with, please contact Richard for more details. (0151 336 6057 richardwlewis@outlook.com)

VOLUNTEER NEEDED TO MANAGE PARISH DBS CHECKS

The Parish are urgently looking to find a Volunteer who would be the Lead Recruiter for the DBS checks. This is an interesting and responsible volunteer role which involves the administrative side of the check as well as helping people through the process. The role requires good communications, some computer skills, your own laptop, ability to work independently as well as an ability to handle information in accordance with data protection. The Diocese use a bespoke system called 31:8 but Knowledge of any DBS system would be useful. The lead recruiter will also have to complete an enhanced DBS check for the role.

The lead recruiter would be renewing DBS checks for existing volunteers and processing DBS checks for any new volunteers. This is not a demanding task as there have been only 3 new volunteers and approximately 10 renewals this year. DBS renewals are done every 3 years. Renewals only normally total 6 a year so it doesn't normally demand a lot of time. If you are interested in applying for the role please contact myself or Kevin Crinks. *Liz Ledsham PSO*

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DONATIONS for the Church or Organ Fund payable to 'Neston P.C.C' please.

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**AN EVENING of POPULAR SONGS
from the OPERA and MUSICALS
with VERITY AUTY accompanied by Jenny Trew.**

7pm Friday 30th October in the Parish Church.

Tickets are £15 (including a welcoming glass of wine) from Blue Bicycle, the Parish Church, at the door and MU members. Refreshments and wine available in the interval. Raffle. Proceeds to Mothers' Union Charity 221214, **fighting poverty, injustice and violence both here and abroad.**

Wirral Hospice St John's

GLOW WITH THE FLOW

Fri 9 Oct 2026
6km family-friendly walk, New Brighton



Information | Prices | Registration:
wirralhospice.org/glow

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