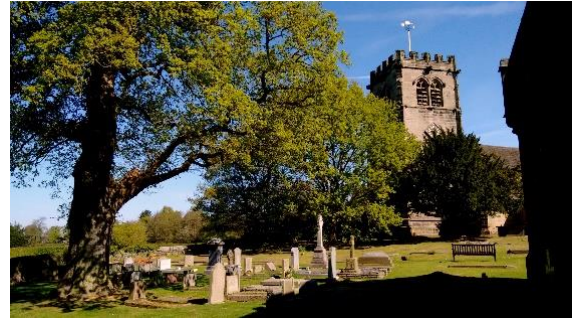




*St.Catherine's Church*



*St.Mary's Church*

# ALDERLEY CHURCH NEWS no.1

July 2018

## Serving Alderley Park

The Reverend Jon Hale of the two local parish churches writes ....

**ALDERLEY CHURCH NEWS** is the new community freesheet for Alderley Park. It's produced by the two local Church of England parish churches. It's for everyone who lives at Alderley Park. Your two churches – details overleaf – are friendly and warm. I am known as the Rector at St.Mary's Church and the Vicar at St.Catherine's Church but my job is the same at both: to encourage, cherish and strengthen Christian faith, and to serve the local community. Both churches are welcoming to all – whatever your faith, or whether you have no faith or are asking questions.

### TEA PARTY

The St.Mary's Church Flower Fund Tea Party is on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July in the afternoon on the Church Paddock by St.Mary's Church. Tickets £10 available from Michael Penlington on 01625 530084. Numbers are limited and due to the high demand tickets can only be bought in advance of the event.

### FUN DOG SHOW & FETE AT OVER

#### ALDERLEY & BIRTLES READING ROOM

Bank Holiday Monday 27<sup>th</sup> August at 1.00pm: Over Alderley & Birtles Fun Dog Show & Fete. The Reading Room is at the top of Birtles Lane. On Facebook overalderleyandbirtlesreadingroom

### ST.MARY'S OPEN CHURCH AT HARVEST FESTIVAL WEEKEND

St.Mary's Church is just over the other side of Congleton Road from Alderley Park. Harvest Festival weekend is Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September. Come along! Harvest Festival Family Service on 30<sup>th</sup> September at 9.45am. On both days the church will be open all day

with refreshments. There will be stewards available to give guided tours around the Church and grounds together with a WW1 display. On Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Sept: Musical evening (4 hands on the piano) in St.Mary's Church. Contact Michael Penlington on 01625 530084.

### ST.CATHERINE'S CHURCH HARVEST FESTIVAL AND LUNCH

On Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October the Harvest Festival service at St.Catherine's Church is at 11.15am followed by Harvest Festival Lunch in the Reading Room. To obtain a ticket to the lunch please contact Revd Jon Hale on 01625 585440

### THE PARISH HALL NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

A team of local people is working to repair and improve Nether Alderley Parish Hall. To find out more contact the Clerk of Nether Alderley Parish Council: details overleaf.

Online:

[www.netheralderleyparish.com/parish-council/parish-hall](http://www.netheralderleyparish.com/parish-council/parish-hall)

## SUNDAY SERVICES

### At St.Mary's Church in August & September. Times of Sunday services:

9.45am 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday: Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer).  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday: Family Service (Common Worship).  
On the fifth Sunday in September (30<sup>th</sup>): Harvest Festival Family Service.

6.30pm 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays: Evensong (Book of Common Prayer)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday: Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer).

### At St.Catherine's Church in August & September. Times of Sunday services:

11.15am 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday: Family Service (Common Worship).  
2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday: Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer).  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday: Mattins (Book of Common Prayer).  
Harvest Festival Family Service at 11.15am on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October

## BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS

### Contact the Reverend Jon Hale about Baptisms (Christenings), Weddings and Funerals.

**Baptism (Christening):** <https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/christenings>

**Weddings:** <https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/weddings>

**Funerals:** <https://churchofenglandfunerals.org/>

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Mr Ken Wilkinson (Phone: 0161 432 3490)

**Honorary Treasurer:** Mr Will Ablett (Phone 01625 585180 or email: [will@abletts.co.uk](mailto:will@abletts.co.uk))

**Websites:** [www.alderleychurch.co.uk](http://www.alderleychurch.co.uk) [www.stmarysaldерley.com](http://www.stmarysaldерley.com) **Facebook:** St.Mary's Church, Nether Alderley

### St.Catherine's Church, Birtles Lane, Birtles, Over Alderley. SK10 4RX

**The Revd Jon Hale.** Contact details as for St.Mary's Church.

**Churchwardens:** Sir David Barnes (Phone: 01625 586521); Mr Michael Norbury (Phone: 01625 583788)

Honorary Treasurer: Mrs Nicola Folkes (Phone 01625 860815 or email [njfolkes@msn.com](mailto:njfolkes@msn.com))

**Website:** [www.stcatherinebirtles.org.uk](http://www.stcatherinebirtles.org.uk)

### Nether Alderley Parish Council

**Clerk:** Phone: 07717 244537 or email

[clerk.napc@gmail.com](mailto:clerk.napc@gmail.com)

**Website:** <http://www.netheralderleyparish.com/>

### Over Alderley Parish Council

**Clerk:** Phone: 01477 571444 or email :

[clerk.overalderleyipc@gmail.com](mailto:clerk.overalderleyipc@gmail.com)

**Website:** <http://overalderleyipc.weebly.com/>

### Cheshire East Council

**Website:** <http://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/home.aspx>

**Your Councillors on Cheshire East Council are: Chelford Ward:** George Walton Phone: 01565 651507 or email [george.walton@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:george.walton@cheshireeast.gov.uk); **Prestbury Ward:** Paul Findlow Phone 01625 828004 or email [paul.findlow@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:paul.findlow@cheshireeast.gov.uk)

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