0The United Benefice of Hampton, Sedgeberrow with Hinton on the Green and Bengeworth

Newsletter for Sunday 13th March 2016..... 5th Sunday of Lent

We extend a very warm welcome to all at our worship today!

Our prayer is that you will have a helpful encounter with the living God in the services here.

Services and events for Today & the coming week

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8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
8am	Holy Communion	Bengeworth
9.45am	Parish Eucharist	Bengeworth
10am	Parish Eucharist	Hampton
10am	Fresh Expressions	St Andrews Centre
11.15am	All Age Worship	Sedgeberrow
6pm	SoulFood	All Saints
Mon 14th	10am Bible Study	Vicarage
Tue 15th	10am Holy Communion	Bengeworth
	9am Tots Group	Guide & Scout Hall
Wed 16th	10am Holy Communion	Hampton
	11am PCC Meeting	
	(in Church)	Hampton
	7.30pm Asum House group	1, Broadway Road
Thur 17th	10am Splish	Bengeworth
	17th Spring Service	Sedgeberrow
	7.30pmYouth Group	Bengeworth

	SUNDAY 20th March	
	Palm Sunday	
8am	Holy Communion	Hampton
8am	Holy Communion	Bengeworth
9am	Holy Communion	Sedgeberrow
9.45am	Parish Eucharist	Bengeworth
10am	Fresh Expressions	St Andrews Centre
10am	All Age Worship	Hampton
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FOR YOUR PRAYERS FROM OUR CHURCHES

For the housebound, the sick and the elderly: Janet Bailey, Anna Ballard, Lorraine Brittnal, Maureen Cauldwell, Sarah Clements, Jill Cotton, Grace Dolphin, Andrew Dyke, Richie Edwards, Monica Garston, Margaret Goodman, Olivia Hancock, Girlie Humphries, Sue Jones, Lewis Langston, Clifford Lewis, Jackie Newbury, Nina Lippett, Janice Sinclair and Cyril Westwood as well as others known to us personally.

For those who have died and all who mourn at this time:-Molly Smith, Robert James, Anne Livingstone, Richard Gyorgy, Michael Marshall and Gillian Spring.

Please pray for all children and young people in our community, especially those involved in Church groups and Schools. We also pray for **Jenson Christopher John Rowe & Poppy Jessica Roads** who will be baptised today at Bengeworth.

Cheques are to be made out to the relevant Church PCC <u>not</u> the Church

NOTICES

<u>Please see separate sheet for Holy Week</u> <u>Services in our Benefice.</u>

If you are interested in one of the ALM courses due to start after Easter or October please see Elaine for further information Courses include....**Children's Youth Worker, Community** worker, Evangelist, Pastoral Worker & Worship Leader.

Evesham Lent Series 3-7

March 14th 7pm for 7.30 pm All Saints' Church. "Human suffering: How can I show I care?"

Hampton PCC AGM

Chair people of the following Church groups **Fundraising, Herald & Home Communion,** please submit your reports ASAP to Elaine at the office no later than the **7th March**. *Thank you*.

Confirmation Classes

This year's confirmation Service will take place at St. Peter's, Bengeworth Sunday 19th June 9.30am Bishop Graham will preside.

If you, or anyone you know would like to be confirmed please contact the office....**01386 446381** for further details

Church Electoral Roll (Hampton)

Each year before the annual church meetings the electoral roll must be updated. This year the revision will be completed on **20th March**. If you are not already on the roll please complete an application form, which can be found on the font, and return it to **Michael Hunter**. If you are already on the roll please check your entry and let Michael know of any changes which are required. The new roll will be published on **3rd April**.

PCC Membership

There are forms at the back of Church for anyone wishing to become a member of Hampton PCC. Please help us to maintain the Church for future generations. Thank you

St. Andrews Altar Guild.....Easter Lilies

The Guild asks for your donations to purchase Lilies to decorate the Church this Easter. Please give your donation to either Jane Wisnievski or Gabrielle Falkiner by Sunday 13th March. Thank you

St. Mary the Virgin Sedgeberrow Easter Lilies.

Donations towards the Easter Lilies will be gratefully accepted Please see Ann Banks Thank you

Sedgeberrow monthly Bingo

Saturday 19th March 8pmSedgeberrow Village Hall



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Caring Hands

There is a box for your donations of food, clothing, toiletries and baby requisites which will be passed on to Caring Hands At the back of Church. Thank you for your continuing support.

<u>Vocations event</u> 23 April, 10am - 3pm The Old Palace, Worcester

More information to follow, but the day will include:

- Keynote speaker, Literature and information.
- Opportunity to hear from practitioners from a wide variety of ministries
- Opportunity to ask questions and explore possibilities
- Explanation of diocesan and national procedures for section for different ministries



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