

TRINITY 9 2nd August 2026

Isaiah 55.1-5;
Ps 145.8-9, 15-22*;
Romans 9.1-5;
Matthew 14.13-21.



6.30pm Churches Together at Altrincham Baptist Church, Hale Road.

Morning Prayer 8.30am Thurs in church

Eucharist 9.30am

SUMMER SUNDAYS - Summer evening worship with Churches Together in Hale at **6.30pm**
2nd August – Altrincham Baptist Church, Hale Rd
9th August – United Reformed Church, Cecil Rd.
16th August – The Vine, Hale Road
23rd August - All Saints, Hale Barns (help needed)
30th August - Holy Angels, Wicker Lane

WE ARE MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT

at All Saints Church Hall,
Friday 18th Sept. 10.30-12.30pm. Please add your

name to the list in the narthex if you are able to bake a cake/cakes (no nuts) or help on the day serving tea/ coffee or help with the raffle. All help offered is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

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Prayers this week

We pray for the Church, for bishops Mark, Sam and Julie and for all who lead, teach and minister in Christ's name ... Grant that we may be nourished in our faith and understanding, and bear daily witness to Christ's love.

We pray for the nations of the world and for those who take authority to serve the cause of justice and human well-being ... Strengthen the leaders of the nations with gifts of wisdom, courage and integrity, that your will may be done on earth as it is in heaven. We pray for peace between America and Iran, Israel and Lebanon and Ukraine and Russia.

We pray for those who are afflicted by natural disasters: the fires raging across much of Europe and the earthquake in Venezuela. Fill them with the resurrection hope that good will prevail, and bless all who stand with them in finding solutions to their difficulties.

We pray for all who suffer from illness, loneliness or weakness, continuing to pray for Jane Sanders, Pauline Clemo, Michael Sargent and Father Gordon, praying that God may raise them from despair to hopefulness and health.

We remember with thanksgiving those who have died ... Strengthen all who mourn, with the sure hope that, in Christ, their loved ones are raised to fullness of life.

Hymns

To sing in the morning

766 Praise my soul the king of heaven
448i I come with joy
449 I hunger and I thirst
652 Guide me, O thou great redeemer

6.30pm Churches Together Altrincham Baptist Church, Hale Road.

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Readings

Monday 3rd August

Psalm 44; 1 Samuel 19.1-18; Acts 1.1-14

Tuesday 4th August *Jean-Baptiste Vianney c.1859*

Psalm 48; 1 Samuel 20.1-17; Acts 1.15-end

Wednesday 5th August *Oswald, king, martyr c.642*

Psalm 119.57-80; 1 Samuel 20.18-end; Acts 2.1-21

Thursday 6th August *Transfiguration of our Lord*

Psalm 27, 150; Eccl.48.1-10; 1 John 3.1-3

Friday 7th August *John Mason Neale, priest*

Psalm 51; 1 Samuel 22.6-end; Acts 2.37-end

Saturday 8th August *Dominic, priest c.1221*

Psalm 68; 1 Samuel 23; Acts 3.1-10

Next Sunday is TRINITY 10

1 Kings 19.9-18;

Ps 85.8-13;

Romans 10.5-15;

Matthew 14.22-33.



SAFEGUARDING If you have concerns about a vulnerable person at All Saints, contact Parish Safeguarding Officer, June Tracey

jtracey75@btinternet.com or on 980 2928 or deputy Kay Craig lynamkay@hotmail.com or on 07734 889010

A LISTENING EAR - Ring Debbie Buckley (Pastoral Care Co-ordinator) if you or someone you're worried about would like someone from the team or a priest to talk to or to pray with or for you 0161 980 7147.

Sunday

2 August 2026 Ninth Sunday after Trinity

COLLECT

Almighty God,
who sent your Holy Spirit
to be the life and light of your
Church:
open our hearts to the riches of
your grace,
that we may bring forth the fruit of
the Spirit
in love and joy and peace;
through Jesus Christ your Son our
Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

FIRST READING Isaiah 55:1-5

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

The LORD says this: Everyone who
thirsts, come to the waters; and
you that have no money, come,
buy and eat! Come, buy wine and
milk without money and without
price. Why do you spend your
money for that which is not bread,
and your labour for that which
does not satisfy? Listen carefully
to me, and eat what is good, and
delight yourselves in rich food.
Incline your ear, and come to
me; listen, so that you may live. I
will make with you an everlasting
covenant, my steadfast, sure love
for David. See, I made him a
witness to the peoples, a leader
and commander for the peoples.
See, you shall call nations that you
do not know, and nations that do
not know you shall run to you,
because of the LORD your God,
the Holy One of Israel, for he has
glorified you.

Or **Genesis 32:22-31**

PSALM Psalm 145:8-9. 15-end 
[or 145:15-end]

R *Great is the Lord and highly to
be praised.*

The Lord is gracious and merciful,
long-suffering and of great
goodness.

The Lord is loving to everyone
and his mercy is over all his
creatures. **R**

[The Lord upholds all those who
fall
and lifts up all those who are
bowed down.
The eyes of all wait upon you,
O Lord,
and you give them their food in
due season. **R**

You open wide your hand
and fill all things living with plenty.
The Lord is righteous in all his
ways
and loving in all his works.
The Lord is near to those who call
upon him,
to all who call upon him faithfully. **R**
He fulfils the desire of those who
fear him;
he hears their cry and saves them.
The Lord watches over those who
love him,
but all the wicked shall he destroy.
My mouth shall speak the praise of
the Lord,
and let all flesh bless his holy
name for ever and ever.] **R**

SECOND READING

Romans 9:1-5

*A reading from the letter of Paul
to the Romans.*

I am speaking the truth in Christ.
I am not lying; my conscience
confirms it by the Holy Spirit. I
have great sorrow and unceasing
anguish in my heart. For I could
wish that I myself were accursed
and cut off from Christ for the sake
of my own people, my kindred
according to the flesh. They are
Israelites, and to them belong the
adoption, the glory, the covenants,
the giving of the law, the worship,
and the promises; to them belong
the patriarchs, and from them,
according to the flesh, comes
the Messiah, who is over all, God
blessed for ever. Amen.

GOSPEL Matthew 14:13-21

*Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus
Christ according to Matthew.*

When Jesus heard that Herod had
beheaded John the Baptist, he
withdrew in a boat to a deserted
place by himself. But when the
crowds heard it, they followed
him on foot from the towns. When
he went ashore, he saw a great
crowd; and he had compassion for
them and cured their sick. When it
was evening, the disciples came to
him and said, "This is a deserted
place, and the hour is now late;
send the crowds away so that they
may go into the villages and buy
food for themselves." Jesus said
to them, "They need not go away;
you give them something to eat."
They replied, "We have nothing
here but five loaves and two fish."
And he said, "Bring them here to
me." Then he ordered the crowds
to sit down on the grass. Taking
the five loaves and the two fish, he
looked up to heaven, and blessed
and broke the loaves, and gave
them to the disciples, and the
disciples gave them to the crowds.
And all ate and were filled; and
they took up what was left over of
the broken pieces, twelve baskets
full. And those who ate were
about five thousand men, besides
women and children.

POST COMMUNION

Holy Father,
who gathered us here around the
table of your Son
to share this meal with the whole
household of God:
in that new world where you reveal
the fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race and
language to share in the eternal
banquet of Jesus Christ our
Lord.

