

Worship Matters

Next Sunday 13th August 2023

Tenth Sunday after Trinity

*A service of Morning Prayer for use at home will be posted on the website.*

8am Holy Communion

10am Holy Communion

Readings: 1 Kings 19:9-18

Romans 10:5-15

Matthew 14:22-33

*No evening service. These will resume in September*

*Advance notice: there will be no 8am service on Sunday 27th August, Tariro and David being at Greenbelt.*

*We are very grateful to Rob and Helen Hingley for looking after the 10am Service.*

*New Beginnings: Contributions for All Age Worship, Sunday 3rd September*

*If any child or young person has experience of what it's like to start in a new year at school, or move to a new school, and would be willing to share their top tips for anyone doing so this year, please tell David.*

*Likewise, any adult at any stage willing to share top tips for starting a new job, please tell David. [info@davidwarbrick.co.uk](mailto:info@davidwarbrick.co.uk) or (0121) 444 0260.*

*Wednesday 16th August, following the 11.30 communion at which Margaret Nevin was a lunch club regular, we will plant a rose in the Memorial Garden in her memory. Many thanks to Margaret's family for this thoughtful gift giving pleasure to others who grieve.*



### Joyful news

In a traditional Zimbabwean ceremony last weekend, Tariro's and Brian's families negotiated in a time honoured way, a kind of loving scrutiny, mutually expressing the importance of the network of family relationships and responsibilities. Then Brian was introduced to Tariro's family and they are, in traditional Zimbabwean terms, married. In English terms, they are engaged. There will be a wedding to celebrate in the New Year. Our congratulations, prayers and thanksgivings on hearing Tariro and Brian's news.

### Newcomers becoming friends - Welcome Teas

If you are a newcomer to All Saints in the last 2 years, you are invited to Tariro's home on Sunday 13th August anytime between 3pm and 5pm to meet others over tea and cake. If you want to come, email Jenny at [warbrickja@gmail.com](mailto:warbrickja@gmail.com) and she can send you directions.

### "So much space around you" The spirituality of walking

Friday 1st – Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023

Holland House, Crophorne, Worcs.

Facilitated by Rosie Miles

*"Walking returns the body to its original limits ... to something supple, sensitive and vulnerable ... walking is a mode of making the world as well as being in it".*

*Rebecca Solnit*

Walking is among our most ordinary and unnoticed activities, but it can also be highly intentional, rich with symbolism and meaning for our lives. We can go for short walks in the local neighbourhood, or more sustained 'planned' walks along the myriad paths and trails that criss-cross and edge these islands. Graham Usher notes that "as we walk into a landscape, we leave our mark on it and it leaves its mark on us; as we explore the outside, so we explore our inner selves", and Rebecca Solnit writes of how the ancient practice of pilgrimage is a "literal means of [enacting a] spiritual journey".

Come and spend a weekend at Holland House, where (weather willing) we will both walk in the local area and explore together writing about walking in prose and poetry. The writers who will help us do this may include Robert Macfarlane, Raynor Winn, Kerry Andrews, Graham B. Ussher, Thomas A. Clark, Frédéric Gros, Cheryl Strayed and Rebecca Solnit. We will reflect on what a 'spirituality of walking' might look like, consider the relationship between walking, identity and transition in our lives, and how more recently women are claiming their voices as walkers and travellers alongside men. Robert Macfarlane writes of walking as "enabling sight and thought ... [and] paths as offering ... ways of feeling, being and knowing". This is very much the spirit of our journeying together over this weekend. [Book Here](#).

Bio:

Rosie Miles lives in Birmingham and spent over twenty years as an academic and educator, teaching and writing about English literature. She now offers poetry courses, workshops, and residential events/retreats under the banner 'Poetry with Soul'. Over the past few years Rosie has been walking the South West Coast Path in substantial chunks (Poole to Minehead), and she has now walked the entire south coast stretch (373 miles). She walks solo, carrying everything needed in her rucksack, and believes strongly that walking has a great deal to teach us about living well.

In addition Rosie has recently retrained as a professional gardener, and is part-time General Gardener at the Alpine Garden Society, Pershore. She runs her own small gardening business in south Birmingham.

Trainers

St Chad's Sanctuary  
Hope  
Peace  
Safety

Jumpers/hoodies

Tshirts

Underwear

Jeans

## Urgent appeal for men's clothing in Birmingham

- all sizes needed
- good condition pre-loved or new
- given straight to those in need
- want to donate? see stchadssanctuary StChadSanctuary  
<http://www.stchadssanctuary.com/index.php/donations>
- or contact us on [info@stchadssanctuary.com](mailto:info@stchadssanctuary.com) 01212333127

St Chad's Sanctuary has helped refugees and an asylum seekers in

Birmingham for some years. They would value our prayers as well as

donations of clothes.

We would be delighted to receive your donations between 10:00 and 15:00 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays when we are open. Please check with us in advance if you want to come in at any other time.

We are focusing on donations of men's clothing at this time. All sizes of casual clothing is welcomed, such as jeans, joggers, underwear, hoodies, jumpers, tshirts, and pyjamas.

York Supplies : a very Kings Heath response

York Supplies is a hardware and gardening store that serves the community (and the earth) by selling what people need in the quantity they need - just one nail, if that's all they want. It helps reduce waste by enabling people to mend things.

The current owner is retiring, so the community has come together to save York Supplies. It has formed a Community Benefit Society so the store can be owned by all who invest in it. The minimum investment is £100. It needs to raise £300,000 by 7 September 2023.

If you would like to help save York Supplies, find out more at: [yorksuppliescoop.co.uk/share-offer/](https://yorksuppliescoop.co.uk/share-offer/)

*Some members of All Saints are playing a part in this transition. While it's important to say that we are not obliging anyone by including it in the Church newsletter, there's no doubt many of us, including All Saints Greenbelt campers, have found this local supply very helpful indeed.*

For our prayers

We give thanks for the Baptism of Skylar Rose Cartwright last weekend and pray for Tariro and Brian as they begin to plan their wedding. We pray for wisdom and joy as they grow together in marriage and ministry.

Among those who are unwell we pray for Jenny Watling, Adrian Kozlowski and Kathy Farbrother.

Among those who have died we remember Amanda Swain, Ernie Humpage, Joan Davies, Margaret Shepherd and Dadlin Williams.

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Best wishes,  
David The Revd Canon David Warbrick, Vicar of All Saints Kings Heath

