

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

Welcome  **ST. PETER'S BENGEWORTH**  **EVESHAM**

Worshipping Jesus in a Growing Community - www.bengeworthchurch.co.uk

Pewsheets for Sunday 22nd October 2017

Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to everyone attending our services and events, especially if you are new to the area or visiting us for the first time. Please stay for coffee/tea afterwards so we can meet together.

Today's Services - 19th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion (<i>said</i>) <i>Rev'd Mark Binney</i>
10.00am	Parish Eucharist <i>Rev'd Canon Michael Grylls</i>
Readings (overleaf)	Richard Southern; Jane Richards
Intercessions	John Gordon
Hymns: Green book	17; 520; 335; 299; 532
3.00pm	Sunday Praise at Austen Court Care Home - all welcome
6.00pm	SoulFood at All Saints' Church

This Week's Church Diary

Mon 23	7.30pm	Bengeworth PCC Standing Committee at the Vicarage
Tue 24	10.00am	Holy Communion
Wed 25		
Thu 26	11.00am	Funeral of Marjorie Jefferson
Fri 27	2.30pm 7.00pm	Burial of Ashes - Doreen Davidson Church Choir Practice
Sat 28		

Next Sunday, 29th October - Last after Trinity / Bible

8.00am	Holy Communion (<i>said</i>) <i>Rev'd Julian Bomyer</i>	Readings (Bible Sunday) ◆ Nehemiah 8. 1-6, 8-12 ◆ Colossians 3. 12-17 ◆ Matthew 24. 30-35
10.00am	Benefice Eucharist <i>Rev'd Mark Binney</i>	
3.00pm	Baptism of Harrison Lane	
6.00pm	SoulFood at All Saints' Church	

Including Everyone: Please let the 'welcomers' know if you have any special needs that we can help with. NB *Gluten free communion wafers are now available here. Please tell one of 'the welcomers' if you require one.*

Don't forget to check out 'The Link' - with reflections on today's readings - and our 'News Extra' sheet (on reverse of 'The Link') for other events and things you need to know...

News & Notices

Remembering.... As part of the 10am service on Sunday 5th November we will be remembering our departed loved ones by name. You will find a list at the back of church; write the name of anyone you wish to be included. Please write names clearly to help the reader.



Christmas is Coming: St. Peter's will be providing gifts to go to local children through the Children's Centre again this year, with a **Toy Service** on Sunday 3rd Dec, 10am. Details about what is needed will be published early next month.

Offertory Envelopes for April 2018: The envelopes missing from this year's packs (for April 2018) have now been printed and are available for collection at the back of church.

Thank you...

⇒ to everyone who has returned a renewed gift aid form. (If you still have one, please hand it to Derek Bartlett or one of the wardens.);



⇒ to Judith Smart for organising Tea Together at Hillers. It was an enjoyable afternoon for all involved.



Freda Durose: Freda's funeral will be held here at St. Peter's on Wednesday 1st November at 2pm. Everyone will of course be welcome to share in this farewell to a faithful sister in Christ.

4th Sunday Giving: Today's loose plate collection will go towards the work of the **Church Mission Society (CMS)**. Check out the mission board at the back of church for info.

For our Prayers

- + Refugees from Myanmar and the Sudan; for the aid agencies helping on the ground; for our own giving in response;
- + Families facing the changeover to Universal Credit; for those operating the system; for agencies offering advice;
- + James Bell-Winfrow, now 2/3 through his training as an ordinand; for Francesca, Sophia and Josiah alongside him;

For those who are sick, in special need or housebound: Janet Bailey, Beattie Ballard, Pearl Bradley, Daniel Crockford; Richard Emson, Sylvia Emson, Barbara Line, Valerie Maguire; Ken Smith.

For those who have died, and all who mourn them: Peter Wright; Freda Durose; Marjorie Jefferson

Prayer Chain: If you would be willing to include in your own daily prayers the requests made at our Prayer Station, please have a word with Marie Bomyer (421559).



