

STAFFORDSHIRE HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST CHURCH TOURS 2020

SUNDAY 17th MAY at 2.00pm. WALSALL

ST MATTHEW'S Church, the ancient Parish Church at high point above the Market Place. Medieval Chancel, Nave Georgian Gothick 1820 (Francis Goodwin), splendid lofty interior, notable 15c Stalls with misericords, 13/14c Crypt beneath chancel. WS1 3DG

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/5384/>

ST MARY THE MOUNT (RC) nearby in Vicarage Walk. Classical 1825-7 (John Ireland). WS1 3NF

ST GABRIEL'S in Walstead Road,

Fulbrook. Fine 20th Century church designed by Lavender & Twentyman (1939). WS5 4LZ

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4575/>

Followed by Afternoon Tea.

WEDNESDAY 17th JUNE at 10.45am LICHFIELD

ST JAMES, LONGDON interesting restored medieval church, with S.Chapel built by John Stoneywall, last Abbot of Pershore. (Starting here) WS13 7ND

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4373/>

CHRIST CHURCH, LICHFIELD (1847) Leomansly by Thomas Johnson. Chancel roof painted 1897 (John Batten). ST JOHN'S HOSPITAL CHAPEL Ancient Augustinian Priory, later Almshouse (1495). Fine E.Window by John Piper (c .1980). WS13 8BA

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4359/>

Lunch Break

ST MICHAEL'S, LICHFIELD ON Greenhill Medieval church with Perp. Tower & Spire. Largely rebuilt 1842 (Thomas Johnson). WS13 6ED

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4362/>

ST CHAD, LICHFIELD by Stowe Pool where St Chad had his hermitage. Ancient foundation with interesting features EE, Dec, Perp, Georgian, Victorian. Colourful E.Window, glass in S.Aisle by Christopher Whall. WS13 7ND

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4360/>

The Cathedral is not included in the Tour but is open to visitors through the day.

SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2PM around SWYNNERTON.

ALL SAINTS', STANDON a medieval church in attractive setting, much restored by Gilbert Scott in 1846. ST21 6RZ

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4249/>

ST MARY, SWYNNERTON (Parish Church). Medieval church Norman base of tower, Nave and Chancel 14c, Screen 15c, large statue of Christ 13c of fine workmanship – thought to have come from the West Front of Lichfield Cathedral. Good E.Window (1864) by Powell designed by Sedding. ST15 0RA

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4553/>

RC CHURCH Our Lady of the Assumption (1868) sumptuous Victorian Gothic, lavishly detailed inside. ST LUKE, TITTENSOR (1880) by local architect, T. Roberts of Trentham in stone and brick, tower timber framed. ST15 0QZ

<http://www.ourladyoftheassumption.org.uk/>

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BOOKING FORM for CHURCH TOURS (Cost: £12.50 per person per Tour)

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