



This † Week

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22nd September – 17th Sunday After Trinity

A very warm welcome to everyone joining in worship.

Large print versions of the Order of Service are available at the back of church.

A loop system is provided for the benefit of hearing aid users. Please switch it to 'T'. Please switch off mobile phones.

22nd Of September	8.00am	BCP Communion Readings: Ephesians 4; 1–6; Luke 14; 1-11 (Pg 184)
17th Sunday After Trinity (Green)	10.30am	Holy Communion – Readings: Proverbs 31.10-31; James 3.13 - 4.3,7-8a (EH); Mark 9.30-37 (Lay Assistant JB)
	11.30am	Interment Of Ashes of Beryl Cameron
Wednesday	2.30-4pm	Time To Reflect - Church open for quiet prayer
	6.30pm	MidWeek Praise
Thursday	7.30pm	“The Prayer Course”
Friday	11-12noon	Mission Community Wave Of Prayer
29th Of September 18th Sunday After Trinity (Green)	10.30am	Holy Communion Reading: Matthew 6; 19-33 (BS) (Lay Assistant-BS) (Followed by refreshments & drawing of the October Lucky Lotto)
	11.30am	Interment Of Ashes of Derek Bates

Please hold in your prayers:

Our Local Community: Residents of Salcombe Avenue.

The sick: All who are ill; Moira Gilmore, King Charles, Princess Kate; Father Chaminda, Mr. Fernando, members of our families, our congregation, and our wider community.

The bereaved: All who have lost loved ones, especially the family & friends of Beryl Cameron and Derek Bates; may they find healing, peace, strength, and courage to face the future.

We remember with thanks, the lives of those recorded in our Book Of Remembrance, whose anniversary falls within the coming week: Edith Rayson – 23/09/2002; Jackie Jones - 25/09/1997; Charles Raymond Warburton - 25/09/1998.

“The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective.” (James 5:16)

If you wish to receive the Pew Sheet by e-mail, send an e-mail to ainsworthnewsletter2023@gmail.com with ‘send pew sheet’ in the subject; otherwise download from <http://www.ainsworthparish.org.uk/pewsheets.html>

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- **‘The Prayer Course’** – Starting this Thursday (26th September) 7.30 – 8.30pm, then consecutive Thursday evenings, at Christ Church Ainsworth. Pete Grieg’s ‘The Prayer Course’, is an 8 week journey through The Lord’s Prayer, using videos and group discussion. From serious ‘prayer warriors’ to new starters, this course is suitable for everyone.
- **Radcliffe & Whitefield Mission Community Wave Of Prayer** – This Friday 27th September the Churches of our Mission Community are holding a Wave of Prayer; each Church will be holding a time of prayer ‘in relay’, allowing us to pray continuously throughout the day. Please join us in Church from 11 – 12 noon; everyone welcome.
- **Ainsworth Scout Group MacMillan Coffee Evening** – Friday 27th September 7-9pm, Ainsworth Church & Community Hall; everyone welcome.

Christ Church Ainsworth

‘Celebrating, encouraging, proclaiming and supporting faith, hope and love in Jesus Christ our Lord...’

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- **Christ Church Ainsworth School** - warmly invite you to join them at their MacMillan Coffee Morning, to be held in the school hall on Weds 25th September 10 – 11.15am. Any donations of cakes & biscuits can be dropped off at school on Tuesday 24th September.
- **MacMillan Coffee Morning** – Friday 27th September 10 – 11.30am, Ainsworth Church & Community Hall. Please come along for cake and a drink. Donations of cakes will be gratefully received and can be brought to the churchyard team between 9.30 & 10am on Wednesday 25th September or at the Church Hall on Friday 27th September.
- **Volunteers Needed** – Our Churchyard Team are a small but dedicated group of volunteers, who meet each Wednesday morning between 9.30 and 11.30am, to keep our Churchyard looking amazing. If you could spare an hour on a Wednesday morning to help, it would be hugely appreciated; no experience or equipment necessary, simply come along to the Churchyard any Weds between 9.30 and 11.30am.
- **Christ Church Ainsworth Book Of Remembrance** – If you have lost a family member or loved one, and would like their name to be recorded in our Book of Remembrance, please speak to a member of our Clergy or one of the Churchwardens. This option is available for those who have been a part of our local or worshipping community, or those whose funeral has been held in Church. Please note there is a charge of £5-00 per entry for this service.
- **Christ Church Ainsworth 50:50 Lucky Lotto** – The September Lucky Lotto will be drawn in Church following the morning Service next Sunday, 29th September; £1 / entry, payment by cash or bank transfer, for more info contact ainsworthparishinfo@gmail.com & remember – you have to be in it to win it!!
- **Time To Reflect** – Sometimes we all need a moment to be quiet; to pray; to reflect on the things that are happening in our lives or in the wider world. Our Church is open for quiet prayer most Wednesdays from 2.30 – 4pm; alternatively, you may wish to have a quiet moment before or after any of our regular Services, light a candle to remember a loved one, or simply enjoy a moment of tranquillity.
- **Candlelight Prayer** - is an oasis of calm at the end of a busy week. Why not join us for 10 minutes of quiet prayer and reflection each Friday at 8pm on Zoom. Simply click the link below to join in, or for more info contact Alison on 07952-709041

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88510585974?pwd=QUdYYjN6bDFoakxpZnBoY2ZDMUFoZz09>

Praying Together: Each week, all the Churches within our Mission Community will pray for our future together; this week we will be:

- Giving thanks for those who work with the most vulnerable people within our communities.
- Giving thanks for the various initiatives offered by our Churches to support those who are in the greatest need.
- Praying that those who access these initiatives will be inspired and empowered by the support that they receive.
- Praying for the time and resources to develop our existing initiatives to enable our churches to reach out further and offer support to more people.
- Praying for inspiration from the Holy Spirit as we seek new ways of working together and reaching out to vulnerable people throughout our Mission Community.

If you would like to include a notice on the pew sheet about your organisation or a specific event that's happening, please email ainsworthnewsletter2023@gmail.com

If you pay tax, please Gift Aid your offering(s). This enables us to claim back the tax paid on offerings. Envelopes for occasional givers are in the pews and forms for regular givers are in the porch. **The only details that need to be given,** are your **full** name, address and post code and an acknowledgement that you pay tax to the value of the amount to be claimed. Bank Standing Order forms are also available in the Church porch. Completed forms can be put on the collection plate with your offering.