This church has an audio loop system

CHURCH CONTACTS

Benefice Office, normally staffed 9.15am to 1.15pm Mon-Fri. Call Elaine or Nick on **01386 446381** or email: office@hamptonchurch.org.uk



Our Benefice is part of the Asum Group of Parishes

Large print service and hymn books are available at the back of Church. Please ask the welcomers - or help yourself!

News Extra - Sunday 22nd October 2017

from around and beyond our Churches

You are Invited

Bengeworth Parish Lunch

Gourmet Guaranteed!

Our next Lunch is booked for **Saturday 4th November**, 12.30pm at St. Peter's, Bengeworth.

Good food and good company.

Everyone across the Benefice is invited. If you'd like to book in, please contact Sandra Cockram 01386 832676.

£6 per head for a two-course meal plus tea/coffee.



Hinton Bonfire Party - Saturday 4th November, 7.00 - 8.30pm. Open to all! To be held behind 1 Bevans Lane WR11 2QY. Hot dogs; hot & cold drinks on sale.

DEANERY QUIET DAY at Holland House

Saturday 6th November 2017, 10am to 4pm.

This will be led by Bishop Michael Hooper.

The cost, including coffee, lunch and tea is £15.

Please call Rosemary Roberts on 01386 792568 to book your place.



Coming Soon

Festival of Healing 2017

Saturday 4 November 10am in the Worcester Cathedral

Principle speaker: Bishop John talking on 'Reflections on the Christian Healing Ministry' plus discussion.

2pm: Healing Eucharist.

Cost for the morning:

£5, payable on the day.

Book your place by emailing: peterandsue@gmail.com or call 01386 861791.



Care Home Ministry Update:

- ◇ **Today**, we are sharing a Sunday Praise service at Austen Court Care Home, 3pm. All are welcome;
- ◇ And we shall begin a new ministry with The Hawthorns Care Home (Church Street) with a Songs of Praise service there on Tues 31st Oct, 2pm.

Please let Nick or Elaine at the Benefice Office (see below) know if you would like to come and support our ministry in our local care homes.



USPG West Midlands Regional Day

Friday 24th November,
12 noon till 4pm (with a free lunch!),
at the CofE Birmingham Diocese HQ, B3 2BJ.
Come and hear inspiring stories from our global partners.
RSVP Rebecca on 020 7921 2220

Situations Vacant - Serve the Lord

Vacancy for pt-time Leader of Junior Church Choir

Are you a musician with experience of church music and music in primary school? If the answer is yes, you might be the person we are looking for to develop and lead a junior church choir.

The contract is for one hour a week during term time, with a salary of £98.00 per month.



For more details contact The Administrator at the parish office: 01386 446381

or email: bengeworthparishoffice@hamptonchurch.org.uk

or go to: <http://bengeworthchurch.co.uk/vacancies/>

Evesham Church Foodbank Overseer

The Food Bank run by All Saints Church needs a new Volunteer Co-ordinator. The job takes about two hours a week and occasionally more, as there is some liaison with the local Co-operative supermarket. It is an opportunity to be involved in a ministry which is of immediate and direct benefit to people in the parish in these straitened times.

If you think this might be something you could offer to the mission of the church, please contact All Saints office Tel: 01386 442213;

office@evesham.church



Hosting with HOSTUK 2017-18

Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares. Hebrews 13:2

How true such advice can be. Hospitality is an equal partnership, the feel-good factor of offering it and the delight in receiving it.

HOST UK is a charity whose mission is to give a welcome to international students in British homes for friendship and cultural exchange. We operate *all* year round including Christmas and New Year when being welcomed into a home is vastly preferable to lonely halls of residence.

Hospitality can be offered for one day (daytime only), three days and two nights at the weekend, or at New Year, or four days and three nights during the Christmas festive period.



The choice is yours. **And remember...your offer can be made at any time of the year.**

If you should like to know more please look at our website: www.hostuk.org or email us on: info@hostuk.org, or phone us on: 020 7739 6292