

**St Wilfrid's Harvest Festival Service:** Sunday 1st October at 11am. Donations of dried goods and toiletries will be most welcomed and can be brought along to the 11am Service or to our 4pm '1st at 4' in the Village Hall. All items will be sent to The Arena Project in Ilkeston.

**The Dalesmen Male Voice Choir:** 7.00pm, Saturday 7 October 2023 in St Wilfrid's Church - A concert with a mix of popular and well-known tunes. Refreshments will be served in the interval. Admission is free but donations towards the maintenance of the church will be appreciated. The buggy and driver will be available to assist access if required.

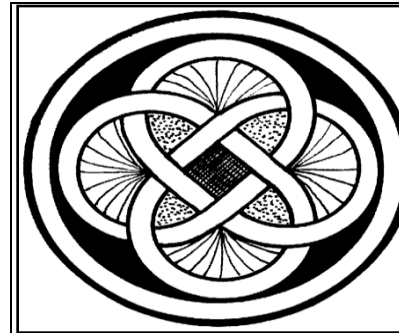
**First Wednesday Worship:** We have a *special speaker -Alex Watts* from Myanmar. Alex grew up in the West Hallam Methodist Church and took part in the village pantomimes. Come and hear how God is mightily using this young man. More info from Anne Brown on 9328007 or Carol Smith on 9308787

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October ~ Trinity 17**

9.30am	Harvest Praise & Worship	Holy Trinity, Mapperley
9.30am	Holy Communion	UCAS, Stanley Common
11.00am	Harvest	St Wilfrid's, West Hallam
2.00pm	Pet Blessing Service	St Andrew's, Stanley
4.00pm	1 <sup>st</sup> @ 4	W Hallam Village Hall

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October ~ Trinity 18**

9.30am	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Mapperley
11.00am	Holy Communion	St Andrew's, Stanley



St Wilfrid, West Hallam ~ Holy Trinity, Mapperley  
St Andrew, Stanley ~ United Church, Stanley Common

**THE NEWSLETTER**  
**1<sup>st</sup> October 2023**  
**17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**  
**Welcome to Worship**

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**Verse for October: Lamentations 3:22-24 NIV**

'Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. I say to myself, "The Lord is my portion; therefore I will wait for him.'"

**Please also include in your prayers:**

Mary Beedell, Mike Semken, Kevin Massey, Bob Prew, Val Smith, Val (Dr Jean Parson's cousin), George Futers and Abbie (Eileen and John Jordans' granddaughter).

**THIS WEEK**

**Mon 2** 9.30am Holy Trinity, Mapperley open for private prayer  
**Tues 3** 7.00pm Bellringers meet in St Wilfrid's, West Hallam  
**Wed 4** 7.30pm First Wednesday Worship, WH Methodist Church  
**Thurs 5** 10.30am Benefice Coffee Morning, W Hallam Village Hall  
**Sat 7** 7.00pm The Dalesmen Male Voice Choir Concert, St Wilfrid's  
7.30pm Tearfund Big Quiz Night, WHMC, see poster

**NOTICES**

**Holy Trinity, Mapperley Harvest Praise and Worship:** Sunday 1st October at 9.30am. The school and church will donate to the Padley Centre in Derby, a Homelessness and Poverty Prevention Charity. Kerry from the centre is coming to speak at the service on Sunday and receive donated goods. Hope you can join us.

*Sue Hack is working Mondays from home & on Wednesdays from Mapperley Church.*

*Please submit Newsletter items by midday on Wednesday.*

**N.B some dates are left on as the electronic copy is normally circulated on a Wednesday.**

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