

# News from the Pews

## September 2023 at Holy Trinity Belle Vue

### Sundays - and midweek

As we begin the autumn season we'll have three weeks to reconnect with the three amazing gifts of God described at the end of 1 Corinthians 13. As the Message version puts it, "we have three things to hold on to. Have faith in God, hope unswervingly, love extravagantly. And the best of the three is love."

Alongside Sundays look out for other ways in which we can live that and pray that during the week...



3rd  
Sept

Ready or not?  
Matthew 25

10th  
Sept

Faith  
Luke 5:1-11

17th  
Sept

Hope  
Luke 4:14-21

24th  
Sept

Love  
John 13:1-17

Stay Curious  
Try Alpha



Explore the  
letter to the  
Romans



The  
Romans  
Course



Autumn opportunities to go deeper in faith include **ALPHA COURSE** and new resource called **ROMANS COURSE**. These are both taking place in the Trinity Centre Meole Brace on Wednesday evenings from 4th October. More details and sign up at [www.trinitychurches.org](http://www.trinitychurches.org)

### Also coming up soon

**MESSY CHURCH** takes place on the first Sunday of each month from 9am. (Sept 3rd, October 1st, November 5th etc) Meanwhile **Early Birds Breakfast Church** meet on the third Sunday of each month (Sept 17th, October 15th, November 19th etc)

**OASIS** reconvenes on Thursday 14th September, meeting each Thursday for crafts, cake and community. On the first Thursday of each month (Sept 7th, October 5th, November 2nd etc) we gather in the usual way and have bacon sandwiches, time to pray and a simple service of communion.

Our **HARVEST CELEBRATIONS** will take place on Sunday 1st October. Any gifts of non-perishable food items will go towards the amazing work of Shrewsbury Food Bank. Look out on social media for produce they particularly need at this time of year.

**CLEANING CHURCH.** We'd love church to continue to be a welcoming space for everyone, and that includes helping to keep things as clean and as tidy as we can. We are aiming for four pairs of people who could clean once each month. Talk to wardens for more.

**GOOD GOD?** We're going to be talking about 'grace, gratitude and generosity' over the month of October, and wanting to invite people to consider how they might contribute towards the life of the church. For many people the easiest way to give regularly is through BACS. There's also a collection plate at each of our services. For more info chat to Jeremy, or one of the team.

**GETTING INVOLVED** is a great way to grow faith and get to know others. We're looking for people to serve by welcoming, refreshments or reading the Bible. You can also support Sarah and Sandra in their warden responsibilities.

For more details, go to our website at [www.htbv.org](http://www.htbv.org).  
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